

SCAA Dance Dress Code (updated September 4, 2019)

General: All clothes worn in dance classes should be form-fitting, and plain (no slogans, graphics, patterns or large logos). If the studios are chilly warm sweaters, leg warmers, etc., are allowable for the first 15 minutes of a class, after which students may be asked to remove outer garments. Hair needs to be secured back off of the face and dangling jewelry is not permitted. Refer to the list below for specific class requirements. *Please note: the students may be asked to purchase a different style and/or color of tights to go with their spring recital costume.*

Creative Movement

Girls are required to wear black leotards, pink tights and pink leather ballet slippers; Simple ballet skirts are fine. Boys are required to wear white t-shirts, black shorts or pants and black ballet slippers.

Pre-Ballet – Ballet D

Students are required to wear black leotards, pink tights and pink leather ballet slippers. Ballet skirts may be worn at the discretion of the instructor. Hair should always be secured away from the face. Boys are required to wear white t-shirts, black or grey shorts or jogger pants and black ballet slippers.

Ballet 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Advanced Ballet & Ballet Technique

Students are required to wear pink or skin-colored footed tights, pink or skin-colored ballet slippers, and leotards in their choice of color. Tight dance shorts or skirts may be worn over tights, with instructor's approval (no gym shorts). *Pointe shoes are required for students participating in Pointe classes. Hair should always be up in a bun, French twist, etc. Short hair should be pinned back off of the face. ***Note:** Students in Introduction to Pointe should NOT purchase shoes until given instructions by the teacher. Boys are required to wear white t-shirts, black tights or form-fitting dance pants and black ballet slippers.

Lyrical Beginning, 1 & 2

Leotard in a color of your choice with convertible or footless skin-colored or black tights, or leggings or capris, or dance-shorts if worn over tights (no bare legs). Plain, form-fitting t-shirts are allowed with instructor's approval. (No bare midriffs.) Boys: plain t-shirts and form-fitting dance pants/joggers. Footwear: bare feet or dance paws, if desired.

Lyrical 3 & Advanced Contemporary

Leotard in a color of your choice with convertible or footless skin-colored or black tights, or leggings or capris, or dance-shorts if worn over tights. Plain, form-fitting t-shirts are allowed with instructor's approval. (No bare midriffs.) Boys: plain t-shirts and form-fitting dance pants/joggers. Footwear: bare feet or dance paws, if desired. THESE LEVELS ONLY may wear tight dance shorts over leotards, without tights.

Hip Hop

Students are required to wear jazz pants, athletic pants, or tights (ankle or Capri) with their choice of leotard. Option: Plain, form-fitting tank or T-shirt and leggings or dance shorts-over-tights (no bare legs or midriff). Footwear: black jazz shoes. Boys are required to wear solid t-shirt, athletic or dance pants and black jazz shoes.

Jazz

Students are required to wear jazz pants, athletic pants, or tights (ankle or Capri) with their choice of leotard color. Plain, form-fitting tank or T-shirts and leggings or dance shorts-over-tights (no bare legs/midriff) may be worn at discretion of the instructor. Footwear: black jazz shoes (No jazz sneakers). Boys are required to wear plain t-shirt, form-fitting dance pants/joggers and black jazz shoes.

Music Theatre Dance 1 & II

Girls: leotard in a color of your choice with black tights, leggings or capris. Dance-shorts permitted over tights. (No bare legs.) Plain, form-fitting t-shirts are allowed. (No bare midriffs.) Boys: Plain t-shirts and black dance pants/joggers. Footwear for All: flat black jazz shoes, either slip-ons or with ties. ***Note:** Musical Theatre Dance II ladies MAY be asked to wear different tights/shoes for the spring recital.

Tap

Girls are required to wear leotards, tights and black leather tap shoes with full taps.
Boys are required to wear white t-shirts, black sweat pants/joggers and black tap shoes with full taps.