N'Ferno Performing Arts Center – Required Class Attire

All items listed may be purchased directly from N'Ferno's website <u>www.nfernodance.com</u>
Please visit the <u>Shopping Cart</u> Tab for pricing.

N'Ferno believes uniforms foster a more structured and disciplined class environment, promoting a more positive classroom atmosphere. It is also exceedingly important for our teachers to adequately see their students' bodies to encourage and aid in developing proper body alignment, correct muscular development, and help prevent injuries. The dress code (both hair & attire) will be STRICTLY enforced throughout the dance season.

N'Ferno strives to produce dancers that have a sense of discipline and focus. This means we MUST professionally present ourselves, starting with our dancer's appearance. Attending class adequately dressed and looking professional dictates your dancer's classroom experience, creating a level of respect for themselves and the instructor.

CLASS	<u>HAIR</u>	Leotard Color	<u>Shoes</u>	<u>Tights</u>
Intro to Ballet 1 & 2	NEAT BUN OR	Pink	Ballet Pink Ballet	Ballet Pink
	PONYTAIL		Shoes	
Tots Ballet & Tots Jaz	NEAT BUN OR	Pink	Ballet Pink Ballet	Ballet Pink
	PONYTAIL		Shoes	
All Jumps & Turns	NEAT BUN OR	Black or Class Color	Barefoot or Foot	Suntan Conversion or
	PONYTAIL		Mittens	Leggings
All Hip-Hop Classes	PONYTAIL	N'Ferno Tee	Street Sneakers	Black cargo pants,
			NO Crocs or UGGS	leggings, or hip-hop pants NO JEANS
All Acro/ Tumble & Tiny Tumble	PONYTAIL	Any Color Biketard	Barefoot	N/A
Musical Theater, Jazz, & Intro to Jazz	NEAT BUN OR	Black or Class Color	Black Slip On Jazz	Suntan Conversion
	PONYTAIL		Shoes	
Ballet Youth Beginner	NEAT BUN	Sky Blue	Ballet Pink Ballet	Suntan Conversion
			Shoes	Lt. Suntan Ballet
				shoe
Modern Youth Beginner	NEAT BUN OR	Sky Blue	Barefoot	Suntan Conversion or
	PONYTAIL			Black Leggings
Ballet Youth Intermediate	NEAT BUN	Royal Blue	Lt. Suntan Ballet Shoes	Suntan Conversion
Modern Youth Intermediate	NEAT BUN OR	Royal Blue	Barefoot	Suntan Conversion or
	PONYTAIL			Black Leggings
Pre-Teen/Teens Teens	NEAT BUN	Purple	Flesh-toned	Suntan Conversion
Beginners/Intermediate			colored Ballet	
			Shoes	
Pre-Teen/Teens Teens	NEAT BUN	Purple	Barefoot	Suntan Conversion
Beginners/Intermediate				
Teens Ballet Intermediate /	NEAT BUN	Red	Flesh-tones	Suntan Conversion
Advanced			colored Ballet	
			Shoes	
Teens Modern Intermediate /	NEAT BUN OR	Red	Barefoot	Suntan Conversion
Advanced	PONYTAIL			

Underpants will not be allowed under tights and leotard in Ballet and Modern Pre-Teens/Teens Advance Beginner, Intermediate & Advanced, and Jumps & Turns Classes. Flesh-toned colored high-cut underwear or Flesh-toned colored camisole leotards are permitted under tights and leotards. These items are the ONLY exception and alternatives we are allowing in class. They are available in all dancewear shops and catalogs.

Please remember that "Tights are a dancer's underwear," it is beneficial for all dancers to become familiar with this aspect of a dancer's education as early as possible. Suppose we see colorful, patterned, printed underwear, boy shorts, or things of that nature poking out of your child's leotard during class. In that case, your child will be asked to leave class to adjust their undergarments to follow the undergarment rule by not exposing their undergarments. If your child cannot make those adjustments during class, they will be dismissed for the day for not being adequately prepared for class. *IMPORTANT!* If your child continues to attend class unprepared, they will be dismissed automatically until they return appropriately dressed for class and will be entirely dismissed for the day.

For Acro/Tumble: Dancers must ensure their knees, ankles, and feet are visible. N'Ferno Biketard or any color biketard is required. A N'Ferno Biketard can be purchased directly from our website.

For Musical Theater & Jazz: Dancers must ensure their knees, ankles, and feet are visible. Hipster, boy shorts, and yoga shorts may be worn over a dancer's leotard. **Sweats & baggies are not permitted.** Any fitted leotard or dance top is acceptable. Slip-on jazz shoes are desired for jazz (approx. \$30).

For Hip-Hop: Dancers can wear jazz, cargo pants, leggings, and hip-hop pants to class. Bandannas and hats are permitted in the hip-hop class at the instructor's discretion. Hip-hop sneakers are preferred. Knee pads are recommended. **Shorts and bare legs are not allowed**.

Male Dancers: Hip Hop: N'Ferno T-shirt, solid color cargo or sweatpants pant dance sneakers. Musical Theater, Jazz & Ballet: Black dance pants & White T-shirt, & Black Ballet (for ballet) or Jazz shoes are acceptable. Modern: Black dance pants & White T-shirt. Acro: N'Ferno T-shirt & black athletic shorts.