

Nutcracker Costume Accessory List - You Are Responsible for These Items

GCB provides almost all costuming, but certain items will need to be provided by the individual dancer. It is your responsibility to borrow or purchase according to the roles below. You may keep any item that you purchase, or you may donate back to GCB. We do have a very limited supply of nude leotards, slippers, character shoes, etc. and will bring them to costume fittings and loan on a first come, first serve basis. If interested, check with GCB before purchasing your own.

YOU ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO BUY WHAT YOU NEED IN OCTOBER. DO NOT WAIT. PANIC MAY ENSUE.

All female dancers:

- nude thin-strap leotard*
- "ballet pink" (color) tights (2 new pairs) - full length footed or convertible - must cover toes and heel
- pink ballet slippers - clean and in good condition, with no holes or tape
- pointe shoes (if applicable)

*Lead and Little Mice, Fritz, and Party Boys have costumes that do not require a *nude* leotard underneath.

All male dancers:

- Dance belt (ages 12 and older)
- White or black tights (2 pair, will vary by role) - full length footed or convertible - must cover toes and heel
- White or black ballet slippers (will vary by role) - clean and in good condition, with no holes or tape

Party Women:

- Costume jewelry and hair accessories to create a fancy updo

Clara / Party Girls:

- Hairpiece of curls (a group order will be placed)

Bralette example:

Arabian Soloist and Corps

- Nude bralette (midriff is bare skin)



Required Shoes and Tights for Specific Roles

Note: Pointe shoes should be blackened with a sharpie marker or whitened (using white pancake make-up, please ask for instructions) before tech week.

- Harlequin Doll - black pointe shoes
- Toy Soldier Doll - white pointe shoes and white tights or thin socks
- Soldier Captain - black pointe shoes and black tights or thin socks
- Nutcracker Prince - white tights (2) and black boots
- Snow King - white tights (2) and white boots
- Arabian Prince - nude/tan ballet slippers (no tights)
- Royal Servants - white crew-length socks and white ballet slippers
- Sheep - black ballet slippers (please swap out black elastic with pink!)
- Soldiers - black jazz shoes (or) black ballet slippers
- Party Men - black jazz shoes (must be soft-soled) and black socks
- Party Women and Maid - black character shoes (or any Mary Jane style shoe with a 1-3" heel and strap) with black tights or black panty hose (sheer or opaque)
- Party Boys - white tights (dance tights or girls dress-up tights) and black ballet slippers (not jazz shoes)