

# DRESS REHEARSAL RULES

Held at Cooperative Middle School in Stratham

Please see reverse for rehearsal schedule!

- ★ Students should arrive at least 30 minutes early (45 for older dancers) to set themselves up in dressing rooms and warm up/stretch.
- ★ Times listed on the schedule are **approximations**. Rehearsal times could run later or even earlier than listed.
- ★ **ONE** mother or female guardian may stay with young dancers. **No other observers are allowed!** This is not the time to watch the show for free. To keep chaos and noise to a minimum, please try not to bring siblings to rehearsal.
- ★ Dancers may sit in the auditorium during dress rehearsal. This is their only chance to see the other dancers live, as they will remain backstage during the recitals.
- ★ **Men/boys will not be allowed in any dressing room, as girls will be changing.**
- ★ Remember to bring all **Costumes**, **Accessories**, **Shoes** and **Tights**, **Makeup** and **Hair supplies!**
- ★ Please mark your children's names in their shoes so there are no mix-ups or lost shoes.
- ★ Please make sure shoes are clean and neat for the performance. Be sure you have the correct color shoes for your class. Please snip off excess drawstring on ballet slippers.
- ★ Snacks and drinks are permitted, but should not be consumed while wearing costumes! Please bring clear beverages and clean snacks. Dark juices, soda and chocolate snacks are not recommended.
- ★ You **MAY** take photos at dress rehearsal, however you may **NOT** use a flash. ***Videotaping is still forbidden***, for the safety of our dancers as well as compliance with copyright laws.
- ★ Students may leave dress rehearsal once their class has been dismissed by their instructor.