

Dance Collective Uniform Policy 2026–2027

Introduction

This Uniform Policy outlines the expectations for student attire at Dance Collective. Wearing the correct uniform ensures safety, professionalism, and a sense of unity among our students. The required uniform for all classes is provided by Squad Dancewear in partnership with Dance Collective. This policy applies to all students enrolled in the school.

Uniform Requirements

Uniform is compulsory for all classes.

All students must wear the correct Dance Collective uniform for their class discipline(s). Uniform items are available exclusively through Squad Dancewear. The required uniform includes appropriate dancewear, footwear, and accessories as outlined for each class level and style.

If your child is taking part in a trial, no uniform is required until the trial is completed. During this period, please dress your child in comfortable clothing that allows easy movement—shorts or leggings, crop tops or leotards, and bare feet are ideal.

Compliance and Expectations

Upon enrolment, students are expected to obtain the correct uniform before the start of the following term.

Students should arrive at each class, rehearsal, and performance in full uniform, clean, and in good condition.

Hair should be styled appropriately for each class (e.g., secured bun for ballet, tidy ponytail for other classes where applicable). Jewellery should be kept to a minimum for safety.

Students must wear the correct footwear for their dance style as specified in the uniform list.

Purpose of the Uniform

The uniform policy supports:

Safety

A dress code ensures dancers have adequate mobility and grip during class or rehearsal. Improper clothing can impact technique, precision, and visibility, especially in group and partnering choreography.

Increased Focus

Uniforms eliminate distractions caused by inappropriate clothing, incorrect shoes, or hair in the face, helping dancers concentrate on their learning and performance.

Respect

Following the dress code demonstrates seriousness and respect toward the dance style, signalling readiness for class and commitment to skill development.

Body Positioning

Proper attire allows instructors and dancers to observe body alignment and muscle engagement, which aids in improving technique.

Confidence and Attitude

Wearing the right clothes boosts confidence and posture, encouraging dancers to take on challenges with a positive attitude.

Enforcement

Failure to wear the correct uniform may result in reminders to the student and parent/guardian.

Continued non-compliance could affect participation in classes, rehearsals, or performances.

Acknowledgement

By enrolling in Dance Collective, you agree to comply with the Dance Collective Uniform Policy for the 2026–2027 season. Correct uniform is expected for the start of the term following enrolment.