

## Dancer Recital Checklist

- All Costumes with name inside
- Tights including any back up pairs
- All accessories including headpieces and barretts, ect.
- Mask
- All Dance Shoes
- Proper Undergarments
- Extra Bobby Pins
- Extra Hairnets
- Extra Hair ties
- Hairspray
- Hairbrush/comb
- Makeup for touch ups
  - Eye shadows
  - Eye liner
  - Blush
  - Foundation
  - Lip stick
  - Mascara
- Safety pins
- Clear nail polish for runs in tights
- Band-aids
- Water bottle
- No Fingernail Polish
- No Jewelry
- No juice/pop/sticky snacks/gum

### PRO TIP:

If your dancer has multiple costume changes consider having a pop-up laundry basket or laundry bag. As the dancer takes costumes and hair accessories off they can toss it into a basket, so nothing is lost. You can then rehang and organize things before the next performance.

## **Hair & Makeup**

Please reference your costume sheet(s) for specific hairstyle assignments and hair accessory placement. Most of our dances are a high bun this year. High Ballet Bun tutorials are all over youtube. Find the way that works best for you and your dancer. Most importantly use a hair net!

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Below is a makeup tutorial to reference if you need some assistance.

Girls: use natural tones on eyes, red lipstick

Makeup for boys includes: mascara, a little contour on the cheek with a brownish shade rouge, brownish red lipstick



1. Start with a clean face. Pull your hair back to begin.



2. I prefer a non greasy stick foundation. It doesn't streak when you perspire and a light application has good coverage.



3. Blend foundation from center of face to hairline. Apply creme under eye corrector, also apply on eyelids. Apply face powder to set.



4. Apply cheek color over half of apple of cheek and follow up cheekbone to hair line. Remember stage lights will wash you out.



5. Use powder or pencil to accent and define a classic brow shape. Have your brows groomed and shaped prior to show time.



6. Traditonally red is used. For a clean contemporary design I have used a beautiful soft coral red.



7. Pearl white eye color is applied on eye lids, as hilte under brows and under lower lashes to make eyeliner "pop" and be more effective.



8. Matte brown eye shadow is applied to brow bone and to outer corner of eye lid.



9. Apply black eyeliner to upper lid extending up and out. Let dry.



10. Apply eye liner to lower eye lid, keeping outer eye lines open. Apply mascara to lashes.



11. The finished "Clean Beauty" makeup application!



You can also add False Eyelashes to this makeup. More on eyelashes in an upcoming "how to".....