

Affinity Illinois Dance Center Dress Code

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Dance Beginnings:

- Attire: Clothes they can easily move in and feel comfortable in. Please no jeans or jean shorts.
- Shoes: Pink or skin colored Ballet shoes (preferred) or socks and tap shoes (black preferred).
- Hair: Pulled back away from face (this can include: buns, ponytails, braids, etc)

Dance Jr.:

- Attire: Clothes they can easily move in and feel comfortable in. Please no jeans or jean shorts.
- Shoes: Pink or skin colored ballet shoes (preferred) or socks.
- Hair: Pulled back away from face (this can include: buns, ponytails, braids, etc)

Beginning Dance Technique:

- Attire: Leotard (preferred) and tights, leggings, shorts, or skirt. I understand that some dancers have trouble finding leotards that feel comfortable or fit well and in that case, they can wear a fitted t-shirt or tank top. It's important at this level for me to be able to see knees and ankles so no baggy pants, please.
- Shoes: Pink or skin colored ballet shoes (preferred) or socks.
- Hair: Pulled back away from face (this can include: buns, ponytails, braids, etc)

Intermediate 1:

- Attire: Leotard (preferred) and tights, leggings, shorts, or skirt. I understand that some dancers have trouble finding leotards that feel comfortable or fit well and in that case, they can wear a fitted t-shirt or tank top. It's important at this level for me to be able to see knees, ankles, hips, and back alignment, so no baggy pants or loose shirts, please.
- Shoes: Pink or skin colored ballet shoes and black jazz shoes (optional: not a requirement for classes, but will be needed if choosing to perform).
- Hair: Ballet bun (preferred)

Intermediate 2/Advanced:

- Attire: Leotard and pink or skin colored tights (convertible), students can choose to wear shorts or a skirt as well. It is important for me to be able to see all joints and muscles working at this level. If a student needs an accommodation, please let me know and we can discuss it.
- Pink or skin colored ballet shoes and black jazz shoes
- Hair: Ballet bun