

# ***Rapids School of Performing Arts***

## **DRESS CODE**

### **Ballet**

Combo through level 3 students will be required to wear full soled leather ballet slippers, and level 4 through 7 students will be required to wear split sole canvas ballet slippers with laces tucked in. Tights and leotards should be worn to class at all times. Students may elect to wear warm up garments such as leg warmers and sweater wraps, as well as ballet skirts or solid colored biker shorts. Hair should be pulled back in a bun if length allows, or secured back away from the dancer's face for shorter hairstyles.

### **Tap, Jazz, Musical Theatre, Contemporary Modern**

Students should wear appropriate dance apparel such as biker shorts, capris or full length yoga pants, or leggings. Tank tops, t-shirts and leotards may be worn with suitable warm ups. Tap and jazz shoe style will be determined by level. Contemporary modern class does not require shoes. Musical Theatre class will be conducted barefoot, though footwear for recitals will be based on each individual performance piece.

### **Hip Hop**

Students will be required to wear sneakers or specific hip hop performance shoes (depending on recital dance, uniform shoes might be ordered). Dancers should wear comfortable clothing they can move freely in.