

# CLASSWEAR GUIDE



## **Pre-Ballet/Tap:**

- Pink class leotard fitted and purchased through DDC. Visit us during open house hours or contact us to schedule your fitting!
- Ballet pink footed tights, Pink full-sole ballet shoes, Tan tap shoes.
  - We recommend: Capezio "Daisy" Ballet Shoes, and Capezio "Mary Jane" Tap Shoes

## **Combo Ballet/Tap/Jazz:**

- Lavender class leotard fitted and purchased through DDC. Visit us during open house hours or contact us to schedule your fitting!
- Tan/skin tone footed tights, Pink full-sole ballet shoes, Tan tap shoes, Tan Jazz Shoes.
  - We recommend: Capezio "Daisy" Ballet Shoes, Capezio "Mary Jane" Tap Shoes, and Capezio "E-Series" Jazz Shoe.

## **Elementary Level:**

- Ballet: Any color leotard. Tan or Ballet Pink footed tights. Ballet skirt is optional. Hair should be pulled into a bun. Pink Split-Sole ballet shoes.
  - We recommend Capezio "Juliet" Split-Sole ballet shoe.
- Jazz and Lyrical: Any color leotard and tights. Dancers may wear form fitting clothing over their leotard. i.e. dance shorts, tank top, leggings.

## **Elementary Level (cont.):**

Black jazz shoes for jazz. Tan jazz shoes for lyrical.

- We recommend Capezio "E-Series" Jazz shoes.
- Tap: Same dress code as jazz and lyrical. Black tap shoes.
  - We recommend Theatricals Lace-Up tap shoes.

## **Levels 1-4:**

- Ballet: Any color leotard. Tan or Ballet Pink convertible tights. Ballet skirt is optional. Hair should be pulled into a bun. Pink Split-Sole ballet shoes.
  - We recommend Capezio "Juliet" Split-Sole ballet shoe.
  - Pointe dancers will need to visit a dancewear store to be fitted for pointe shoes - check with your teacher.
- Jazz, Lyrical, and Musical Theater: Any form-fitting athletic or dance wear. A leotard is recommended but not required. Appropriate classwear includes dance shorts, leggings, tank tops, fitted t-shirts. Black Jazz shoes for Jazz and Musical Theater. Tan Jazz shoes for lyrical.
  - We recommend Capezio "E-Series" Jazz shoes.
- Tap: See dress code for jazz. Black lace-up tap shoes for Level 1-3. The Level 4 class will wear black and white spectator lace-up shoes.
  - For Level 1-3, we recommend Capezio "Tic Tap Toe" Shoes.
  - For Level 4, we recommend Leo's Giordano Spectator black/white shoes. (Any class level combined with level 4 will need these shoes - check with your teacher)
- Contemporary/Modern: See dress code for jazz. Dancers will perform barefoot. Socks may be acceptable for practice - check with your teacher.
- Hip Hop: Any comfortable clothing. No jeans or restrictive fabrics. Clean sneakers.
- Acro: See dress code for jazz. Barefoot.

## **Boys Dress Code:**

- Solid fitted t-shirt with jazz pants or athletic shorts. All dance shoes should be black.

## **General Notes:**

- Hair should always be pulled away from the dancer's face before class begins.
- We have ballet, tap, and jazz shoes available for fittings at the studio. Pre-School and Combo dancers may place an order through DDC for shoes. Please contact us to schedule a fitting if you would like our help.
- All of our recommended shoes can be found at [discountdance.com](http://discountdance.com) - please consult the size-chart for each shoe before you place an order.

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**If you have any questions about what you need for dance class, please send us a message at:**

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