

# Class Attire & Shoes



Dancers should dress properly for dance class and refrain from wearing street clothes, dresses, baggy shirts, denim shorts/jeans or loose shorts in dance class. Loose-fit joggers can be worn for hip hop.

**HAIR** should be neat and well secured off the face & neck. Hairstyles include pony tail, braids or bun.

**BALLET BUN:** Ballet students will wear a proper and well secured ballet bun. No loose hair or fly-aways.

**DANCE BAGS & WATER BOTTLES:** Dancers should label their dance bag, all shoes & water bottles with their name or initials to avoid items from going into the always growing lost & found collection.

**BALLET:** pink canvas, no-tie, split sole ballet shoes, solid black or dark leotard, pink tights, secured hair bun

**BOYS BALLET:** black canvas, split sole ballet shoes, black pants, black or white fitted t-shirt

**CONTEMPORARY:** barefoot, any color leotard or fitted top/crop top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**PRESCHOOL & KINDER TAP/ BALLET COMBO:** Any color leotard with tights, skirt, fitted dance shorts or leggings

- black tap shoes “Mary Jane” style or ribbon tie tap shoes
- ballet-pink ballet shoes - *highly recommend **NO-TIE** ballet shoes with elastic straps (because shoes with tie strings never stay tied). The following ballet shoe brands are available on Amazon: **RoseMoli** or **Stelle**. Other well-known brands include **Capezio** & **Bloch**.*

**HIP HOP:** clean, black/white, indoor-only sneakers, comfortable clothing/active-wear which can include joggers, sweatpants, long athletic shorts, tanks, t-shirts. Please do not wear hip-hop sneakers outside in the parking lot, sidewalk, street or grass. This will transfer dirt, salt and residue onto our dance floors.

**JAZZ:** tan jazz shoes (recommended Bloch “Pulse” for int & adv levels), any color leotard or form fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**LYRICAL:** lyrical half-shoes, any color leotard or fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**MUSICAL THEATER:** tan jazz shoes, any color leotard or fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**TAP:** black, lace-up, full sole, tap shoes with a firm toe box (NO Mary Jane buckle, Velcro or single ribbon style tap shoes); any color leotard or fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**TAP/ JAZZ COMBO:** black tap shoes, tan jazz shoes, any color leotard or fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**TUMBLING:** barefoot, any color leotard or fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants

**URNS, LEAPS & JUMPS:** any color jazz shoe; any color leotard or fitted top, fitted shorts, leggings or dance pants