

BALLET				
Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
Pre-Primary IA	Pink leotard with attached skirt & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Pre-Primary IB	Pink leotard with attached skirt & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Primary IA	Pink leotard with attached skirt & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Male: Pre-Primary IA, Pre-Primary IB, Primary IA	White t-shirt, black pants or shorts	None	Black ballet slippers	Pulled up (if long)
Primary IB (5–6)	Butter leotard with attached skirt & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Primary IC (6–9)	Butter leotard with attached skirt & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet I (7–11)	Turquoise leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Turquoise skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet IA (8–14)	Turquoise leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Turquoise skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet II (9–18)	Raspberry leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Raspberry skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet IIA (10–18)	Raspberry leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Raspberry skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet III (11–18)	Raspberry leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Raspberry skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet IV (12–18)	Sunset Coral leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Sunset Coral skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet V (13–18)	Sunset Coral leotard & ballet pink tights	Matching Sunset Coral skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet VI/Beg. Partnering (14 & up)	Black leotard & ballet pink tights (camisole or tank)	Black wrap skirt, medium length	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Ballet VII (14 & up)	Black leotard & ballet pink tights (camisole or tank)	Black wrap skirt, medium length	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Stretch & Strengthen & Pilates	Solid color leotard & pink or black tights	None	Bare feet	Hair down
Adult female students	Solid color leotard & pink or black tights	Optional skirt	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Variations	Black leotard & ballet pink tights	Practice tutu (see instructor)	Pointe shoes	Secured bun
Character (female students)	Solid color leotard & ballet pink tights	Character skirt (see instructor)	Black hard toe, leather sole, 1 1/2 or 2 in heel character shoe	Secured bun
Character (male students)	Same as ballet	Same as ballet	Same as ballet	Same as ballet
Dance for Boys	Fitted white t-shirt & grey tights/unitard	Men: Dance belt Men & Boys: canvas belt or heavy elastic to secure tights at waist	White socks, white ballet shoes	Pulled up (if long)
Young Men's	Fitted white t-shirt & grey tights/unitard	Men: Dance belt Men & Boys: canvas belt or heavy elastic to secure tights at waist	White socks, white ballet shoes	Pulled up (if long)
Men's	Fitted white t-shirt & grey tights/unitard	Men: Dance belt Men & Boys: canvas belt or heavy elastic to secure tights at waist	White socks, white ballet shoes	Pulled up (if long)

### BALLET DRESS CODE NOTES

Elastic sewn across each arch for all ballet slippers. Recommended brands for ballet slippers: Bloch, Capezio, Sansha, SoDanca. Not recommended brands for ballet slippers: Dancemates, Payless Shoes (too stiff). All hair should be worn in a bun, secured with bobby pins and hairnet so it does not become loose in class (please ask the teacher for instructions). All pink tights must be worn underneath the leotard and in pink ballet slippers.

Levels Pre-Primary IA–Primary IC students should have the cap sleeve leotard with attached skirt in appropriate colors Motionwear SKU #4354

Levels Ballet I–Ballet V students can choose from the following styles in the appropriate color: Motionwear SKU #2325/2516 (camisole) or SKU #2100/2201/2110 (tank)

All new leotard colors can be purchased from a local dance shop or from motionwear.com. Students will have the 2018–2019 season to transition into the new colors and dress code requirements.

### IMPORTANT DANCE INFORMATION FOR MALES

All male students should wear boy's or men's tights. They fit better than tights designed for females and are thicker, therefore more opaque. Under the tights, do not wear bulky underwear. Instead, wear a seamless brief or a dance belt, which is a type of athletic supporter designed for male dancers. Rather than t-shirts, males should consider athletic shirts with spandex or leotards that look like shirts, but stay tucked in much better. Buy leotards designed for boys or men so they will fit properly and be more comfortable.

## EARLY CHILDHOOD

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
Shall We Dance	Comfortable clothes for moving around or pink leotard & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Pulled away from face
Pre-Primary IA	Pink leotard with attached skirt & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Pre-Primary IB	Pink leotard & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Primary IA	Pink leotard & ballet pink tights	None	Pink ballet slippers	Secured bun
Male: Pre-Primary IA, Pre-Primary IB, Primary IA	White t-shirt, black pants or shorts	None	Black ballet slippers	Pulled up (if long)
Little Happy Feet	Comfortable clothes for moving around	None	Tap shoes	Ponytail
Pre-Jazz	Leotard & leggings/tights/biker shorts	None	Jazz or ballet shoes	Ponytail

**EARLY CHILDHOOD DRESS CODE NOTE** Levels Pre-Primary IA–Primary IC students should have the cap sleeve leotard with attached skirt in appropriate colors \*Motionwear SKU #4354\*.

## JAZZ & MUSICAL THEATRE DANCE

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
All female students (all levels)	Black leotard & footless tights; footless unitard; jazz pants; biker shorts	None	Black jazz split sole shoes	Ponytail
All male students (all levels)	Black or white fitted shirt or leotard & black jazz pants or biker shorts	Dance belt	Black jazz split sole shoes	Pulled up (if long)

## HIP-HOP

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
Hip-Hop all levels	Loose fitting clothing	No street shoes or denim	Bring an extra pair of closed toe sneakers that have not been worn outside	Ponytail

## MODERN

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
All female students (all levels)	Black leotard & black footless tights	None	Bare feet	Secured bun
All male students (all levels)	Black or white fitted shirt or leotard & black footless tights or biker shorts	Dance belt	Bare feet	Pulled up (if long)

**MODERN DRESS CODE NOTE** All tights should be worn over leotard.

## TAP

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
Tap Beginner I–Tap I	Athletic wear (NO jeans)	None	Flat, tie up, Oxford or Mary Jane tap shoe (black preferred)	Ponytail
Tap 2 & above (adult students)	Athletic wear (NO jeans)	None	Flat, lace up, oxford style tap shoe (black preferred)	Ponytail

**TAP DRESS CODE NOTE** Recommended brands are Capezio, Bloch, and SoDanca; Taps securely attached to shoe (avoid damage to floor); Preferably no split-soled shoes

## SOCIAL/CULTURAL DANCE

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
Cultural Dance (all levels)	Comfortable, loose fitting clothes or leotard & tights	None	Bare feet	Ponytail
Social Dance (all levels)	Clean appearance (NO sweat pants, tennis shoes or rubber soled shoes)	None	Jazz, leather or suede soled shoes	Ponytail

## FITNESS

Level(s)	Attire	Skirts & Belts	Shoes	Hair
Hip-Hop Heels	Athletic wear or comfortable clothes for moving around	None	Heels or sneakers	Hair out of face
Cardio Ballet	Athletic wear or comfortable clothes for moving around	None	Ballet slippers	Hair out of face
Move for Your Health	Athletic wear or comfortable clothes for moving around	None	Bare feet or socks	Hair out of face

**FITNESS DRESS CODE NOTE** Recommended to bring a towel and water bottle.

### WHERE TO PURCHASE DANCEWEAR

Motionwear: [motionwear.com](http://motionwear.com), 1.800.864.6315 | Discount Dance Supply: [discountdance.com](http://discountdance.com), 1.800.328.7107 | Weissman's: [dancewearsolutions.com](http://dancewearsolutions.com), 1.800.477.5410 | The Dance Bag, 64 Four Seasons Shopping Center, 314.435.9600 | Head to Toe Dancewear, 200 W. Argonne, 314.966.6258 | St. Louis Dancewear, 9644 Olive Blvd., 314.733.5678