



COSTUME INFORMATION 2017

Dear Parents,

It is that time of year for the teachers of The Dance Centre to choose your child's costumes for the Spring Dance Concert. The deadline for costume fees is **Tuesday, November 21**.

We would like to ask for your assistance in measuring your child and choosing the proper size for their costume (students will also be measured by their teacher in class). Please fill in the form below with the measurements requested and choose a costume size from the grid (on the back of this letter) based on the measurements. When choosing your size please remember that your child will not be wearing this costume until June, so we need to allow room for growth. The costume companies suggest that when in doubt use the girth measurement to determine the size. The girth is measured by placing the tape at the shoulder and bringing it down between the legs and back up to meet the tape at the shoulder. Be sure your child is wearing a leotard, standing up straight; feet are together, and head is forward. If you would like to use teachers' measurements, please let us know by placing your initials on the form below.

Please keep in mind there are **no costume returns**. Though we take measurements to determine size, costume companies do not make each costume to fit each child perfectly. If you are unhappy with the fit of your costume and you choose to make alterations you will be responsible for arranging and paying for them.

The Dance Centre asks for a full costume payment before costumes are ordered. If your child is in multiple classes and you would like pay in installments please let us know in the office. Please return the form along with your costume payment by **Tuesday, November 21**. **We will not order a costume without a payment. Late costume orders will be charged an additional fee to cover processing, shipping & handling costs.**

Thank you,
The Dance Centre

Please return one slip (per dancer) with the full payment by November 21, 2017

Student Name: _____

Class/Day/Time: _____ Costume Charge: _____

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TOTAL COSTUME PAYMENT: \$ _____

MEASUREMENTS

BUST _____ WAIST _____ HIPS _____ GIRTH _____

LETTER SIZE _____ NUMBER SIZE _____

_____ I would like The Dance Centre to determine my child's costume size.
*THERE ARE NO COSTUME RETURNS

COSTUME FEES

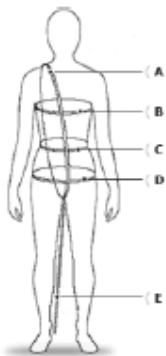
Elem. I, II, III.....\$62	Jazz 1-6.....\$73	Modern 1-5.....\$73
Hippity Hop.....\$73	Acro.....\$73	B/T, B/JZ I.....\$73
Ballet 1-7.....\$73	JZ/T 1.....\$73	B/T/JZ II.....\$73
	Hip Hop.....\$73	Tap 2-7.....\$73

***Please note: students who attend two ballet classes of the same level will only need to pay for ONE ballet costume.**

SIZE CHARTS

LETTER SIZING		CXS	CSM	CME	CLA	CXL	ASM	AME	ALA	AXL	2XL	3XL
BUST	inches	21-23	24-26	27-29	30-32	33-35	33-35	35-37	38-40	41-43	44-46	47-49
	centimeters	53-58	61-66	69-74	76-81	84-89	84-89	89-94	97-102	104-109	112-117	119-124
WAIST	inches	18-20	21-22	23-24	25-26	27-29	23-25	26-28	29-31	32-34	35-37	38-41
	centimeters	46-51	53-56	58-61	64-66	69-74	58-64	66-71	74-79	81-86	89-94	97-104
HIPS	inches	22-24	25-27	28-30	31-33	34-36	34-36	37-39	40-42	43-45	46-48	49-51
	centimeters	56-61	64-69	71-76	79-84	86-91	86-91	94-99	102-107	109-114	117-122	124-130
GIRTH	inches	39-41	42-44	45-49	50-54	56-58	56-58	59-61	62-64	65-67	68-70	71-73
	centimeters	99-104	107-112	114-124	127-137	142-147	142-147	150-155	157-163	165-170	173-178	180-185

NUMBER SIZING		2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	8A	10A	12A	14A	16A	18A	20A
BUST	inches	22	23	24	26	28	30	32	30-31	33-35	36-38	39-40	41-42	43-44	45-46
	centimeters	56	58	61	66	71	76	81	76-79	84-89	91-97	99-102	104-107	109-112	114-117
WAIST	inches	20	21	22	23	24	26	28	23-24	25-27	28-30	31-33	34-35	36-37	38-39
	centimeters	51	53	56	58	61	66	71	58-61	64-69	71-76	79-84	86-89	91-94	97-99
HIPS	inches	24	25	26	28	30	32	34	32-33	35-37	38-40	41-42	43-44	45-46	47-48
	centimeters	61	64	66	71	76	81	86	81-84	89-94	97-102	104-107	109-112	114-117	119-122
GIRTH	inches	36-37	38-39	40-42	43-45	46-48	49-51	52-54	54-56	57-59	60-62	63-65	66-67	68-69	70-71
	centimeters	91-94	97-99	102-107	109-114	117-122	124-130	132-137	137-142	145-150	152-157	160-165	168-170	173-175	178-180



A) GIRTH

Measure from the center of one shoulder, down the front through crotch and up the back to starting point.

B) BUST

With arms relaxed down at sides, measure around the fullest part of chest, keeping tape measure parallel to the floor.

C) WAIST

Measure around natural waistline, the narrowest part of the upper body (not over shirt or pants).

D) HIPS

Measure around fullest part of the lower body, keeping tape straight and parallel to the floor.