

Appropriate Attire



RECREATIONAL CLASSES

Items can be purchased at any dance apparel provider:

- Starburst Dancewear – 1175 Wilson St East, Hamilton
- Step 'N Out – 1314 Upper Wentworth St, Hamilton

- We are also happy to offer an easy online shopping experience through our website in partnership with Dance Happy Dancewear and Inspiration Dancewear: <https://www.ancasterdancearts.ca/shop>

*Please put dancer's name in ALL of your dancewear and shoes

*Jeans are not permitted in ANY class

*Hair must be pulled away from the face in ALL classes and secured in a bun for BALLET

Footwear	Uniform (Gender Neutral)
Acro/Tumble Tots/Tumbling	
Bare Feet	- Black Bodysuit/Leotard, crop top or tight fitting tank top
	- Black Shorts or leggings (nude tights optional)
	- NO headbands, bows or hair accessories
	- Please be mindful of hairstyles, as dancers will be going upside down and balancing on their heads. Clothing should be form-fitting to prevent shirts from falling over the face during movement. We highly recommend dancers wear black bodysuits/leotards for Acro and tumbling classes.
Pre-Dance/Ballet	
Age 2-4: Ballet Pink SoDanca	- Black or Pink Bodysuit with ballerina pink tights (skirt optional) OR Tight-fitting T-shirt and black shorts or leggings
Age 5+: SoDanca or Bloch Canvas pink ballet slippers without drawstring	- Black Bodysuit with ballerina pink tights (skirt optional) OR Tight-fitting T-shirt and black shorts or leggings
Hip Hop/Daytime Dance	
Clean, indoor only dry running shoes (non- marking)	- Black Bodysuit, crop top, tank top or t-shirt
	- Black Shorts, leggings or track pants
Jazz/Musical Theatre	
Age 3+: Black Jazz SoDanca or Bloch gore boot	- Black Bodysuit, crop top, tank top or t-shirt
	- Black Shorts or leggings (nude tights optional)
Tap	
Age 3-6: Black Capezio patent leather "Mary Jane" or "Tyette" tap shoes	- Black Bodysuit, crop top, tank top or t-shirt
Age 7+: Black tap shoes (any style)	- Black Shorts or leggings (nude tights optional)
Lyrical/Contemporary	
Nude turners, half soles or foot paws	- Black Bodysuit, crop top, tank top or t-shirt
	- Black Shorts or leggings (nude tights optional)

