

## **DRESS CODES**

**Failure to adhere to dress code policies will result in being asked to observe class**

### **Tiny Tots**

#### **Ballet/Tap**

##### **Female**

- Any color leotard and tights
- Ballet shoes and Tap shoes
- Hair pulled back and out of face
- No excess jewelry or dangly earrings.

##### **Male**

- Gym shorts or fitted jogger pants - Fitted t-shirt or tank top
- Ballet shoes and Tap shoes
- Hair out of face
- No excess jewelry.

### **Mini Movers**

#### **Tap/Ballet**

##### **Female**

- Black leotard (or any color leotard)
- Pink tights (skin tone or black tights are also fine) - Tap shoes, Ballet shoes (Pink)
- Hair pulled back and in a secure bun
- No excess jewelry or dangly earrings.

##### **Male**

- Gym shorts or fitted jogger pants
- Fitted t-shirt or tank top
- Tap shoes, Ballet shoes (black)
- Hair out of face, no excess jewelry

### **Level 1-4**

#### **Jazz, Tap, Modern/Contemporary, Acro, Lyrical, Conditioning**

##### **Female**

- Leotard or sports bra on top (no baggy t-shirts or tank tops)
- Any color tights with a leotard. Dancers can also wear form fitting leggings or form fitting

biker shorts.

- Appropriate dance shoes for style.

- Hair securely pulled back and out of face
- No excess jewelry. No dangly earrings (studs only)
- No loose fitting clothing

## **Males**

- Gym shorts, fitted joggers, athletic leggings
- Fitted t-shirt or tank top
- Dance belt to be worn under shorts/joggers/leggings - Appropriate Dance shoes for style (see above)
- Hair out of face
- No excess jewelry. No dangly earrings.
- No loose-fitting clothing

## **Shoe Recommendations**

- Tap- Tap shoes (black) Capezio, Bloch, CG09, Jason Samuels
- Jazz/Musical Theatre- Split sole jazz shoe (tan or black), Capezio or Bloch - Lyrical- Jazz Shoe, Pirouette shoes/Lyrical shoes
- Modern/Contemporary- Bare feet
  
- Hip Hop- Clean sneakers that are worn for dance only
- Acro & Conditioning- Bare feet

## **Hip Hop**

Street clothing, clean sneakers. Sneakers should be used as dance shoes only. Dancers will be asked to take off any sneakers with debris in them.

## **Ballet Dress Code Levels 1-4**

### **Female**

- Black leotard for ALL levels
  
- - All girls are required to wear a 3/4-inch white elastic waistband. These can be purchased from Discount Dance online for \$5 or made from white elastic.

- - Pink Tights (tights must be worn inside of shoes- no footless or rolled up tights.) Mesh seamed tights are preferred, but not required.
- - Pink ballet shoes with sewn elastics
- - Hair must be in a secured bun. This means hairspray/gel and bob pins.
- - No Jewelry (other than stud earrings)
- - No skirts, shorts, etc. to be worn over leotards
- - You are welcome to bring a water bottle into class. Having to leave the room for water is disruptive.
- - Drawstrings should be tucked into the shoes, and pointe shoe ribbings need to be tied properly.

## **Male**

- Black or white t-shirt
- Black tights
- Dance belt, worn under tights - Black ballet shoes
- Pointe classes are by placement only. Do NOT purchase pointe shoes until you are instructed to do so.

## **Pointe/Pre-Pointe**

- Please do not sew pointe shoes until they have been approved
- Pre-Pointe dancers will need ribbons sewn onto their flat shoes. These shoes can be worn in their regular technique class.