

**DANCERS TO PLEASE ARRIVE AT THE THEATRE ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THE PERFORMANCE** i.e. 10am for the 11am show; 1:30pm for the 2:30pm show; 5pm for the 6pm show, unless already at the theatre OR if the dancer is only performing in Act 2 of the show. For dancers in Act 2 only, please arrive at the start of the recital you are performing in unless told otherwise (i.e. 11am, 2:30pm or 6pm)

### **General**

- Please name **ALL** your belongings 😊
- We suggest younger students bring a book or colouring in books and pencils in case they have long breaks between dances or before pick up. NB: No felt pens or crayons please
- NO jewellery is to be worn. Please cover earrings with skin coloured tape or remove them before coming to the theatre. This is mainly to avoid costumes getting caught on earrings, especially with quick changes
- Please conceal body art and remove any fake tattoos
- NO nail polish please
- Flesh coloured, high-cut underwear is preferred so that it is not visible under the costumes
- For dancers needing to wear a bra, please consider your costume – black bra under a black costume, nude (skin colour) bra under lighter costumes please. Some costumes may require a strapless bra. If in doubt, please check with your teachers

### **Snacks and Meal Breaks**

- On recital day the students can have their meal breaks in their dressing room, or outside their dressing rooms, once they have finished their final dance in the performance. We suggest bringing a large packed lunch/dinner and plenty of water
- NO food can be consumed when in costume. Thank you for respecting this request
- Please pack a named water bottle and dry snack food
- Please ensure food is easy to eat and does not require heating

### **Hair and Make Up**

- **Hair** – all dancers please have hair in a very tidy BUN (with no centre part) unless told otherwise (see below). All students need to bring spare hair clips, their own hair spray & a fine toothed comb. Step by step instructions for how to do a **tidy and secure bun** can be found in the attachment.

- **NB ALL PRE SYLLABUS DANCERS** (Splish Splash, Washing Machine, 1920s, Car Wash) will have two low pigtails, they will NOT require a bun.

- **NB ALL HIP HOP DANCERS** will require a slick, high pony tail

- **Make up** – Foundation, Blusher, Mascara, Red lipstick. Eyeshadow in brown tones. Eyebrow pencil to darken light brows. Eyeliner from Grade 1 Jazz/Grade 2 Ballet up, but no “flicks”. Older students may wear false eyelashes.

A video tutorial is available on our Facebook page here:

<https://www.facebook.com/annalee.schoolofdance/videos/1792672654340430/>

## **What to bring**

### **Ballet and Pre School Students**

- Pink Ballet Tights (no white tights please)
- Proper Ballet Shoes with elastic (no decorations or ribbons please)
- Character shoes or Pointe Shoes (if required)
- Any leotard required for costumes. If unsure please bring your class uniform leotard. (Pink Chloe dress is not required)

### **All Jazz Students**

- Tan jazz shoes
- Black jazz shorts if required (if unsure bring your full class uniform in case)
- Black leotard if required (if unsure bring your full class uniform in case)
- Tan **non-shimmer** jazz tights for all jazz students
  - Available from PW Dance for all ages, & a limited size range at Farmers

### **Contemporary Students**

- Beginner – Just yourselves!
- Preparatory – Own black class leotard, black jazz shorts, black full length tights (available from Kmart or the Warehouse), foot thongs
- Junior – Black full length leggings, foot thongs
- Intermediate/Senior – foot thongs
- NB please do not buy new leotards or jazz shorts, let us know if you do not have these and we can supply them

### **Hip Hop Students**

- Please check with your class teacher