



Dress Code for Dance Classes

Adult Ballet: Dance or workout attire with ballet shoes.

Adult Tap: Dance or workout attire with black tap shoes.

Ballet Basics: Girls: Any style leotard, footed tights, pink leather full sole ballet shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. Boys: Plain t-shirt, bottoms (boys ballet tights, pants, or shorts), black leather ballet shoes.

Ballet: Junior thru Level 5 and Beginner: Girls: Plain black leotard, any style, (tank, camisole, short-sleeved, or long-sleeved) pink footed or convertible tights, and leather or canvas pink ballet shoes. Hair pulled back in a bun. Boys: Plain white t-shirt, black bottoms (boys ballet tights, pants, or shorts), leather or canvas black ballet shoes.

Ballet: Pre-Pointe and Pointe: Plain black leotard, any style (tank, camisole, short-sleeved, or long-sleeved) pink convertible tights, and professionally fit pointe or pre-pointe shoes. Hair pulled back in a bun. Black chiffon pointe skirt may also be worn.

Ballet/Tap Combo: Girls: Any style leotard, footed tights, pink leather full sole ballet shoes, black no tie (Velcro or buckle) tap shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. Boys: Plain t-shirt, bottoms (boys ballet tights, pants, or shorts), black leather full sole ballet shoes and black oxford tap shoes.

Élan Choreography Classes: Girls: black leotard, black fitted tank/fitted t-shirt, black tights, black jazz pants/legging, or black dance shorts. Hair must be worn off the face. Boys: black fitted t-shirt/tank and black bottoms (boys ballet tights, pants, or shorts).

A List of required items including shoe color/style will be emailed after auditions. *Please note that the dress code is at the discretion of the choreographer*****

Jazz: Level 1 thru Level 5: Girls: Solid colored leotard, black tights, black jazz pants/leggings, or dance shorts, dark tan slip on

leather jazz shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. Boys: Solid colored t-shirt, black tights, black jazz pants, or black shorts, black leather slip on jazz shoes.

Hip Hop/Jazz: Level 1 thru Level 3, Hip Hop/Jazz Fusion, and Musical Theater, Poms: Comfortable dance/athletic* clothes and dark tan slip on leather jazz shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. No jeans or outside shoes allowed.

Hippity Hoppers: Comfortable dance/athletic* clothes and dark tan slip on leather jazz shoes or clean gym shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. No jeans or outside shoes allowed.

Leaps & Turns, PBT, and Stretch and Strengthen: Dance or workout attire with ballet or jazz shoes.

Tap: Comfortable dance/athletic* clothes, black no tie (Velcro or buckle) tap shoes up through level 1. All level 2 and higher will need black oxford style tap shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. No jeans allowed. Boys: Black oxford tap shoes.

Tap/Jazz: Comfortable dance/athletic* clothes, dark tan slip on leather jazz shoes, and black no tie (Velcro or buckle) tap shoes. Hair must be worn off the face. Dancers over the age of 8 and our male dancers may switch to the black oxford style tap shoe.

Modern/Contemporary and Lyrical: Girls: Solid colored leotard, footless tights, black jazz pants/leggings, or black shorts, skin tone half-sole shoes or bare feet. Hair must be worn off the face. Boys: solid colored t-shirt, black bottoms (tights, pants, or shorts), skin tone half-sole shoes or bare feet.

Pirouette with Me and Storybook Ballet: Girls: dance attire of your choice with pink leather full sole ballet shoes. Boys: dance or athletic attire of your choice with black full sole leather ballet shoes. Parents in Pirouette with Me: Comfortable clothes with socks, barefoot, or ballet shoes.

***Dance clothes are form fitting athletic wear, such as leggings, shorts, tank tops, and t-shirts. Sweatpants can be worn for Hippity Hoppers and Hip-Hop/Jazz Fusion.**

Additional Information

- All hair should be pulled up off the face. Long hair should be pulled back, out of the face, for all classes. Pony tails, braids, and buns are encouraged.
- Dance shoes are encouraged for all classes, with the exception of Modern/Contemporary.
- Pants worn for classes must not cover the feet.
- No visible undergarments should be worn under leotards and tights
- Dancewear can be purchased in store or online via our studio shop at <https://www.shopnibly.com/nppdance>

Please contact the **Dance Coordinator, Raegan Milan**, with any questions at rmilan@napervilleparks.org or (630) 848-3618.