



Mock Recital WEEK

We are excited to announce that
Mock Recital Week will take place from:

MONDAY, MAY 11th - SATURDAY, MAY 16th

Dancers should arrive to their scheduled class in
full costume, with hair and makeup completed.

This is a crucial step in preparing our dancers for the big day!

WHAT TO EXPECT:

For dancers with multiple routines in a single day, please ensure all costumes are packed in a **labeled garment bag** to keep everything organized and secure. If you need one, we have garment bags (including a hanger) available for purchase at the front desk for \$10.

Ensure **all items** - costumes, tights, shoes, accessories, and bags - are **clearly labeled with your child's name** to prevent any mix-ups.

HAIR & MAKEUP GUIDELINES:

Hair should be styled in a **slicked-back bun**, parted down the middle, and secured at the center back of the head. Use hairspray and gel to tame flyaways. **All classes** will wear a bun!!

Makeup is required for all students (excluding boys). Just a reminder that stage lights are much stronger than everyday lighting and can wash out a performer's face. Applying makeup as outlined ensures your dancer's features and hard work stay visible for the audience and video!

Stage Makeup will include:

- Primer
- Foundation matching the child's skin tone
- Blush
- Eye shadow
- Eyeliner
- Mascara
- Lipstick (burgundy is recommended; pink is acceptable for younger dancers)
- A touch of sparkle is welcome and fun!

COSTUME & TIGHTS PREPARATION:

Hang costumes to remove wrinkles; tutus should be hung upside down to maintain shape. Costumes should not be in the plastic bags they came in!

Verify that all costume pieces, shoes, and accessories are present and in good condition.

Tights must be brand new for the recital:

- **Pink tights** for ballet classes
- **Tan tights** for all other classes

Tights are available for purchase at the studio:

- Child sizes: \$12.00
- Adult sizes: \$15.00

We recommend having a backup pair on hand.

CLASS-SPECIFIC NOTES:

5/6 Combo Classes (Ms. Kim, Friday at 4pm & Ms. Kat, Saturday at 10am): Please have your child wear their ballet costume first and bring the jazz costume for changing. We will not be changing tights during class time.

Ms. Ria's Teen Jazz/Lyrical Class (Wednesday 7): Wear the jazz costume and bring the lyrical costume to change into.

Ms. Gigi's Wednesday 5pm "MJ" dance: Girls will have a low slicked back pony tail so they can wear the hats! If your child has a dance before MJ on the rundown, they will come to the recital with a BUN. If this is their only dance, they will come to recital with a PONYTAIL.

ATTENDANCE REMINDER:

With only a few weeks left until the recital, consistent attendance is vital. These rehearsals ensure that every dancer feels confident and prepared for recital day.