

HAO *Expression*
School of Theater
Performance Guidelines

Costumes

Top:

Girls: Bra top or tight fitting camisole top

Boys: Tank top.

Bottom:

Girls: Dance short or capri leggings

Boys: Dance short or capri leggings

Shoes:

Barefoot

Tan color. Ballet slippers, modern foot undies, or jazz shoes. (No socks)

Nails: Remove all nail polish

Accessory: Remove all jewelries and watches

Hair

Girls: braids, any kind. All hair must be tied back, off the face and forehead

Boys: hair must be off the face. May wear headbands. Short hair use gel to keep forehead cleared.

Makeup

Guidelines courtesy makeup-artists Julie Zeller and Laura Plottier

Foundation:

Use a foundation that tends to be warm like gold.

Concealer:

Apply around the eyes to remove the lines of fatigue. Should be lighter than the foundation.

Eyes:

Apply primer on the eyelids to help fix the color.

Eyeshadow: Color combination:

1. gold, pink and brown.
2. gold, beige, brown: for costumes in orange, green, yellow
3. light grey, dark grey: for costume in blue, red and actually any color.
Please avoid blue, green or red on eyes except special effect for a character.

Demo of combination 2.: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QFOIKkSxb1w>
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMagV4ISk6Y>

Demo of combination 3.: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pr5cWCzQv2U>

Eye liner: black

Mascara: black

Lips:

Lipstick: raspberry color, and gloss.

Make your choice to emphasize eyes OR lips.

Cheeks:

Bronzer.

Blush (to put over bronzer): apricot or peach color. Light touch.

Shimmering: Preferably no shimmering, unless your character calls for this.

At the end, put some powder to finish your makeup, insist on the T-Zone (Forehead, Nose, Chin).

Performing Days

1. Before leaving home: Have hair and light makeup done. Use gel and spray avoid loose hair sticking out or hanging in the face.

2. To-bring:

- Costumes, props, headpieces
- Spare top and bottom
- Hair items: Brush, comb, mirror, pins, spray
- Make up kit
- Snacks and water (no eating in costumes)
- Items for quiet activity

3. Arrive at the theater on time. SIGN-IN.

4. Do not let anyone see your costume. Wear a HaoExpression sweatshirt over costumes if you really need to go out. Do not go meet family & friends during intermission, stay focus.

4. Turn off/silence cell phone when arrive backstage. No talking

5. Be ready in wings 2 numbers before cue.

6. After the show, pack all your belongings

7. Remove trash, scene sets, clean up your area and tidy up the dressing rooms/areas

8. Return costumes in the bag with your name, as it was handed out to you.

Have fun with the show!