

## **Items you will need for your dancer:**

If you're new to JDC below is a list of the items you will need to start dance!!

### **Starting with what to wear?**

If your dancer is in a preschool class or a 5-7 year old class and they are taking Ballet, Tap or Jazz they should wear a leotard, tights and a ballet skirt or shorts. They can also wear leggings and/or any loose fitting top, just no jeans! Items can be any color.

As for dancers ages 8 and up, they too can wear any color dance apparel such as shorts, leggings, leotards, tights, t-shirts, sweatpants and/or sweatshirts, just no jeans.

If your dancer is in a Hip-Hop class for their bottoms they can wear shorts, leggings or sweatpants and for their top they can wear a t-shirt, sweatshirt or any loose fitting top. Just NO JEANS.

All clothing can be any color just no offensive clothing.

For shoes, we send all our dancers to Saratoga Dance on Church Street in Saratoga for Tap, Ballet and Jazz Shoes. Just go to Saratoga Dance at 55 Church St and tell them your dancer dances at JDC and what class they are in and they will fit your child with the correct shoes.

For Hip-Hop, your dancer can start with any sneakers we just ask that they are not street shoes, meaning they are designated for dance only. Once the teacher picks out their costume we will inform you of what sneakers your dancers will need for the dance recital.

We also ask that all dancers maintain good attendance. If your child will be out, whether it is a planned absence or unforeseen absence we ask that you notify us via email at [jdcdanceoffice@gmail.com](mailto:jdcdanceoffice@gmail.com).

Thank you,

Your JDC Staff