



2024/2025 - FEMALE DRESS CODE & CLASS MAKEUP GUIDE

Creative Dance:

- Pink Leotard (Attached skirts allowed)
- Pink tights (Color to match Ballet Slippers)
- Hair must be up in a Ponytail
- Hair bows and hair decorations are highly encouraged
- Regular Sole or Split-Sole pink Ballet slippers
- Black Mary Jane Style Tap shoes

“Class Makeups” should be made up in another Creative Dance Class during the current term.

Discovering Dance:

- Pink Leotard (No attached skirts allowed)
- Pink tights (Color to match Ballet Slippers)
- Hair must be up in a Tight Ponytail
- Hair bows and hair decorations are highly encouraged
- Pink Canvas Ballet slippers (Full Sole or Split-Sole) (Split-Sole preferred)
- Tap Shoes for Ballet/Tap class (not needed for Ballet/Jazz)

“Class Makeups” should be made in a Discovering Dance or Creative Dance class.

Beginning Ballet & Ballet I:

Pink Leotard (No attached skirts)

Pink tights (Color to match Ballet Slippers)

Hair up in a High Tight Ponytail

Hair bows and Hair decorations are highly encouraged

Pink Canvas Ballet Slippers (Split-Sole Ballet Slippers are Preferred)

“Class Makeups” should be made up in a Ballet I Class or a Discovering Dance Class.

Ballet II:

Pink Leotard (No attached skirts)

White Belt (You may purchase it at the Front Desk for \$12.00)

Note: This belt helps Instructors see Hip alignment!

- Pink tights (To match Ballet slippers)
- Hair up in a regular Medium/High Bun or an attractive style of Bun
- Hair bows and hair decorations are highly encouraged
- Split-soled Pink Canvas Ballet slippers are required
- NO Skirts are allowed in level II ballet classes

“Class Makeups” should be in a Ballet II or Ballet I.

Ballet III:

- Black Leotard
- White Belt (You may purchase at the Front Desk for \$12.00) –
This belt helps Instructors see Hip alignment.
- Pink Tights (To match Ballet Slippers). **Tights must be worn under your leotard.** not over your leotard.
- Small, shorter black skirts are allowed for Ballet III and above
- No Shorts (Talk to your Instructor if it is a time when shorts or skirts are needed)
- Hair in an attractive Medium-High Bun
- Hair bows, scrunchies, and other hair decorations are highly encouraged
- Split-soled Pink Canvas Ballet Slippers are required

- **If you have started Pointe work (Pointe III), your Pointe shoes must be approved by your Instructors before ribbons and elastics are sewn onto your Pointe shoes!**
- **“Pre-Pointe” studies in ballet slippers are highly encouraged to build strength in feet and core muscles before pointe work studies begin.**

“Class Makeups” should be in a Ballet III or Ballet II Class.

Ballet IV & Ballet V:

- Black Leotards (No Leotards that ride up in the back or too low in the front)
- White Belt
- No shorts (Inform your instructor if it is a time that shorts are needed)
- Small, shorter skirts are allowed. No long skirts are permitted.
- Pink tights (To match Ballet Slippers). **Tights must be worn under your leotard.**
- Hair in an attractive Medium-High bun
- Hair bows, scrunchies, and other hair decorations are highly encouraged
- Split-soled Pink Canvas Ballet Slippers are required that match tights

“Class Makeups” to be made up in a Ballet IV or Ballet III Class... speak to Instructor for guidance.

Adult Ballet Classes:

- Leotard (any color) & Pink Tights
- Option to above attire, which many wear are Leggings or Athletic tops
- Split-soled Pink Canvas Ballet Slippers or Leather Ballet Slippers required

ALL BALLET CLASSES – ADDITIONAL RULES

- In Winter: Small Dance Sweaters are allowed (Leg Warmers or Warm up attire must be removed after Pliés!)
- **Students must wear the Leotard color of their current level and a white belt to ALL Ballet classes** (except Creative Dance, Pre-Ballet, and Ballet I)
- No Jewelry (except small earrings)
- No black tights
- Pink Ballet slippers must have elastics sewn onto the shoes
- Dancers not adhering to the Academy Dress Code will be sent out of class to change & and a letter of Non-Compliance will be sent home to the Parents/Guardians.

JAZZ/CONTEMPORARY, MODERN, TAP, HIP HOP, MUSICAL THEATRE

- Solid color Leotard or Tight-Fitting T-Shirt, any color
- Sports Bras may be worn **IF** Dancer is appropriately covered
- Tights, Jazz/Yoga Pants, or Dance Shorts - any color
- NOTE: No Jeans are to be worn to class!

SHOES:

- **Jazz** – Black Jazz Shoes, Ballet Shoes, Bare Feet or Paws
- **Tap – Older Students:** Black Oxford Style
- **Hip-Hop** – Jazz Sneakers or Jazz Shoes
 - **No outside shoes allowed - please have a dedicated pair for dance**
 - **Dirty shoes damage our Marley floors**
- **Modern** – Dance Paws or Bare Feet or Ballet Shoes (Split Sole)
- **Musical Theatre** - Jazz Shoes

HAIR for all dance disciplines:

Hair must be **pulled back** in a ponytail, away from the face and secured.

NOTE: Dancers Must Be Appropriately Covered

Please consult your Teacher or the Front Desk for Appropriate Make Up Class(es) for your Level.

Recommended websites for ordering appropriate dancewear for your dancer

- Discount Dance: Use this link for recommended attire, then click on the class level
<https://www.discountdance.com/search/teacherid:65751?tp=65751>
- Allegro Dance Boutique: <https://allegrodanceboutique.com/> for attire and pointe shoe fittings

Any Questions??? Please speak to the Front Desk for help or clarification.