

# Miller Marley Student Attire Guidelines

## General Student Attire Guidelines

In order to present a professional image, students should come to class dressed in the proper dance attire as follows:

- Dancers should always wear a cover-up when going to and from the studio.
- Students should appear neat and well groomed.
- Hair should be pulled back and out of the dancer's face. A classical ballet bun is required for all ballet classes.
- Label all dance bags, shoes, water bottles and miscellaneous apparel with the student's first and last name.
- Please note that preferences as to specific shoes and clothing may vary among instructors and age groups. Check the list below to determine if your child's instructor has certain requirements pertaining to attire.
- Bracelets, necklaces, dangling earrings, fit bits, watches, elastic around the wrist or any other accessories other than those listed above are prohibited.

## Ballet Classes

### Apparel for Girls

#### Leotard

Miller Marley requires a specific leotard color for each ballet level. Dancers must purchase their leotards from the Dancewear Boutique. The boutique offers a variety of leotard styles and colors in both child and adult sizes.

The designated leotard colors are as follows:

K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade Pre-Ballet White

Ballet 1 Rose

Ballet 2 French Blue

Ballet 3 Mint

Ballet 4 Pacific

Ballet 5 Lilac

Ballet 6 Light Grey

Ballet 7 Maroon

Ballet 8 Black

#### Shoes and Tights

Levels K - 2 (girls all ages and adults)

Pink canvas split-sole ballet shoes

Pink ballet tights w/seam - to be worn under the leotard

Levels 3 – 8 (girls all ages and adults)

Pink canvas split-sole ballet shoes

Pink ballet tights w/seam – to be worn under the leotard

Pre-pointe shoes for students enrolled in Pre-Pointe 4

Pointe shoes for those students' in Pointe 5 and up

## Apparel for Boys

### Levels 1 - 2 (boys all ages and adults)

Black canvas ballet shoes  
Black biker length shorts  
Black or white fitted t-shirt

### Levels 3 – 8 (boys all ages and adults)

Black canvas ballet shoes  
black or grey tights or bike shorts  
Black or white fitted t-shirt  
Dance belt preferred

## Jazz Classes – Includes: Broadway, Contemporary Jazz, Leaps & Turns

## Apparel for Girls

### Jazz Levels 1-3

Tan, split-sole, slip-on jazz shoes  
leotard – any style, black  
bootie shorts, tights or leggings

### Jazz Levels 4 & Up

Tan, split-sole, slip-on jazz shoes  
leotard – any style, color, or sports bra  
tights, tight-fitting tank tops, dance tops, or  
t-shirts, bootie shorts

## Apparel for Boys

### Jazz Levels 1-3

Black, split-sole, slip-on Jazz Shoes  
t-shirt  
black dance shorts

### Jazz Levels 4 & Up

Black, split-sole, slip-on Jazz Shoes  
t-shirt  
black dance shorts  
dance belt preferred

## Lyrical Jazz Classes – All Levels

## Apparel for Girls

“Foot Undies” or bare feet  
any style leotard or sports bra  
tight-fitted tank top, dance top  
bootie shorts, leggings

## Apparel for Boys

“Foot Undies” or bare feet  
t-shirt  
dance shorts  
dance belt preferred

## Hip Hop Classes – All Levels

## Apparel for Girls & Boys

Flat-sole tennis shoes, any color, style  
loose, comfortable clothing

## Tiny Two's, Preschool Combo 1, Preschool Combo 2, and Kindergarten Combo Apparel for Girls

### General Student Attire Guidelines

We have found the simpler the child is dressed, the better he or she will perform in dance class. Please adhere to the following proper dance attire:

- Pink leotard and pink tights
- Leotard style can come with any sleeve length and / or an attached skirt.

This attire is required for students in our Tiny Two's, Preschool 1, Preschool 2, and Kindergarten Combo classes.

### Shoes – Levels Tiny Twos, Preschool 1 & 2

\*Black patent tap shoes

Pink leather ballet shoes

Note: Tiny Twos will begin their work in ballet shoes with the **black patent tap shoes** needed around January.

\*If applicable, please remove the ribbon ties from the girl's tap shoes and replace with elastic tap ties that can be purchased in the studio office.

### Shoes – Level Kindergarten

Tan, leather oxford tap shoe

Pink canvas split-sole ballet shoes

### Attire / Shoes – Level 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Combo

Leotard – any style, black

bootie shorts, tan tights

Tan, leather oxford tap shoe

Tan, split-sole, slip-on jazz shoes

## Apparel for Boys

Levels Preschool 1 & 2, Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Combo

Black leather, full sole, jazz tap oxfords

Black leather, slip-on, split-sole jazz shoes

black / white t-shirt

black sports shorts

### Gentle Reminders - All Combo Classes

- Please label all shoes and dance bags with your child's first and last name.
- Please remember to bring your child's dance bag each week with both pairs of shoes.

## Tap Classes

All Levels 1-3 classes are required to wear tan, full sole leather oxford tap shoes to class. These adopted shoes will be required for the Dance Showcase and Recital. Levels 7, 8, and 9 may be asked to tan Character Taps for the Dance Showcase.

## Apparel for Girls

### Tap Levels 1-3

Tan, leather, full-sole Jazz Tap Oxfords  
leotard – any style, color  
Socks or tights with dance shorts

### Tap Levels 4 & Up

Tan, leather, full-sole Jazz Tap Oxfords  
leotard – any style, color  
tight-fitted tank tops, dance tops, or t-shirts  
socks or tights, black shorts  
dance belt preferred

## Apparel for Boys

### Tap All Levels

Black, leather, full-sole Jazz Tap Oxfords  
t-shirt  
black jazz pants or black shorts

## PBT Apparel for Beginning, Junior and Intermediate Levels

### PBT for Girls

Black leotard with booty shorts or ballet class leotard / tights.  
Hair must be in a high bun or braids.

### PBT for Boys

White t-shirt and black athletic shorts