



Uniform and grooming for class

Rosatutu Studios has a 'uniform' or dance costume for all classes. A dancer's body is their '*tool of trade*' to be trained correctly to move to the very best of their ability. Dance requires the correct dress or costume in order to perform the dance movements and to allow the teacher to train the movements without having to deal with incorrect attire.

ALL STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO COMPLY WITH THE CORRECT UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

CLASSICAL (Ballet blossoms' Movement & Music, Preliminary, Pre-Primary, Primary classes)

Girls: 'Ballet pink' pink cotton leotard (front gathered sleeveless), white socks (pink tights in winter) and pink leather ballet shoes, with matching pink wrap skirt

Boys: White T-shirt, black bike pants, white socks, black ballet shoes

CLASSICAL (Grade 1 class)

Girls: Students may continue to wear their pink leotard and matching skirt until they have grown out of it then move into 'Burgundy' uniform as for Grade 2+.

Students at this level doing examinations at the Studio Session will be supplied with a special leotard and skirt from the costume wardrobe for the exam. The Burgundy colour will be required for students doing their examination at the Centre Session as this is the colour of Cecchetti Ballet in NSW.

Boys: White T-shirt, black dance pants, white or black socks, black ballet shoes

CLASSICAL (Grades 2,3,4,5,6 classes)

Girls: 'Burgundy' cotton or lycra leotard (gathered or seamed, sleeveless) with matching burgundy wrap skirt, pink tights and pink leather ballet shoes with ribbons. This is set uniform for the Cecchetti Ballet NSW for examinations

Pink satin pointe shoes will be required from Grade 5 or 6, once they have passed their pointe assessment

Boys: White T-shirt, black dance pants or ballet tights, white or black socks, white or black ballet shoes (*socks and shoes should match*)

CLASSICAL (Intermediate & Advanced classes)

Girls: 'Navy' cotton or lycra leotard (gathered or seamed, sleeveless) with matching navy wrap skirt, pink tights and pink leather ballet shoes with ribbons. This is set uniform for the Cecchetti Ballet NSW for major examinations

Pink satin pointe and demi-pointe shoe, with ribbons, are be required as well.

Boys: White T-shirt, black dance pants or ballet tights, white or black socks, white or black ballet shoes (*socks and shoes should match*)

CLASSICAL (Grade 4+ classes on Saturday afternoons)

Girls: Cotton or lycra leotard (any colour, any style) with matching wrap skirt (short), pink tights and pink leather or canvas ballet shoes with elastics.

Boys: Any coloured T-shirt, black or coloured dance pants or ballet tights, white or black socks, white or black ballet shoes (*socks and shoes should match*)

CLASSICAL (Adult classes)

Ballet leotard (any colour, any style) with matching skirt. The skirt can be ballet length (ie very short) or teaching length (behind the knee), pink ballet tights and pink ballet shoes (leather or canvas) with elastics.

JAZZ (All students; all levels)

Girls: Black bike pants or fitted long dance pants with the *Resatutu* T-shirt.

Students may wear their classical leotard with fitted long black dance pants with *Resatutu* T-shirt.

Boys: *Resatutu* T-shirt or short sleeved black T-shirt or black singlet top with black bike pants.

Clothing must be closely fitted not loose and floppy. NO jeans, denim or otherwise, no boardshorts, no baggy tracksuit pants.

Jazz shoes or boots are worn for all jazz classes.

CONTEMPORARY (All students)

Girls: Black bike pants or fitted long dance pants with the *Resatutu* T-shirt.

Students may wear their classical leotard with fitted long black dance pants with *Resatutu* T-shirt.

Boys: *Resatutu* T-shirt or short sleeved black T-shirt or black singlet top with black bike pants.

Clothing must be closely fitted not loose and floppy. NO jeans, denim or otherwise, no boardshorts, no baggy tracksuit pants.

Students must have bare feet or wear 'foot undies'.

General Information

The school's Dance jackets are for use travelling to and from class and at outside performances. They are not for wearing in class!

Members of Performance Group must be correctly dressed and groomed at all times. This is a mandatory requirement for being a member of any Performance Group.

Crossovers, coloured, black or matching uniform, may be worn for warmth in ALL classes

The re-sale of second-hand leotards and shoes is encouraged to keep costs as reasonable as possible.

If you provide me with your old leotards or shoes for resale (ready priced in a bag with your name and phone number) I will add this information to the second-hand list on the Notice-Board

HAIR

Students must be properly groomed for all classes. In **NO CLASS** is long hair hanging loose acceptable

All classical students from **Grade 1** upwards **MUST** have their hair in a BUN

For junior levels Classical students, Jazz and Contemporary students PONY TAILS are fine but hair **MUST** be off the face and neck and securely tied back.