

DANCERS WORKSHOP DRESS CODE

BALLET & COMBO CLASSES

Leotards

Dancers aged 2 years - 1st grade may wear any color or style of dance wear. This includes leotards with attached skirts or tutus. Or students may wear black athletic shorts and a white, solid, fitted T-shirt.

Dancers entering 2nd grade and up may wear any solid color or style of leotard, without attached skirts. Or they may wear black athletic shorts and a white, solid, fitted T-shirt.

Tights

Dancers aged 2 years - 1st grade have the option to wear tights in class. If they opt to not wear tights, please pack thin socks to wear with tap shoes. Please note that convertible or footed tights lengthen the lifespan of ballet and jazz shoes.

Students entering 2nd grade and up must wear tights with their leotard in Ballet classes. Tights should be flesh-toned.

SHOES

Ballet

Dancers may wear pink or flesh-toned ballet shoes with their leotard and tights. Dancers may wear black shoes with their white T-shirt and black shorts. Leather shoes are ideal for developing strong feet in ballet technique.

For dancers entering 2nd grade and up, we recommend a split sole shoe. Canvas shoes are also acceptable for high school students.

Tap

Dancers should wear black tap shoes. We suggest and prefer students ages 3 years - 1st grade to purchase the Mary-Jane (Velcro) style of tap shoes. Entering 2nd grade and up should purchase black, full sole, lace up shoes. The heavier the shoe, typically the better sound and feel.

Jazz

Dancers should wear flesh-toned jazz shoes.

Hip Hop

Dancers should wear clean-soled athletic shoes.

JAZZ, TAP & HIP HOP ATTIRE

Jazz and Tap

Dancers should wear form-fitting dance wear. We recommend dance shorts, leggings, etc. If you have ballet and jazz on the same day, wear your leotard and tights and just pull on a pair of shorts or leggings for jazz, avoiding a need to change.

Hip Hop

Dancers can wear any type of athletic wear that they can stretch and move in. Please no denim.

HAIR

Hair should be pulled back and away from the student's face. Buns are preferred in ballet classes for 2nd grade and up, if possible.