

REQUIRED DANCE WEAR FOR MUSICAL THEATRE MAJORS

Clothing

Drake accepts gender-neutral dance attire in our classes. You must select dancewear that clearly reveals the outline, alignment and placement of the body for faculty to observe your technique. Fitted jazz pants, snug fitting t-shirts/tank tops, leggings, shorts, leotards, unitards, and tights are all acceptable. No baggy pants, sweatshirts, loose t-shirts, jeans, hats or jewelry.

Required Shoes

- Character Shoes
 - Female Identifying Students: 2.5-3 inch heel. Can be black or tan. You will eventually want both colors, but come with at least one.
 - Male Identifying Students: Black Oxford Style 1-inch heel
- Jazz shoe or Jazz sneaker, black recommended
- Ballet slippers
- Flat black tap shoes - recommend hard sole for stronger articulation and control.

Other Required Attire

- Tights to match your skin tone for productions.
- Dance belts for male identifying students.
- Rehearsal skirt - at least mid-calf length. Good option at link below.
 - http://www.discountdance.com/dancewear/style_N8108.html?pid=1136&Shop=Style&SID=502687120

Other Recommended

- Knee pads for productions
- Character Heeled Tap Shoes: 2.5-3 inches. You may be asked to purchase these for a production eventually.