

Nutcracker Policies - SHOW DAYS - November 28th/29th/30th

What to Bring

- Dance shoes

What to Wear

- As little outside gear as possible (for example, please try to not send them wearing snow pants, a jacket, a toque, a face warmer, a scarf, and mittens)
- Full (FIRST) Costume & Tights
- All hair and makeup done for first role

What NOT to Bring

- Anything else :)

Arrival

- All dancers must enter through the SIDE door (door #1)
- All dancers must arrive fully in costume
- Dancers in multiple roles must arrive fully in your first costume, carrying ONE dance bag or garment bag with your other costumes
- They will hang up their jacket / outside gear on a rolling rack
- They will go to their waiting area in the back hall, a dressing room, or a classroom
- Please check the schedule below for Drop Off times



Departure

- When they finish dancing, they will wait in their designated areas
- At the end of the performance, dancers will get their outside gear on, and exit through the same door! (door #1). A volunteer or staff member will meet them there to ensure safe pick up.
- **Please check the schedule below for drop off & pick up times. These are slightly staggered to avoid congestion, and are different from the dress rehearsal.**

If you are watching the performance, your dancer may be dropped off before the show and picked up afterwards. Please ensure they are still stage ready!

November 28th & 29th (7:00pm Shows)

Please ensure that dancers are on time. Please follow all guidelines from the previous page. Drop off and pick up times are listed below. Please do not drop off your dancer any earlier than scheduled. The time listed below is the time they should be READY TO PERFORM. If your dancer takes a few minutes to get themselves organized, get their shoes on, etc. - please plan for that. **We run on schedule and do not hold the show for any performer or reason. If a dancer is late they may miss their stage time.** Dancers must be SHOW READY (in costume & makeup) when they arrive. *If you are volunteering, your dancer may come when you arrive!*

Drop Off Times

- 6:00
 - Clara, Nanny, Butler, Fritzzy
- 6:15
 - Party Adults, Drosselmeyer, Party Kids
 - Toy Soldiers, Dolls, Harlequin
- 6:30
 - Mouse Queen, Rats, Nutcracker
 - Nutcracker Soldiers
- 6:45
 - Mice
- 7:00
 - Snowflakes, Snowqueen/Snowking, Angels
- 7:30
 - Flowers/Garlands, Coffee, Peppermint, Hot Chocolate, Candy Cane, Reed Flutes, Licorice, Mother Ginger
- 7:45
 - Gingerbread, Bon Bons, Tea

Pick Up Times

- 7:45
 - Party Kids, Fritz, Dolls, Toy Soldiers
 - Party Adults
- 8:00
 - Mice, Nutcracker Soldiers, Angels
- 8:30
 - Gingerbread, Bon Bons, Tea, Garlands
- 9:00
 - All other dancers
 - **Any dancer whose family is watching the show**

November 29th & 30th (2:00pm Show)

Please ensure that dancers are on time. Please follow all guidelines from the previous page. Drop off and pick up times are listed below. Please do not drop off your dancer any earlier than scheduled. The time listed below is the time they should be READY TO PERFORM. If your dancer takes a few minutes to get themselves organized, get their shoes on, etc. - please plan for that. **We run on schedule and do not hold the show for any performer or reason. If a dancer is late they may miss their stage time.** Dancers must be SHOW READY (in costume & makeup) when they arrive. *If you are volunteering, your dancer may come when you arrive!*

Drop Off Times

- 1:00
 - Clara, Nanny, Butler, Fritzzy
- 1:15
 - Party Adults, Drosselmeyer, Party Kids
 - Toy Soldiers, Dolls, Harlequin
- 1:30
 - Mouse Queen, Rats, Nutcracker
 - Nutcracker Soldiers
- 1:45
 - Mice
- 2:00
 - Snowflakes, Snowqueen/Snowking, Angels
- 2:30
 - Flowers/Garlands, Coffee, Peppermint, Hot Chocolate, Candy Cane, Reed Flutes, Licorice, Mother Ginger
- 2:45
 - Gingerbread, Bon Bons, Tea

Pick Up Times

- 2:45
 - Party Kids, Fritz, Dolls, Toy Soldiers
 - Party Adults
- 3:00
 - Mice, Nutcracker Soldiers, Angels
- 3:30
 - Gingerbread, Bon Bons, Tea, Garlands
- 4:00
 - All other dancers
 - **Any dancer whose family is watching the show**