MDC Class Dress Code

*Students are expected to come **prepared** to every class in proper attire with their hair off the face/pulled back into a low dance bun (required for ballet) or a tight low ponytail. Loose accessories are not permitted (necklaces, dangle earrings, etc.). Students will be required to wear MDC apparel and the correct dance shoes.*

***Girls:** All classes require a black MDC leotard. Students may wear all black MDC spandex shorts in all classes, except ballet. Students may add all black joggers for hip hop.*

Colorful leotards and tutus permitted for all toddler classes! Tumbling students can wear any leotard (boys can wear athletic wear)!

***All Ballet:** Black MDC leotard, Pink Tights & Pink Canvas Shoes. No spandex shorts allowed. Boys should wear compression pants, black socks, black ballet shoes and a black t shirt.*

***Pointè:** Same as ballet attire & Pink Pointè Shoes.*

***Lyrical/Contemporary:** Nude canvas lyrical shoe. You should order shoes through the studio to ensure they are the correct shoes for recital. Level 1-Weissmans. Level 2/3-Capezio.*

***All Hip Hop:** Clean tennis shoes (please don't wear shoes worn outside the studio). Students may wear all black sweatpants over leotard. Boys can wear all black sweatpants or athletic shorts.*

***All Jazz:** Slip on jazz shoes or canvas lyrical shoe - style & color TBD after costumes are finalized.*

***All Pom Pon:** Slip on jazz shoes or nude canvas lyrical shoe - Style & color TBD after costumes are finalized.*

***Toddler Tap:** Mary Jane tap shoes. Color TBD after costumes are finalized. Please order shoes through the studio to ensure they are the correct shoes for the recital.*

***Leveled Tap:** Slip on tap shoes. Split sole recommended for experienced tap dancers. Color TBD after costumes are finalized.*

***Musical Theatre:** Jazz shoes, turners or character shoes - TBD when costumes are finalized.*

***Acrobatics:** Barefoot to start - TBD when costumes are finalized.*

***Company Rehearsals & Stretch, Tech & Strengthen:** Shoes vary. Dancers should bring all of their dance shoes.*

*****All female performers should have multiple leotards. If your child doesn't wear the correct attire to class, they will not be able to participate.*****

For your convenience, and to ensure that you have the proper shoes/apparel, all of these items can be purchased at the studio!

*****For classes that shoe colors are TBD because they are based off of costumes: Any dance shoe, or barefoot will be allowed until we determine the color/style needed for our performance. We just don't want to purchase one color and have it not match the costume, so then you have to purchase another!*****