



NEXT STEP DANCE STUDIO

Dress Code

Mini Sessions/Summer Classes/One Day Events (No Recital):

No dance shoes needed. Wear comfortable clothing that you can move in (tshirt, shorts/sweatpants, socks).

Regular Ongoing Classes (Sept. Through June With Annual Recital):

Appropriate dress is required. Proper class attire and hair style help create the disciplined environment required for dance classes. Required dance shoes and dress code apparel must be purchased from Next Step boutique.

In addition to saving dance parents time and money, the dress code:

- 1) Helps a young dancer understand they are going to a structured class (compared to unstructured playtime).
- 2) Ensures that the clothing is not a distraction during class.
- 3) Ensures that the dancer is appropriately dressed to be necessarily covered.
- 4) Ensures that each dancer has the same brand, style and color of shoes and tights for on stage performances.

The NSDS Dress Code is mandatory; however several times per season, dancers may wear whatever they choose to class per the theme. Check calendar for Special Weeks.

Male dancers wear required dance shoes, white tshirt & black shorts or sweatpants.

Female dancers hair must be pulled off the face, secured in pony tail or bun.

Twinkle Star Program (ages 2.5-6):

Twinkle Toddler and Me: Socks and comfortable Clothes to move in.

Twinkle Babies (ages 2-3): Pink Sparkle Tutu, Pink tights, Pink Ballet shoes.

Twinkle Star Level I (ages 3-4): Pink Sparkle Tutu, Pink tights, Pink Ballet shoes & Tan Tap Shoes.

Twinkle Star Level II (ages 4-5): Lilac Sparkle Star Tutu, Pink tights, Pink Ballet shoes & Tan Tap Shoes.

Twinkle Star Level III (ages 5-6): Soft Blue Sparkle Tutu, Pink tights, Pink Ballet shoes & Tan Tap Shoes.

Twinkle Star Acro/Jazz: (Ages 4-6) Black Leotard with Black Booty Shorts, Tan Footless tights & Pink Ballet shoes.



Petite Program (ages 6-9 years old):

Ballet: Black Leotard, Pink Tights, Pink Ballet Shoes,

Tap: Black Leotard, Pink tights, Tan Tap Shoes

Jazz: Black Leotard, Pink Tights & Tan Jazz Shoes

Hip Hop: Sweat Pants/Leggings, Any T-shirt, Black Pastry Hip Hop Shoes

Lyrical: Black Leotard, Tan Footless tights & Lyrical Shoes



Int. Program (ages 9-11 years old):

Ballet: Black Leotard, Pink Tights, Pink Ballet Shoes,

Tap: Black Leotard, Pink tights, Black Tie Tap Shoes

Jazz: Black Leotard, Pink Tights & Tan Jazz Shoes

Hip Hop: Sweat Pants/Leggings, Any T-shirt, Black Pastry Hip Hop Shoes

Lyrical: Black Leotard, Tan Footless Tights, Lyrical Shoes



Middle/High School Program (ages 12-18 years old):

Hip Hop: Sweat Pants or Leggings, Any T-shirt, Black Pastry Hip Hop Shoes

Jazz: Solid Color Leotard, Tan Tights, Black Booty Shorts, Tan Jazz Shoes

Lyrical: Solid Color Leotard, Tan Footless Tights, Black Booty Shorts, Lyrical Shoes



Ballet/Pointe:

Pre-Pointe: Black Leotard, Pink Tights, Pink Ballet Shoes

Pointe: Black Leotard, Pink Tights, Pink Ballet Shoes

