

**Joleen's Starz of the South**  
**DRESS CODE/SHOE POLICY 2017-18**

**DANCEWEAR**

\*Tap/Jazz//Hip Hop/Creative Movement- may wear the following- Any style leotard, any color tights or leggings, ballet skirts(students ages 3-5, attached to leotard only, please), any color dance shorts (not sports shorts), **tight** fitted tank tops, legwarmers/long socks are ok. No baggy clothing such as t-shirts, jean shorts, or school uniform clothing. If in doubt, do not wear it! Students may be asked to sit out of class if dress code is not followed. 2 PIECES ARE ALLOWED, but modest. Full fitted Sports Bras are OK. All female students must wear tights for sanitary purposes in all classes.

\*Lyrical/Contemporary/Leaps & Turns classes-same as above except tights must be footless or stirrup.

\*Musical Theatre- same as above, except students may wear comfortable clothing if no dance class on the same day.

\*Acro-Tumbling- NO EXCEPTIONS- May wear the following – Any color style leotard, bike leotard, leotard with dance shorts(not sport shorts). NO tanks, clothing that slides, falls overhead. This is for injury prevention for the student and the instructor. Loose fitting clothing can get caught and tangled while spotting. Any color footless or stirrup tights/leggings may be worn.

\*Ballet/Pointe- Jr's –Advanced Any style BLACK leotard with pink tights ONLY

\*Team Rehearsals- BLACK leotard with any color tights.

\*Students that transition from multiple classes- Start out with base for ballet, then they may layer for other classes. Be sure to ALWAYS have back-up or add-on dancewear packed in dance bag. Time is not given for students to change outfits in between classes. Only restroom & water break.

**HAIR**

All students must wear hair pulled up and away from face for all classes. Students in Level 2-4 ballet classes are expected to know how to make a bun and will be required to have their hair pulled in a bun for class. Students with shorter hair will be given alternative "style" to wear. Dress the part, look the part, be a disciplined dancer. Always keep bobby pins, ponytail holders, hair net, hair brush and hairspray in your dance bag at all times. Exceptions are made for Tiny Tot/Creative Movement Students.

**FOOTWEAR**

**- ALL SHOES MUST BE LABELED WITH STUDENT NAME ON THE INSIDE OF EACH SHOE.**

All students are encouraged to have a dance bag to store belongings/notes/etc. in.

Tap-Ages 3-5-Tan Buckle Taps/Dark Tan Revolution Brand Preferred

Tap-Ages 6 & up- Tan Slip on Tap Shoes/Dark Tan Revolution Brand Preferred.

Jazz-Tan Slip- On Jazz shoes/Dark Tan Revolution Brand Preferred. Baton students will be measured for baton size and must order through the studio.

Ballet-Pink leather ballet shoes NO STRINGS! (We will trim any strings from shoes if needed. Classic Pink Revolution Brand Preferred. No house or dress-up slippers.

Ballet JR-Teen-SR –Canvas or Leather Classic Pink any brand is acceptable with strings trimmed close. As dancers advance, shoe comfort and fit is best. For performances- Classic Pink Revolution Brand/Split Sole Preferred or style and color matched.

Hip-Hop-Black Dance Sneaker/Tennis shoes are acceptable, but black dance sneaker needed for performing. Revolution Brand Preferred. Teen classes may have different style for performances.

Lyrical-Any Style Foot Undeez/Paws or Half Sole Turners ~ Preferred brands available in studio. For recital- specific type will be announced after costumes are chosen

Musical Theatre- Any comfortable shoes or bare feet are fine. Shoes for performance will be addressed closer to performance times.

Acrobatics-No shoes, bare feet/NO SOCKS or footed tights

\*\*Male Students will be advised at registration.

\*\*After school-bus rider students must have their dance attire and shoes packed in a dance bag, labeled with name.

**\*\*Parent will be notified if student refuses to wear dance clothing, shoes, or do not respect the hair policy**