

Costume, Hair, & Makeup Information

Winter Recital 2020 – The Nutcracker

Makeup Information:

(Younger dancers can adapt as necessary):

Face: Foundation and Blush to complement dancer's skin tone

Eyes: Eyeliner, Mascara, and Neutral Shades of Eyeshadow.

Brown shades of eyeshadow over eye lid and crease, Gold or Light Pink above crease, & White or lightest shade on inside corner.

Lips: Medium shade of red lipstick.

A "Cranberry Shade" is an ideal color for stage (as opposed to pink or bright red).

Hair Information:

*Hair Information is listed below with each class.

*Since many dancers have multiple classes/dances, we have the female dancers wear a high bun to simplify with one hairstyle and speed up costume changes. (If dancer's hair is too short for a bun, please secure back as much as possible).

*For High Buns: please position at top/back "edge" of dancer's head, so that a hair ribbon or accessory would be partially visible from the front.

*For animal ears/antlers, please make sure headbands are bobby pinned in place.

Costume Information:

***Nude Colored Leotard:** A Nude Leotard can be worn under costumes. This acts as a base layer under costumes, and helps with quick changes. This is not required, but highly recommended for all.

***Tights & Shoes:** The Tights and Shoes the dancers need to bring from home are listed below with each class. These are items most dancers should already have per their Class Dress Code. So dancers do not necessarily need to purchase new pairs, as long as they are in good enough condition without holes.

***The Costume Description for each class is also listed below.**

Please hang costumes in a safe place once sent home, so they stay ready and unwrinkled.

Costumes will only be needed for the Performance. Normal dance class attire should be worn at the Tech Rehearsal. (Only the Performance Company Dancers will wear costumes at the Tech Rehearsal.)

*Dancers should not wear jewelry or nail polish for the performance.

*The information below is **Grouped by Level**.

It is also **listed in the order** that the costumes will first be needed, within each level grouping.

(The order if we have a traditional performance layout at the venue.)

Performance Company Costumes are only listed for the 1st time they are needed, not every time.

Costume Information - Combo Classes A, B, & C:

Toymaker Assistants: Combo A/B - Ballet/Tap (Ms. Janessa)

Girls:

Pink Tights, Tap Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory on top-left of bun on an angle

Costume: Red and green polka dot apron dress; polka dot hair bow

Boys:

Tap Shoes

Costume: Black dress pants, white long-sleeved dance shirt, red sequin vest, green and red bow tie

Party Children - Gallop: Combo B - Ballet/Tap (Ms. Montana)

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory above bun

Costume: Green dress; green hair bow clip

Little Mice: Combo A/B - Jazz/Hip Hop (Ms. Janessa)

Girls:

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes (ballet shoes are ok if dancer doesn't have jazz shoes)

Hair: High Bun, Mice Ears

Costume: Black long-sleeved dress, Mice Ears & Tail

Boys:

Black Pants, Jazz Shoes

Costume: Black button down shirt, black pants, bowtie; Mice Ears & Tail

Party Children - Lullaby: Combo A – Ballet/Tap (Ms. Cassie)

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory above bun

Costume: Green dress; green hair bow clip

Little Snowflakes: Combo C – “M&M” (Ms. Janessa)

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory on left of bun

Costume: White Tutu Dress with red and green trim; red, white, and green Flower Hair Clip

Costume Information - Level 1 & 2 Classes:

Party Girls - Waltz: Ballet/Jazz 1 (Ms. Cassie)

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory above bun

Costume: Green satin dress with white trim; green Hair Bow

Little Mice: Hip Hop/Tap 1/2 (Ms. Janessa)

Tan Tights, Tap Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Mice Ears

Costume: Black long-sleeved dress, Mice Ears & Tail

Snowflake Forest: Ballet/Jazz 2 (Ms. Montana)

Girls:

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Tiara hair comb in front center of bun

Costume: Long-sleeved white tutu dress, tiara hair comb

Boys:

Black Tights, Ballet Shoes

Costume: White long-sleeved shirt and black tights

Lyrical/Contemporary 1/2 (Ms. Maria)

Girls:

Tan Stirrup Tights, Lyrical Paws

Hair: High Bun, Halo

Costume: White Dress, Angel Wings, Halo

Boys:

Costume: White long-sleeved shirt and white pants, Angel Wings, Halo

Costume Information - Level 3 & 4 Classes:

Toymakers: Hip Hop 3/4 (T1) (Ms. Janessa)

Girls:

Sneakers (White/Red/Green/or Black color ideal, but not required)

Hair: High Bun, Santa Hat

Costume: Red overalls, white t-shirt, striped tights, & Santa Hat

Boys:

Sneakers (White/Red/Green/or Black color ideal, but not required)

Costume: Green overalls, white t-shirt, striped socks, & Santa Hat

Party Girls - March: Ballet 3 (Ms. Cassie)

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory above bun

Costume: Blue dress with sequins; blue hair bow

Cameron:

Costume – Ballet 3/Clara’s Sister: Blue satin dress with white trim; blue hair bow

Party Girls – Performance Company: Black Skirt, Navy Leotard (KD, MM) (HG – Ballet 3)

Columbine Doll: Candy Cane Striped Dress, Hair Accessory

Harlequin Doll: White Shirt, Red Vest, Bow Tie, Black Leggings, Ballet Shoes

Soldiers Come to Life: Hip Hop 3/4 (T2) (Ms. Janessa)

Tan Tights, Sneakers (White/Red/Blue/Gold or Black color ideal, but not required)

Hair: High Bun, Red top hat to left and front of bun

Costume: Red unitard top with blue shorts, red top hat

Mice and Soldiers Battle: Jazz 3/4 (Ms. Janessa)

Mice:

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Mice Ears

Costume: Black long-sleeved dress, Mice Ears & Tail

Soldiers:

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Red top hat to left and front of bun

Costume: Red unitard top with blue shorts, Red top hat

Costume Information - Level 3 & 4 Classes - continued:

Sugar Plum Attendants: Lavender/White Pancake Tutu, Bun Accessory

Spanish Chocolate: Black Leotard, Black Bustle Skirt with Red Trim, Red Hair Flower

Chinese Tea: Pink/Red Dress, Blue Belt (KD, MM), or Red Dress, Black Skirt, Black Belt (CR), Hair Ribbon

Dance of the Reed Flutes: Ballet 4 (Ms. Sarah)

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory on top-left of bun on an angle

Costume: Purple & Ivory tutu dress; flower hair comb

Waltz of the Flowers: Various Colored Tutus, Black leotards, Hair Flower

Polichinelles: Tap 3/4 (Ms. Janessa)

Girls:

Pink Tights, Tap Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory on top-left of bun on an angle

Costume: Red and White striped dress with green tutu; red glitter ribbon hair bow

Boys:

Tap Shoes

Costume: Black pants, white collared shirt, red suspenders and green bow tie

Grand Pas: Lyrical/Contemporary 3/4 (Ms. Maria)

Tan Stirrup Tights, Lyrical Paws

Hair: High Bun, Accessory on left of bun

Costume: Blue leotard with sheer skirt and white flowers; rhinestone barrettes

Costume Information - Level 5 & 6 Classes:

***Level 5/6 Hair:** High Bun - with part on left & twisted/braided into ponytail for High Bun

Mr. Stahlbaum: Black Button Down Shirt, Black Leggings, Ballet Shoes

Mrs. Stahlbaum: Shawl, Ballet Shoes, with Tap Costume

Drosselmeyer: White Button Down Shirt, Black Leggings, Cape, Top Hat, Ballet Shoes

Maid: Black/White Maid Costume, Headband, Pink Tights/Ballet Shoes

Party Parents - Hannah: Black Skirt, Green Skirt Over, Black Leotard, Shawl, Pink Tights/Ballet Shoes

Party Girls: Green Skirt, Black Leotard, Pink Tights/Ballet Shoes (JW)

Clara – Party Dress: Kate

Pink Tights, Pointe Shoes

Hair: Half up half down, curled & top bun, blue bow above bun

Costume - Clara Party Dress: Blue Party Dress; Blue hair bow clip

Party Parents Dance: Tap 5/6 (Ms. Janessa)

Pink Tights, Tap Shoes

Hair: High Bun

Costume: Green long-sleeved leotard with bow and black floor length skirt

A Sneaky Confrontation: Hip Hop 5/6 (Ms. Janessa)

Mice: Daphne, Ellie, Lindsey

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Mice Ears

Costume - Mice: Black long-sleeved dress, Mice Ears & Tail

Mouse Queen: Bella N.

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes (or Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes)

Hair: High Bun, Mice Ears

Costume - Mouse Queen: Black & Gold costume, black bustle & shrug, Mice Ears & Tail, Gold Crown

Nutcracker Soldier: Hannah

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun

Costume - Nutcracker Soldier: Red, white, blue and gold Soldier Pantsuit, Soldier hat?

Costume Information - Level 5 & 6 Classes - continued:

Soldier Doll: Abby L.

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Red top hat to left and front of bun

Costume - Soldier Doll: Red unitard top with blue shorts, blue tutu and gold spats; red top hat

Clara: Kate A.

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: Half up half down, curled & top bun, blue bow above bun

Costume - Clara Nightgown: White dress with blue lace and blue ribbon bow.

Mice and Soldiers Battle: Jazz 5 and 6 (Ms. Janessa)

Mice:

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Mice Ears

Costume - Mice: Black long-sleeved dress, Mice Ears & Tail

Soldiers:

Tan Tights, Tan Jazz Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Red Top Hat to left and front of bun

Costume: Red unitard top with blue shorts, Red top hat

Soldier Doll / Nutcracker Soldier / Clara: Same as Hip Hop

Waltz of the Snowflakes: Ballet 5 & Ballet 6 (Ms. Sarah)

Snowflakes:

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Tiara hair comb in front center of bun

Costume: Long-sleeved white tutu dress; tiara hair comb

Snow Queen: Sloane

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun, Accessory on left of bun, Tiara

Costume - Snow Queen: White pancake tutu with red/green trim; Hair clip, Tiara

Clara: Same as Hip Hop / Jazz

Nutcracker Prince: Hannah

Pink Tights, Ballet Shoes

Hair: High Bun

Costume - Nutcracker Prince: Gold vest, White lace-up leotard shirt, and Black leggings

Costume Information - Level 5 & 6 Classes - continued:

Angels: Lead Angel (Ms. Sarah) and **Lyrical/Contemporary 5/6** (Ms. Maria)

Angels:

Tan Stirrup Tights, Lyrical Paws

Hair: High Bun, Halo

Costume: White long-sleeved leotard with sheer skirt; Angel Wings, Halo

Clara / Nutcracker Prince: Same as previous

Sugar Plum Fairy: Lavender/White Pancake Tutu, Arm Ruffles, Tiara

Spanish Chocolate: Black Leotard, Black Bustle Skirt with Red Trim, Red Hair Flower

Russian Trepak: White/Blue Russian Dress, Hair Ribbon

Arabian Coffee: Soloist and Pointe (Ms. Sarah)

Arabian:

Pink Tights, Pointe Shoes

Hair: High Bun

Costume: Maroon and gold top/pants Costume, Nude leotard, (Bella - gold tiara)

Clara: Kate

Pink Tights, Pointe Shoes

Hair: with Tiara

Costume: add Blue Arabian skirt/wrist accessories

Waltz of the Flowers: Various Colored Tutus, Black leotards, Hair Flower, Ballet Shoes

Dew Drop: Pink Pancake Tutu, Hair Flower, Tiara, Pointe Shoes

Grand Pas: Clara and Prince (Ms. Sarah)

Clara: Kate

Pink Tights, Pointe Shoes

Hair: Half up half down, hair bow, Tiara

Costume - Clara Grand Pas: Blue and Ivory Pancake Tutu, Sleeve Poufs, Tiara

Nutcracker Prince: Hannah

Same as Previous