

AFPA Dress Code Requirements

Required items can be purchased right at AFPA's dance store.

Additional items may be found online at Discount Dance www.discountdance.com please use our studio code TP49599.

General Dress Code Requirements

- All dancers must have their hair pulled away from the face and pulled into a secure and tight pony tail, pig tails, braid etc. Hair is NOT to be worn down unless your instructor asks you to do so.
- Please read specific hair requirement for ALL Ballet classes
- No jewelry (necklaces, dangling earrings, bracelets)
- No gum chewing
- Only water bottles allowed into studio dance rooms
- Dress Code requirements are to be followed. If dress code is not followed the student will be issued a verbal warning along with an email or phone call home notifying of the violation. Repeated violations will result in other actions.
- Shoe and tight requirements for recital may be different

Petites Class

- Black or Pink or Purple Tank/Short Sleeve Leotard
- Ballet Pink Adaptatoe/Convertible Tights
- **Pink full-sole leather ballet slippers**
- **Tan Patent leather tap shoes**
- Dancers may also wear any colored tutu/ballet type skirt

Ballet/Tap Combo Class

- Black or Pink or Purple Tank/Short Sleeve Leotard
- Ballet Pink Adaptatoe/Convertible Tights
- **Pink full-sole leather ballet slippers**
- **Patent leather tap shoes**
- Dancers may also wear any colored tutu/ballet type skirt during ballet

Jazz/Tap Combo Class

All of the following are appropriate:

- Booty shorts, leggings, bra tops, half tops, tanks tops, baby tees, jazz pants, yoga pants, and athletic wear.
- No denim shorts or jeans, skirts, school uniforms or big baggy clothing.
- Adaptatoe/Convertible Light Tan tights – tights are not required
- Black or Tan leather jazz shoes
- Tan patent leather tap shoes with laces or tap ties

Ballet : All Level I dancers and above are required to have a white elastic ballet belt.

Hair for all ballet classes:

- Tight bun with hair pulled away from the face, no bangs.
- Use hairnets, bobby pins, hairspray or gel to secure all hair back from face.
- No loose or messy buns will be allowed.

Tights for all ballet classes:

- Ballet Pink Adaptatoo/Convertible Tights

Ballet Belts for classes Level I and up:

- White ¾" Ballet Belt

Leotard:

- Electric Force/ Sr Competition Team – Black Cap Sleeve Leotard L5602
- Teen Competition Team- Black Cap Sleeve Leotard L5602
- Jr Competition Team – Black Cap Sleeve Leotard L5602 or CL5602
- Mini Comp Team- Black Cap Sleeve Leotard CL5602
- Magnetic Performance Company – Black Cap Sleeve Leotard L5602
- Friction Performance Company – Light Blue TH5501 or TH5501C
- Spring Performance Company – Lavender- TH5501 or TH5501C
- Kinder Ballet- Lavender- TH5501 or TH5501C
- Academy Level I – Lavender- TH5501 or TH5501C
- Academy Level I/II – Light Blue- TH5501 or TH5501C
- Academy Level II – Light Blue- TH5501 or TH5501C
- Academy Level III/IV - Black Cap Sleeve Leotard L5602

Ballet Shoes:

Kinder Ballet and Level I

- Pink Leather Full Sole Ballet Slippers- T2000C

Performance Company, Teen Ballet and Academy Levels, II, III and IV and V:

- Pink Split Sole Leather Ballet Slippers- T2700

Jr Competition, Teen Competition, Sr Competition

- Pink Split Sole Leather Ballet Slippers- T2700

Pointe:

- Above ballet attire
- Pointe shoes as instructed by AFPA ballet faculty
- Pointe kit: band aids, tape, lambs wool, Neosporin

Jazz, Musical Theater, Tap, Contemporary, Acro

All of the following attire are acceptable:

- Booty shorts, leggings, bra tops, half tops, tank tops, baby tees, jazz pants, yoga pants, and athletic wear.
- No denim shorts or jeans, skirts, school uniforms or big baggy clothing.
- When choosing attire, please keep in mind that we have male teachers. For example, do not wear a t-shirt that will go over your head if you are upside down in acro class if you are not wearing anything underneath it.

Tights are not required but if you prefer to wear tights:

- **Light Tan Adaptatoo/Convertible Tights**

Shoes:

- Jazz – black or tan slip on jazz shoes or dance paws
- Musical Theater – black or tan slip on jazz shoes
- Tap – Black hard sole tap shoe with screw in taps and laces. No split sole or boot/sneaker tap shoe. No rivets.
- Contemporary – black or tan slip on jazz shoes, dance paws or bare feet
- Acro – bare feet

Hip Hop:

All of the following attire is acceptable:

- Leggings, basketball or soccer shorts, sweat pants, tank tops, baby tees or athletic wear.
- No Bra tops or Half tops

Shoes:

- Sneakers that are strictly used for Hip Hop.
- High tops give your dancer's ankle more support and are strongly encouraged.

Please write your dancer's name in and on all items

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