



## DRESS CODE POLICIES

### 2025-2026

#### GENERAL

1. KFDA enforces a strict dress code to promote safety, discipline, and uniformity in all classes. Proper dress allows instructors to view proper body alignment and muscle use.
2. No street clothes are permitted in dance classes (no jeans, or non-stretch clothes are allowed).
3. Students are responsible for being ready for class. Students should follow all dress code guidelines and come to class in appropriate dance attire and shoes.

#### PURCHASE INFO

1. Dance shoes and some attire can be purchased through the KFDA Online Store see <https://www.shopnimbly.com/kfoxdance>). Dancewear and shoes can also be purchased at this local retailer:  
Tiger Wear and Dancer's Lair  
14452 LA-44, Suite D, Gonzales, LA 70737.

It is recommended you avoid purchasing dance shoes from large chain stores such as Target and Walmart. These shoes are usually very low quality. When purchasing dance wear and shoes, please follow color and style requirements listed on the following pages.

#### SHOES & APPAREL

1. Dance shoes should NOT be worn outside of the dance studio at any time.
2. Ballet shoestrings should be tucked inside the shoe or cut off.
3. Please be aware of what shoes are required for each class your dancer is enrolled in. Also take note of the color of shoes needed as well.
4. No jewelry is allowed except for small post earrings.
5. **Do not send young children to class with any dress-up jewelry or accessories such as crowns, tiaras, necklaces, and bracelets.** These items create a distraction for young dancers and disrupt the class. We would hate to have any of our dancers in tears if their accessories were to break during class.
6. **Do not send your children to class with dolls and stuffed animals, unless otherwise specified by the instructor.**
7. Female students should not wear underwear when wearing tights. Dance tights act as underwear thus eliminating the need for traditional underwear. Leotards should be worn with tights, booty/biker shorts, or leggings.

# **DRESS CODE POLICIES**

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### **HAIR**

1. **Hair should be pulled back away from the dancer's face for all classes, a bun, ponytail, or braid(s) are preferred.**

### **GROOMING**

1. Proper hygiene is essential in all aspects of life, but crucial in the dance world. In the dance studio where activities induce sweat and dancers are moving through space, odors can become a terrible distraction. It can be an embarrassment for students, especially if mentioned aloud by an insensitive classmate. To avoid problems such as these, please be sure all dancewear is laundered after each use, hair and bodies should be kept clean, and deodorant should be a consideration for all students age 8 and up for dance class.
2. Please do not spray perfume prior to dance class or use in lieu of cleanliness as this will create an offensive odor when mixed with sweat and may aggravate the allergies of other (sensitive) students.

### **CONSEQUENCES**

1. Dancers who do not dress appropriately for class will be given a reminder card.
2. If a dancer returns to class for a second time and does not adhere to the required dress code, the dancer will be asked to leave/or sit in the lobby, and a parent will be contacted.

**PLEASE SEE THE FOLLOWING PAGES  
FOR OUR CLASS DRESS REQUIREMENTS**

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

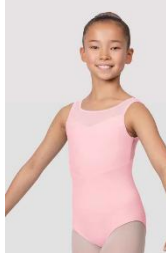
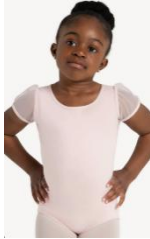
## TINY TWOS COMBO CLASS

Age 2

### GIRLS

#### DANCEWEAR

- Pink dance dress (leotard with skirt attached) or pink leotard; no separate skirt and leotard
- Or
- Pink leotard



### TIGHTS

- Pink dance tights
- Light pink - \*not peachy-pink\*
  - Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



### SHOES

Pink ballet shoes



### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



### SHOES

Black ballet shoes or black jazz shoes



# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## TERRIFIC THREES COMBO CLASS

Age 3

GIRLS	BOYS
DANCEWEAR	DANCEWEAR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pink dance dress (leotard with skirt attached) or pink leotard; no separate skirt and leotard</li> <li>Or</li> <li>• Pink leotard</li> </ul> <div data-bbox="86 510 252 749"></div> <div data-bbox="346 510 495 749"></div> <div data-bbox="594 510 759 765"></div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• White or black T-shirt</li> <li>• Black athletic shorts or pants</li> </ul> <div data-bbox="874 430 991 618"></div> <div data-bbox="1033 430 1159 618"></div> <div data-bbox="1205 430 1321 618"></div> <div data-bbox="1355 430 1456 618"></div> <div data-bbox="971 643 1030 824"></div> <div data-bbox="1098 643 1210 834"></div> <div data-bbox="1264 643 1422 817"></div>
TIGHTS	
<p>Pink dance tights</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light pink - *not peachy-pink*</li> <li>• Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)</li> </ul> <div data-bbox="659 834 802 1023"></div>	
SHOES	SHOES
<p>Pink ballet shoes</p> <div data-bbox="625 1132 799 1219"></div>	<p>Black ballet shoes or black jazz shoes</p> <div data-bbox="1287 1132 1452 1224"></div>
<p>Tan buckle tap shoes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone</li> <li>• Velcro or Buckle</li> <li>“Mary Jane” style - *NO TIES*</li> </ul> <div data-bbox="606 1329 810 1454"></div> <div data-bbox="625 1493 783 1611"></div>	<p>Black tie or slip-on tap shoes</p> <div data-bbox="1278 1321 1456 1464"></div> <div data-bbox="1267 1514 1441 1607"></div>

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## PRE-SCHOOL COMBO CLASS

Age 4 & 5

### GIRLS

#### DANCEWEAR

- Pink or black dance dress (leotard with skirt attached), no separate skirt and leotard

Or

- Pink or black leotard



#### TIGHTS

Pink dance tights

- Light pink - \*not peachy-pink\*
- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



#### SHOES

Pink ballet shoes



Tan buckle tap shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Velcro or Buckle
- “Mary Jane” style - \*NO TIES\*



### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

Black jazz shoes



Black tie

or slip on tap shoes



# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## PRIMARY COMBO CLASS 1

Age 6

### GIRLS

#### DANCEWEAR

##### BLACK DANCEWEAR ONLY

Any of the following is acceptable;

- Dance dress with skirt attached leotard
- Leotard with tights
- Short-length or legging unitard
- Leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts
- Crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

##### Skin tone dance tights

- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



#### SHOES

##### Skin tone jazz shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone



##### Skin tone tap shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone



### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

##### Black jazz shoes



##### Black tie

##### or slip-on tap shoes



# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## PRIMARY COMBO CLASS 2

Age 7-8

### GIRLS

#### DANCEWEAR

##### BLACK DANCEWEAR ONLY

Any of the following is acceptable;

- Dance dress with skirt attached leotard
- Leotard with tights
- Short-length or legging unitard
- Leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts
- Crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

##### Skin tone dance tights

- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



#### SHOES

##### Skin tone jazz shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Slip-on with elastic on side or on elastic top



##### Skin tone tap shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Tap shoes can be tie or slip-on



### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

##### Black jazz shoes

- Slip-on with elastic on side or elastic on top



##### Black tie

##### or slip-on tap shoes





# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## PRE-TEEN COMBO CLASS

Age 9-11

### GIRLS

#### DANCEWEAR

##### BLACK DANCEWEAR ONLY

Any of the following is acceptable;

- Dance dress with skirt attached leotard
- Leotard with tights
- Short-length or legging unitard
- Leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts
- Crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

##### Skin tone dance tights

- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



#### SHOES

##### Skin tone jazz shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Slip-on with elastic on side or on elastic top



##### Skin tone tap shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Tap shoes can be tie or slip-on



### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

##### Black jazz shoes

- Slip-on with elastic on side or elastic on top



##### Black tie

##### or slip-on tap shoes





# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## TEEN COMBO CLASS

Age 12 +

### GIRLS

#### DANCEWEAR

##### BLACK DANCEWEAR ONLY

Any of the following is acceptable;

- Dance dress with skirt attached leotard
- Leotard with tights
- Short-length or legging unitard
- Leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts
- Crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

##### Skin tone dance tights

- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



#### SHOES

##### Skin tone jazz shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Slip-on with elastic on side or on elastic top



##### Skin tone tap shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Tap shoes can be tie or slip-on



### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

##### Black jazz shoes

- Slip-on with elastic on side or elastic on top



##### Black tie

##### or slip-on tap shoes



# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### PRE-SCHOOL ACRO-DANCE

Age 4-6

#### GIRLS

##### ACRO-DANCE WEAR

Any color, solid or pattern, biketard



#### TIGHTS

No tights

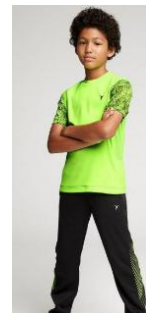
#### SHOES

No shoes

#### BOYS

##### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

No shoes

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### BEGINNER ACRO-DANCE

Age 7 +

#### GIRLS

#### ACRO-DANCE WEAR

Dancewear can be in any color or pattern.

All of the following are acceptable;

- biketard or legging unitard, leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts, crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

No tights

#### SHOES

No shoes

#### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

No shoes

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### PRIMARY ACRO-DANCE

Age 7 +

#### GIRLS

#### ACRO-DANCE WEAR

Dancewear can be in any color or pattern.

All of the following are acceptable;

- biketard or legging unitard, leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts, crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

No tights

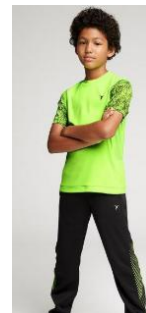
#### SHOES

No shoes

#### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

No shoes

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### INTERMEDIATE ACRO-DANCE

Age 7 +

#### GIRLS

#### ACRO-DANCE WEAR

Dancewear can be in any color or pattern.

All of the following are acceptable;

- biketard or legging unitard, leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts, crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



#### TIGHTS

No tights

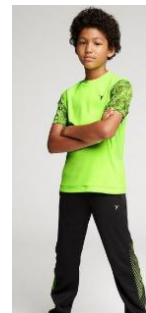
#### SHOES

No shoes

#### BOYS

#### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



#### SHOES

No shoes

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### BALLET 1

Ages 6-9

#### GIRLS

##### DANCEWEAR

BLACK DANCEWEAR ONLY

Any of the following is acceptable;  
Leotard with or without thin skirt



##### NO

**STREET CLOTHES, T-SHIRTS, SWEATSHIRTS,  
OR CROP TOPS ALLOWED**

Dancers who do not follow the dress code will not be  
allowed to participate in class.

##### TIGHTS

Pink or skin tone dance tights

- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



\*If dancers own pink tights already, they may be worn until pictures and recital.

##### SHOES

Canvas split sole ballet flats in the color of the dancer's skin tone



\*If dancers own pink ballet shoes already, they may be worn until pictures and recital when skin tone shoes are needed.\*



##### HAIR

Hair should be secured in a bun style of your choice.



#### BOYS

##### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



##### SHOES

Black canvas split sole ballet shoes





# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### BALLET 2

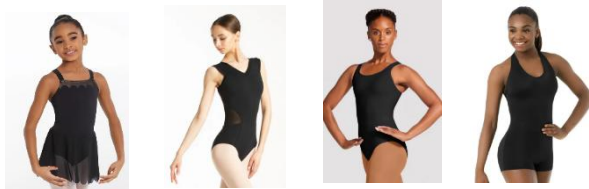
Ages 10 +

#### GIRLS

##### DANCEWEAR

BLACK DANCEWEAR ONLY

Any of the following is acceptable;  
Leotard with or without thin skirt, or biketard



##### NO

##### STREET CLOTHES, T-SHIRTS, SWEATSHIRTS, OR CROP TOPS ALLOWED

Dancers who do not follow the dress code will not be allowed to participate in class.

##### TIGHTS

Pink or skin tone dance tights

- Tights can be convertible (hole at the bottom to convert to footless) or footed tights with no convertible hole)



\*If dancers own pink tights already, they may be worn until pictures and recital.

##### SHOES

Canvas split sole ballet flats in the color of the dancer's skin tone



\*If dancers own pink ballet shoes already, they may be worn until pictures and recital when skin tone shoes are needed.\*



##### HAIR

Hair should be secured in a bun style of your choice.



#### BOYS

##### DANCEWEAR

- White or black T-shirt
- Black athletic shorts or pants



##### SHOES

Black canvas split sole ballet shoes



# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### COMPETITION REHEARSAL CLASSES

#### GIRLS

##### DANCEWEAR

Dancewear can be in any color or pattern.

All of the following are acceptable;

- biketard or legging unitard, leotards, leggings, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



##### TIGHTS

- Tights are optional for competition rehearsals. If a leotard is worn, then tights must be worn.
- If tights are worn, they should be convertible and in the color of the dancer's skin tone

##### SHOES

- All dance shoes should be brought to every competition rehearsals

#### BOYS

##### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



##### SHOES

- All dance shoes should be brought to competition rehearsals

# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### ADULT TAP

#### LADIES

##### DANCEWEAR

Dancewear can be in any color or pattern.

All of the following are acceptable;

- Yoga pants or legging, athletic shorts, athletic pants, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts, t-shirts, crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



##### TIGHTS

Not required

##### SHOES

Black tie tap shoes



#### MEN

##### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



##### SHOES

Black tie tap shoes



# REQUIRED DRESS CODE

## SPECIALITY CLASS

### ADULT JAZZ

#### LADIES

##### DANCEWEAR

Dancewear can be in any color or pattern.

All of the following are acceptable;

- Yoga pants or legging, athletic shorts, athletic pants, jazz pants, booty/biker shorts, t-shirts, crop tops, sports bras, tank tops



##### TIGHTS

Not required

##### SHOES

Black jazz shoes  
Skin tone jazz shoes

- Tan or a color close to your child's skin tone
- Slip-on with elastic on side or on elastic top



#### MEN

##### DANCEWEAR

- Any color T-shirt
- Any color athletic shorts or pants



##### SHOES

Black jazz shoes

