



## **Dress Code for the Summer Intensive 2017**

It is imperative that all students adhere to the dress code, as it allows the instructors to see the dancer's facility. This intern maximizes more accurate technical and stylistic instruction which helps to correct the posture and alignment of the dancer. The Friends and Co. staff will strongly enforce dress code.

Any student who does not adhere to the dress code, may be subject to sit and observe class instead of participate. Also pictures/videos will be taken for various promotions and or social media sites and therefore it gives a professional look to the classes.

### **Ballet/Pointe/Character/Variations/Pas**

Girls: Any solid color leotard, pink tights or (flesh color) and ballet slippers (canvas or leather). Pointe shoes for Pointe class sewn and tied correctly.

Boys: Fitted white t-shirts, fitted black pants or tights, and ballet slippers (canvas or leather).

All warm-ups, sweaters, sweatpants, etc. should be removed after barre. Long hair must be worn tightly and neatly, i.e. bun, French twist. No tights with holes, rips, etc. will be permitted.

### **All other genres:**

Girls: Black or solid color leotard (no mid drifts) and tights or fitted pants, shorts, or capris. Bare legs are permitted as long as shorts/leggings provide necessary coverage.

Boys: Appropriate, fitted dance attire. Boys must wear dance belts. Undergarments must be neatly concealed. Hair should be neat and secure.

Jazz/Theater -Jazz shoes must be worn; Character heels are at each teacher's discretion/requirements.

Hip Hop-Clean sneakers – preferably jazz sneakers (No street shoes, please!) and comfortable dancewear should be worn.

**ALL dancers and dancewear must be clean!**

**Performances:** NO Jewelry and or nail polish permitted. All tattoos, must be covered in make-up for the performance. Boys must wear dance belts.