

RECITAL **INSTRUCTIONS**

DRESS REHEARSAL INFORMATION

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29: 4:30 – 8:30PM @ THE SPACE – WESTBURY
(All dancers up to and including Intermediate 1)

THURSDAY, MAY 23: 4:30 – 7:30PM @ M&T DANCE UNLIMITED
(Intermediate 1 and Advanced dancers)

Please visit our website: www.mtdance.com for detailed information about Dress Rehearsal Schedules for each class (date & time)

Costumes, headpieces and gloves are to be worn. All dancers should come in their first costume; additional costumes are to be carried to rehearsal in a garment bag with child's name printed clearly on it. **Tights must be worn. Finale T Shirts are not needed for dress rehearsal. *No garment racks!**

Please secure all costume pieces. (Example: skirts safety pinned or sewn to side seam and hair pieces bobby pinned)

ALL Dancers (with the exception of 2 & 3yr olds) must wear hair parted over their left eye slicked back into a low ponytail. The 2 & 3 year olds have received instructions from the teachers.

NO UNDERWEAR, PLEASE! No matter what you do, they always have a way of showing outside of the costume due to dance movements. It is not only embarrassing to the child; it is extremely unprofessional looking.

NO JEWELRY PLEASE - except if part of the costume.

DRESS REHEARSAL ATTENDANCE IS VITAL!!

An absentee is an "empty space", which is confusing and unfair to the other students.

MTDU RECITAL SHOW INSTRUCTIONS

Date: Saturday - June 1, 2019
Time: Show 1 10:00 am
Show 2 2:00 pm
Show 3 6:00 pm
Place: The Space – Westbury NY

All students are required to be at the theatre promptly 45 minutes prior to the show times. Drop off your child at the door and a staff member will escort your dancer to the dressing room. **STUDENTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED IN THE AUDITORIUM DURING THE RECITALS.** Your cooperation is greatly appreciated with regard to this matter.

Reminder: Each dancer must bring their finale T-shirt to put over their costume for the Finale Number.

IMPORTANT!!!

All students (from the first to the last to perform) SHOULD BE EXTENDED THE COURTESY OF FULL SPECTATOR PARTICIPATION. Performance is an important part of learning. When students see people leaving the auditorium and empty seats, they feel they are not worth watching. Please help us build their self-confidence and give value to their achievement. Your support is necessary and **YOU WILL BE SURPRISED TO SEE WHAT YOU WOULD HAVE MISSED!!**

We are most grateful for your courtesy, so we can provide the utmost opportunity for all students to perform to the very best of their abilities.

DISMISSAL PROCEDURE - WRISTBANDS

Each family will receive a bracelet(s) for dismissal. Only the person wearing the wristband will be allowed backstage after the recital to pickup each dancer. This will allow for greater ease and security when retrieving your dancer.

****Please keep this wristband, as it is necessary for a speedy dismissal****

ALL DANCERS AND FAMILIES MUST TAKE ALL BELONGINGS OUT OF THE DRESSING ROOMS IN BETWEEN ALL SHOWS AND EXIT THE BUILDING. EVERYONE WILL RE-ENTER THE BUILDING FOR EACH SHOW.