

MST DANCE CENTER

2026 Spring Studio Handbook

Performance Requirements

- These instructions apply to Pictures Days, Dress Rehearsals, and Performances
- Hair
 - All female students in all genres should have their hair pulled into a high bun.
 - All male students in all genres should have their hair brushed back, out of their faces.
 - Suggestion: Bring a zip-up jacket or button-up shirt to put on so you don't disturb your hair and make-up.
- Make-Up
 - Intro: Natural (no foundation, light blush, eye shadow, black mascara, and pink/red lips)
 - Eyes: please stick to neutral eye shadow tones of browns and golds. Any eyeliner should either be black and used carefully to only make thin, minimal wings.
 - Topaz: Light (light foundation, light blush, eye shadow, black mascara, and pink/red lips)
 - Eyes: please stick to neutral eye shadow tones of browns and golds. Any eyeliner should either be black and used carefully to only make thin, minimal wings.
 - Amethyst: Medium (medium foundation, blush, eye shadow, black mascara, and red lips)
 - Eyes: please stick to neutral eye shadow tones of browns and golds. Any eyeliner should either be black and used carefully to only make thin, minimal wings.
 - Ruby, Sapphire, Diamond: Heavy (full foundation, blush, eye shadow, black mascara and/or fake eyelashes, and darker red lips)
 - Eyes: please stick to neutral eye shadow tones of browns and golds. Any eyeliner should either be black and used carefully to only make thin, minimal wings.
 - Suggestion: Bring a zip-up jacket or button-up shirt to put on so you don't disturb your hair and make-up.
- Costumes
 - ALL STUDENTS: Make sure you have all your performance attire: tights, shoes, nude undergarments, and black base pieces (if applicable), etc. These items are your responsibility to make sure they are clean and ready to go. Check your Studio Portal for costume details for your specific class requirements. :)
 - GIRLS: NO UNDERWEAR!! Please don't try to get away with wearing underwear, the nude leotard is to act as an undergarment. Parents, please try to explain this and make your child feel comfortable. Underwear shows through costumes and is even worse with picture and stage lighting. Underwear will be seen!
 - Suggestion: For performers with a lot of routines, we suggest bringing a basket or tote to keep all your belongings in ONE place between changes!