

Dress Code – Dress like a dancer

“Dress code levels the playing field so my students stand out for their dancing.” Debbie Allen

Ballet/Pointe – Ladies, hair must be secured in a bun. Level appropriate leotard, and pink tights. Wrap sweaters and sheer wrap skirts are permitted, at the teacher’s discretion. Gentlemen, hair must be worn out of the dancer’s face. Black tights (with a dance belt), white fitted t-shirt, and black ballet slippers.

Jazz/Styles – Hair must be pulled off the neck and out of the dancer’s face. Ladies, level appropriate leotard and tights. Solid black dance shorts are permitted at the teacher’s discretion. Gentlemen, black jazz pants or shorts, and white fitted t-shirt.

Modern - Hair must be pulled off the neck and out of the dancer’s face. Ladies, level appropriate leotard and tights. Solid black dance shorts and/or black tights are permitted at the teacher’s discretion. Gentlemen, black footless tights (with a dance belt) and white fitted t-shirt.

Acrobatics / Contemporary – Hair must be pulled off the neck and out of the dancer’s face. Ladies, level appropriate leotard and mid-thigh solid black dance shorts. Gentlemen, mid-thigh or longer black shorts and white fitted t-shirt.

Hip-Hop – Hair must be pulled off the neck and out of the dancer’s face. Studio t-shirt or tank top (no half-shirts and no sports bras worn as a top) and leggings or mid-thigh dance shorts. Sweatpants are permitted at the teacher’s discretion. New black sneakers must be purchased and used solely for class; **NO street shoes allowed on the dance floors.**

Creative Movement, Twinkle Toes, and Ballet I – Light Pink
Open Classes - Burgundy

Formal Training Program:

Level 1 – Lavender

Level 2 – Light Blue

Level 3 – Navy

Level 4 – Grey

Level 5+ - Black

*Solid black (or leotard matching) dance shorts are acceptable **for monthly times when you need extra coverage, not EVERY class.**

Undergarments are exactly that **UNDER and should not distract from your line. Visible straps are unavoidable, try to coordinate undergarments with leotards.

No outer clothing, street wear or jewellery (other than small post earrings) may be worn in any class. These items can be prohibitive to movement and proper alignment. Students who come to class wearing any of these items will be asked to remove them or will not be permitted to take class.

Please remember that level appropriate leotard and tights with hair secured is appropriate for **all classes**. Time is **NOT** allotted between classes for you to change your clothing or hair.