

THE DANCER'S POINTE

Studio Policies · 2026–2027

What to Wear

Class	Leotard	Tights	Shoes
Ballet & Pointe	Black leotard required for all, other than Discovery and Foundations classes. Solid-colored, one-piece for all others.	Ballet pink required.	Pink ballet shoes (So Danca #SD60). Pointe shoes vary - check with the instructor.
Tap	Solid-colored, one-piece leotard.	Skin-toned or black tights, or leggings.	Black Oxford tap shoes
Jazz	Solid-colored, one-piece leotard.	Skin-toned or black tights, or leggings.	Tan jazz slip-ons.
Lyrical & Contemporary	Solid-colored, one-piece leotard.	Skin-toned or black tights, or leggings.	Varies — check with your instructor.
Acro	Solid-colored, one-piece leotard.	Skin-toned or black tights, or leggings.	Bare feet.
Musical Theater	Solid-colored, one-piece leotard.	Skin-toned or black tights, or leggings.	Tan jazz slip-ons (most levels). Tan T-strap character shoes (advanced). Check with your instructor
Hip Hop	No leotard required — loose-fitting clothing that allows free movement.	Not required — loose-fitting clothing preferred.	Black hip hop sneakers.

DISCOVERY CLASSES

Class / Combination	Leotard	Tights	Shoes
Ballet or Story Ballet	Solid-colored leotard, can have a small attached skirt.	Ballet pink required.	Pink ballet shoes (So Danca #SD60).
Ballet/Mus. Th. Combo	Solid-colored leotard, can have a small attached skirt.	Ballet pink required	Pink ballet shoes (So Danca #SD60)
Ballet/Tap Combo	Solid-colored leotard, can have a small, attached skirt.	Ballet pink required.	Pink ballet shoes (So Danca #SD60) + black tap shoes (So Danca #TA35).
Rhythm & Tap	Solid-colored leotard, can have a small, attached skirt.	Ballet pink required.	Black tap shoes (So Danca #TA35).
Jazz/Tap Combo	Solid-colored leotard, can have a small, attached skirt.	Ballet pink required.	Black tap shoes (So Danca #TA35) + Tan jazz slip-ons.
Mini Movers Hip Hop	No leotard required - loose-fitting clothing.	Not required.	Black hip hop sneakers.

BOYS DRESS CODE

Class	Attire	Tights	Shoes
All Classes	Black pants with a solid-colored, slightly form-fitting shirt.	Not required.	Black ballet shoes, black oxford tap shoes, black slip-on jazz shoes or black hip hop sneakers - depending on class.

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*Our studio policies help ensure a safe, focused and positive experience for every dancer.
Thank you for taking a moment to review them.*

Additional Dress Notes

Cover-Ups T-shirts and sweatshirts are not permitted in ballet and pointe classes. Ballet skirts are welcome over leotards in ballet. Jazz pants, leggings and dance shorts are acceptable in other classes. Loose cover-ups are acceptable in hip hop.

Hair Hair must be securely fastened away from the face. French twists or buns are required for ballet — ponytails are not permitted in ballet and pointe classes. Check with your instructor for any additional requirements.

In the Studio

Cell Phones Must be silenced and stored in dance bags. Phone use is not permitted during class.

Food & Drinks No food or gum in the studios. Water in a closed, labeled water bottle is encouraged.

Promptness Please arrive on time. Students arriving more than 15 minutes late may be asked to observe rather than participate.

Pick-Up Please pick up your dancer promptly after class. Students should remain in the lobby until their ride arrives. Please do not leave children unattended. Siblings are welcome in the lobby with adult supervision — our studios are not a play space.

Behavior Respectful and focused behavior is expected at all times. Disruptive students may be asked to sit out. Repeated issues may result in removal from class.

Jewelry Long or hoop earrings, bulky necklaces and bracelets are not permitted. Please leave jewelry at home.

Shoe Labeling Please label all shoes with your dancer's name. Check with your teacher regarding recital footwear, as performance shoes may vary.

No Tutus or Costumes Please save the tutus and costumes for recital day!

Class & Attendance

Attendance Consistent attendance is essential - absences affect both the individual dancer and the class as a whole. Instructors will make recital participation decisions for students with excessive absences.

Class Placement Your dancer has been thoughtfully placed based on teacher evaluations. Please respect our instructors' professional expertise. Requests to add, drop or change classes must be submitted to the office in writing.

Recital Students participating in the recital must follow all policies outlined in the recital packet.

Parent Conferences Teachers are not available between classes. Please leave a message with the office and your teacher will follow up when their schedule allows.

*We believe that education in dance is a positive experience — enriching the body, mind and spirit.
Welcome to a new season at The Dancer's Pointe!*