

Dress Code Policies- 8 Count Dance 2017-2018

We request that students carefully observe our dress code. For the best dance experience and SAFETY of all dancers, proper dress code must be followed in order to participate in class. Studio dress code and grooming will be enforced. It's important for students to abide by the dress code policy for the following reasons:

- A neat and tidy appearance sets an attitude of attentiveness and respect for students, teachers, and the Art of Dance.
- Teachers must be able to see the dancer's body outline clearly in order to make proper corrections on posture, alignment, etc. . .

General Dress Code Guidelines

- * Hair must be properly secured and tied up off of the face and neck for all styles of dance. No jewelry may be worn to class. Only small stud earrings are permitted.
- * No loose fitting pants, blue jeans or t-shirts (they are not dance attire). NO costumes or street clothing permitted in class. (Hip Hop is an exception)
- * To protect our dance floors, dance shoes must NOT be worn outside. No outside and dirty street shoes are permitted on the dance floor.
- * Please have your dancer carry all of their dance shoes, dance wear and other belongings in a dance bag. To help avoid misplacing belongings, please label all clothing (including shoes, leotards, coats, etc.)
- *Students must have a neat and tidy look at all times with all proper dance attire, shoes, tights, etc. . . at every class.

Please read carefully below for specific class guidelines



We are happy that all of our core classes have their required shoes, and some apparel, available for online purchase through Curtain Call for Class. This is a convenient and very affordable way to quickly get all of the dance-wear necessary for classes.

Website: www.curtaincallforclass.com

Studio: 8 COUNT DANCE STUDIO AKRON OHIO

Passphrase: rockthe8

Once you login, click on your class from the drop-down list to see options, choose the dance-wear your child needs and then have it sent directly to your home!

Please use the requirements below to guide your purchases

If your child still has shoes and dance-wear from last season that fit the dress code guidelines, it is acceptable for them to wear it to class still. Our Curtain Call Store is open 24/7 online and is always stocked. You can buy at any time during the year if you need to get new shoes, tights, or apparel.

Specific Class Guidelines 2017-2018

Beautiful Beginnings Classes

(Tiny Toes, Broadway Combo, Little Flipz,)

Tiny Toes	Broadway Combo	Little Flipz
<p>Girls: Any color leotard, (skirts and tutus overtop are acceptable) pink tights, pink leather ballet shoes. Hair in a ponytail or bun.</p> <p>Boys: Any color T-Shirt and athletic pants. Black leather ballet shoes.</p> <p>(all items are available on our online store or at local dance stores)</p>	<p>Girls: Any color leotard, (skirts and tutus overtop are acceptable) pink tights, pink leather ballet shoes and black tap shoes with tap ties. Hair in a ponytail or bun.</p> <p>Boys: Any color T-Shirt and athletic pants. Black leather ballet shoes.</p> <p>(all items are available on our online store or at local dance stores)</p>	<p>Girls: Any color leotard, pink tights, barefoot. Hair in a ponytail or bun.</p> <p>Boys: Any color T-Shirt and athletic pants. Barefoot</p> <p>(all items are available on our online store or at local dance stores)</p>

School Age/ Pre-Professional Classes

Ballet/ Pointe

Girls All Levels: Hair must be secured in a tight and clean ballet bun. Pink tights and pink, split sole, leather ballet shoes are required.

Please log-in to www.curtaincallforclass and click on your ballet level in the drop-down tab to see leotard options in your required color.

Girls Ballet Required Leotard Colors

Beginning and Elementary Levels: Pink Camisole Leotard

Intermediate I-III Levels: Navy Camisole Leotard

Adv I-II Levels: Maroon Camisole Leotard

Pre-Professional Level: Black 8 Count Leotard (see Tara)

Boys: Solid white or black t-shirt (no print), black shorts or jazz pants, black ballet shoes.

Tap, Jazz, Acro, Contemporary, All Specialty Classes

Girls: Any color tank top, leotard, or half top/sports bra worn with dance shorts, capris, or leggings. Pants must not cover the bottom of the foot. Hair neatly pulled away from the face. Tights not required.

Shoes:

Tap- Black, Full Sole, Lace Up Tap Shoes

Jazz Beg- Elementary Levels: Tan, Split Sole, Slip On Jazz Shoes

Jazz Int I- Pre Pro Levels: Tan Dance Paws or Tan Turning Shoes

Acro- Barefoot

Contemporary- Tan Dance Paws or Tan Turning Shoes

Please log-on to www.curtaincallforclass.com to see your shoe requirements for each class. **Specialty Classes may wear jazz shoes, turning shoes, OR dance paws**

Boys: Any solid colored t-shirt (no print), basketball shorts, or mens black dance pants.

Hip Hop

All Levels Girls and Boys: Any loose fitting clothing is allowed (no jeans or street clothing permitted), clean tennis shoes. It is important that the dancer's Hip-Hop shoes be saved for class use only to protect our floors and keep them clear of debris and dirt.