

FootLoose Dance Studio Spring 2021 “We Choose To Dance” Showcase Costume Information

Dress Rehearsal will be on Saturday, June 5th, 2021

****Below you will find detailed information that outlines the costumes, accessories, shoes and hair for each class for the Spring 2021 Showcase. Each class/genre has a list of what is included in the costume package that was purchased. Also what the parent/student is responsible for obtaining/purchasing on their own to wear with the costume.**

**The studio carries tights and dance shoes for purchase. However, the stock for shoes and tights kept in-house is limited in quantity.

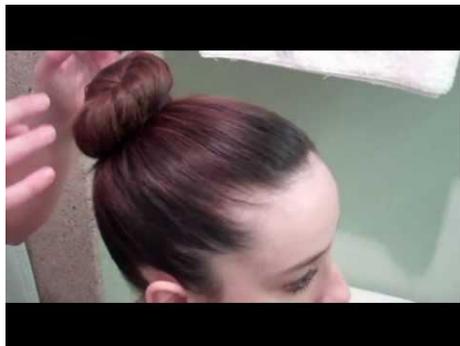
**Please keep in mind that tights for the showcase have to be dancewear tights. They must go over your dancer's foot and not be capris style. Hose and fashion tights are very different from tights designed for dance. Please purchase your tights from FootLoose or online from a dance supply store. Also, several of our classes require tan tights. Please keep in mind that dance tights come in various shades of skin tone such as light suntan, suntan, caramel, etc. Please choose the shade that best matches the individual's skin color.

We measure the dancers for costumes prior to ordering them from our Costume manufacturer. However, the costumes are not custom-made for each dancer. They are generic sizes such as Small, Medium, Large, etc. The costumes may require minor alterations like a shoulder-strap needing to be tightened. We require our dancers to try on their costumes before they go home. We will not send any costumes that do not fit or that require more than minor adjustments. Please have your dancer try on the costume for you at home. **It is absolutely necessary to make any alterations to straps, pant length, etc. to help them feel confident on stage before dress rehearsal.

**There is a specific hairstyle assigned for each class/genre. Those are listed below. We suggest using plenty of hair pins (bobby), hair gel, hair spray, etc. on Dress Rehearsal and Showcase Day. We live in a humid

climate and hair products help to keep the hairstyles in place and neat for performances. Makeup for dress rehearsal and show day should be natural colors. Neutral colors on the eyes like browns, beiges, golds. Please avoid purples, greens, blues, etc. Mascara and eyeliner help eyes to stand out on stage. Please avoid bright pink lip color. Makeup for the younger kids (ages 2.5-7) is optional. We do suggest a little something like blush or gloss to prevent them from looking washed out on video and in pictures.

** Many classes require a “high bun” or “low bun” for the hairstyle. Here are a few images of a “high bun” or “low bun”. Hair in a high bun should be slicked back without a part. Hair in a low bun should have a center part. You may use a bun -maker but it is not required. Please refrain from additional braids, curls, rhinestone hair accessories, etc. We like all of our dancers to wear the same hairstyle, costume, shoes, etc. so we have a nice uniform look on stage.



** Dancers that wear bras should wear a bra with flesh color thin straps or with clear straps. Girls should not wear underwear for any Ballet, Jazz, Contemporary or Tap classes. Tights are a dancer’s underwear. It is

commonplace in the dance world. Underwear sticking out of a tutu or leotard is not pleasing to the eye.

** There is no jewelry allowed on dress rehearsal or showcase day. No earrings, bracelets, necklaces, etc. The only jewelry allowed is a wedding ring. No nail polish on fingers or toes unless it is a nude or clear shade. In the past we have asked dancers to take off these items, and some valuable possessions have become lost. FootLoose will not be held responsible for negligence on the student or parent's part for not following this request if expensive jewelry is lost.

** Place a name on the tags of your dancer's costume and on the INSIDE of their dance shoes. Please do not write your dancer's name on the bottom of your dance shoe as this will be visible on stage- Ballet shoes may be canvas or leather.

** Please bring your Season T-Shirt with you to Showcase and wear them over the costume for Dress Rehearsal. They all look the same, so please write your dancer's name on the tag.

***The theme for the Spring 2021 Showcase is "We Choose to Dance".
The costume information is listed by Act.*

Act 1: WE CHOOSE TO PERFORM

1. Lumos- Miuta Price
2. Lesson- Lilyana Roque
3. Staccato- FootLoose Elite

Act 2 : WE CHOOSE TO STAND TALL

4. Colors of the Wind - Ballet/Tap 2.5-4

Included in Costume Package: Juniper tutu and hair piece

Student Responsible for: pink tights, pink ballet shoes, and white face mask

Hair: Hair in a high bun with hair piece on the right side of the bun

5. Bluebirds Variations - Ballet Beginning Level

Included in Costume Package: black fringe dress and rhinestone applique

Student Responsible for: ballet pink tights, ballet pink ballet shoes, and navy blue face mask

Hair: Hair in a low bun with beaded applique around the bun

6. You're Never Dressed Without a Smile- Ballet/Tap 4-7

Included in Costume Package: Emerald tulle/tricot dress and hair bow

Student Responsible for: black tights, black tap shoes, and black face mask

Hair: Hair low bun with the bow centered

7. Emeralds- Ballet Intermediate Level

Included in Costume Package: Forest tutu and gold hair piece

Student Responsible for: pink tights, pink ballet shoes, and nude face mask

Hair: High bun with the headpiece in front of the bun

8. Blue- Contemporary Intermediate Level

Included in Costume Package: Black dress and rhinestone barrettes

Student Responsible for: Nude paws, tan tights, and black face mask

Hair: Low bun with barrettes on the right

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Act 3 : WE CHOOSE TO SMILE

9. The Business of Love- Jazz Beginning Level

Included in Costume Package: Red and black sheer top dress and large rhinestone barrette

Student Responsible for: black tights, black jazz shoes, and black face mask

Hair: Hair in low bun with large barrette on the right

10. Fuego- Ballet/Jazz 5-7

Included in Costume Package: Red Biketard, Crystal Bun Wrap

Student Responsible for: black tights, black jazz shoes, and black face mask

Hair: Hair in low ponytail with crystal bun wrap

11. A Brand New Day- Broadway Fundamentals

Included in Costume Package: Gold fringed leotard, rhinestone barrettes

Student Responsible for: black tights, black jazz shoes, and black face mask

Hair: Hair in low bun with barrettes on the right

12. Watch Me Shine- Jazz Funk Fundamentals

Included in Costume Package: Lipstick fringed dress, Crystal bun wrap, Rhinestone choker

Student Responsible for: black tights, black jazz shoes, and black face mask

Hair: Hair in low bun with crystal bun wrap

Act 4 : WE CHOOSE TO GET DOWN

13. Only Be Mine- Hip Hop Beginning Level

See Note Below*

14. The Way You Make Me Feel- Hip Hop/Creative Movement 4-7

Included in Costume Package: Girls: Three piece set includes crop top, jacket and shorts

Not included (black leotard will be optional if the dancers want to wear it)

Boys: Three piece costume includes tank, jacket and pants

Student Responsible for: black and white high or low top converse shoes, black socks, and black face mask

Hair: Hair in a low ponytail Boys: Hair slicked back or pulled away from the face

15. Gotta Do Everything- Hip Hop Intermediate Level

See Note Below*

Note:

Beginning Level and Intermediate Hip-Hop Classes

Costume: Black Pants & FootLoose T-shirt

All Hip-Hop dancers must wear Black and White High or Low top Converse and black socks, and black face masks.

Converse and black socks are not included in the Costume Package and the Student is responsible for obtaining them.

Hair: Must be worn in a High Ponytail

Boys: Hair slicked back or pulled away from the face