

Company Nutcracker Dress Rehearsal **Sunday, November 24, 2024 @ Smithfield Studio**

Timeline *Subject to change. Do not be late!*

- **12:30-1pm Rhythmette I & II/Junior/Senior Company Warm Up**
 - Doors open at 12:15pm. Arrive in pink tights, full body skin toned camisole, black long sleeve Company leotard, black leggings, warmup jacket. Costumes in garment a bag.
- **12:45pm Closed Class/Preparatory/Pee Wee Company & Nutcracker Arrive**
 - Arrive in costume, pink tights, full body skin toned camisole, with warmup jacket. Bring black long sleeve Company leotard and black leggings.
- **1:00-1:30pm Finale (All Company & Nutcracker)**
- **1:15pm Party Scene Arrive in costume (Drosselmeyer, Parents, Boys)**
- **1:30-4:30 Full Dress Rehearsal Run Through**
 - Party Scene (Drosselmeyer, Parents, Boys, Preparatory) dismissed approx. 3:45pm

What to wear/bring:

- Pink tights
- Full body skin toned camisole
- Long sleeve black Company leotard
- Black leggings
- CDDS Warmup jacket (wear a black zip up if you don't have one yet)
- Makeup/hair done. Bring touch up accessories
- All costumes & garment bag
- All dance shoes
- Water in sealable bottle.
- Healthy snack *must be nut free - this is a long rehearsal.

DFA Costume Care: It is important to treat DFA costumes with the utmost care.

- Apply deodorant before wearing.
- Keep garment bag unzipped at home to air out costumes after they are worn.
- Apply sanitary liners as necessary.
- Notify CDDS immediately if a costume is stained/damaged. Repair/cleaning fees may apply.

Camisole for Performances:

- All female dancers are required to wear a camisole at performances under their costume.
- A camisole is a skin toned thin strap leotard worn under costumes at performances so dancers are always clothed when changing and wearing an undergarment.
- Choose the color camisole that is closest to your dancer's skin tone.
- Approved camisoles:
 - 2/4 and 4/6 So Danca #245
 - 6/7, 8/10, 12/14: Capezio #3532C
 - XSA, SA, MA, XLA: Eurotard # 44821
- Clear straps can be purchased separately and should be replaced if discolored.
- Camisoles are NOT to be worn as a leotard in class.

Company Dancer Performance Makeup & Hair:

- Center part low bun, slicked with gel/hairspray. Except Closed Class wear a high bun on crown of head, slicked back. (Crown of head is one hand length back from hairline)
- Rhinestone earrings.
- Company Red Lipstick: MAC-Red/Russian Red, Sephora brand cream liquid lipstick-Always Red
- Foundation, blush, cheekbone highlight, brown eyeshadow, black eyeliner, mascara, lip liner.
- Rhy/Jr/Sr false eyelashes
- Watch <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XX5ctq1NchU> and do your best to follow it. Don't expect to perfect it on your first try. Practice :) See video description for suggested products.