

The Nutcracker Master Info Sheet

Parent Info Week is November 13-18 during the first 20 minutes of class.

Tickets go on sale Monday, October 30 at 3:00

In-Studio Dress Rehearsal at NSDS

Saturday, November 11th

No Costumes Needed

Flowers (Flower Scene) 9-11 am

Flower Buds (Flower Scene) 10-11 am

Snowflakes/Flurries (Snow Scene) 11-1:30

Bunnies (Snow Scene) 12:30-1:30

Reindeer (Snow Scene) 12:30-1:30

Party/Family Scene 2-4 pm

Mice/Rats/Soldiers "Battle" 4-6 pm

GOLD CAST CLASSES

China Dolls-Wed 9:30 Mom & Me- Miss Jill

Bunnies-Tues 4:30 DB 3/4 -Miss Emmy

Angels-Wed 5:30 Db 3/4/5-Miss Maria

Reindeer (Gold Group) Sat 9:30 DB 3/4/5 -Miss Rebecca

Gingers-Mon 5:30 DB 5/6-Miss Maria

Flower Buds-Thur 4:30 DB 5/6-Miss Elisabeth

Toy Flutes-Tues 5:30 DB 6/7-Miss Emmy

Toy Flutes-Thur 4:30 DB 7/8-Miss Emmy

SILVER CAST CLASSES

China Dolls-Wed 9:30 Mom & Me (Optional)-Miss Jill

China Dolls-Wed 4:30-DB 2/3-Miss Maria

Bunnies-Thur 5:30 DB 3/4-Miss Elisabeth

China Dolls-Thur 1:15-DB 4/5-Miss Jill

Gingers-Wed 4:30-DB 5/6-Miss Katie

Flower Buds-Thur 5:30 DB 5/6-Miss Emmy

Angels-Saturday 10:30 DB 6/7/8-Miss Rebecca

Reindeer (Silver Group) Saturday 9:30 DB 3/4/5-Miss Rebecca

Toy Flutes-Mon 4:30-DB 6/7/8-Miss Katie

Toy Flutes-Wed 5:30-DB 6/7/8-Miss Katie

**Dress Rehearsal & Shows are held at
WHITEFISH BAY HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
1200 EAST FAIRMONT AVENUE, WFB 53217**

Dress Rehearsal at WFB on Saturday, December 2nd

Wear full costumes, tights, hair & make-up

This is a CLOSED rehearsal-No Parents

**Arrive in lobby 15 minutes PRIOR to your stage time

You will enter the lobby by your marked "meeting spot"

An NSDS Staffer will take your dancer to the auditorium

Once finished, dancers return to "meeting spot" for

parent pick-up.

1-1:45-Party Scene

1:45-2:30-Battle Scene

2:30-3:15-Snow Scene

3:15-4:00 Angels/Dross/Soloists

4-4:15- China Dolls & Dragon Dashers

4:15-4:45-Gingers

4:30-5:15-Toy Flutes/Toy Doll/Harlequin

5:15-6- Flower Scene & Flower Buds

6-7:00-Grande Pas-Solists/Family/Dross

GOLD SHOW-SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3RD AT 11:00

SILVER SHOW-SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3RD AT 3:00

The day of the shows, all dancers can be dropped off at the entrance to the auditorium lobby at "DANCER DROP-OFF" At that time, NSDS Staff will take the dancers down to the dressing rooms, Choir Room or Green Room.

When the show is finished, you will be able to pick up your dancer on the stage.

- *Don't forget to bring your tickets with you**
- *No Cell phone use/videotaping/flash photo**
- *DVD/Blu-Ray available for \$25-\$35**
- *No Food or Drink in Auditorium**
- *Please pick up all trash & Belongings**

Nutcracker Information Guide

Ballet Levels I-VIII

MICE-Ballet I

Pink/Grey Dress
Mice Ear Head Band and gloves
Pink Tights and Pink Slippers
Hair in ½ curly ponytail
Nose painted Black with 3 black whiskers on each cheek

RATS-Ballet II

Black Leggings and Turtleneck and Fur Vest
Rat Ears and black gloves
Pink Slippers and Black Socks worn over slippers-we provide socks and gloves
Hair in Bun
Nose Painted Black with 3 black whiskers on each cheek

SOLDIERS-Ballet III

Blue/Red/White Leotard with Tutu
Soldier Hat worn over Bun
Pink Tights and Pink Slippers
Very Circular dark pink blush on each cheek apple

PARTY GIRLS-Ballet IV

Dress and black booty shorts underneath
Tan Tights
Tan Ballet Slippers (pancaked slippers; see pancake attachment)
Your choice of curly hairstyle
Your choice of fun party earrings/necklace and hairpiece to go with your dress

FLOWERS-Ballet V/VI/VII

Dress (pink or blue) with arm bands
Hair in Bun with headpiece worn on right side
Pink Tights and Pink Slippers

SNOW-Ballet VIII

White Dress
Pink Tights and Pink Slipper
Hair in Bun with Hairpiece worn on the right side

ALL BALLETS LEVEL MAKE-UP

Foundation
Bronzer
Blush
Black Liquid Eye Liner
Black Eyelashes (Company Only)
Mauve/Brown Eye Shadow
Black Mascara
Maroon/Burgundy Lipstick

Nutcracker Information Week

Whitefish Bay High School Auditorium
1200 East Fairmont Avenue & the cross street is Ardmore

Dress Rehearsal for all @WFB-Saturday, 12/2
(See sheet for specific classes and when they go)

Wear costumes, have hair and make-up done

GO over hair and make-up (see sheet) Little girls---curly ½ ponytail.

Drop-off/Pick-up zone is right out in front of WFB on the most eastern doors on Fairmont. There will be signage, etc. to help you find the doors easily. You can quickly park your to bring your kids in. If they are 3rd grade and older, they should be able to run in. You can also park your car and bring them in that way if you are not comfortable parking with your hazards on.

Dancers 2nd grade and younger should meet at their labeled Nutcracker group in the front, lower lobby. A chaperone will then take the dancers into the auditorium. Once they are finished dancing, the chaperone will bring the kids back to the same meeting spot for you to pick them up.

The dancers will all come into the auditorium to sit with their class and the “Nut Buddies”. Please remember that the rehearsals are closed to family members. Please be aware of your exact drop-off/pick-times so everything can run smoothly with parents coming in and out for pick-up.

Tickets will NOT be sold at the dress rehearsal. Your last day to purchase tickets at NSDS is Thursday, November 30th. You will be able to purchase more if need be at 10 am on Sunday, December 3rd for Cash or Check only. This goes for DVD/Blu-Ray as well. There is NO videotaping/flash photograph allowed.

The School doors to the auditorium will open at 10am. Please allow plenty of time for parking as there are only 2 small lots, and the rest is street parking. We wish we didn't have to worry about the parking situation, and we thank you for your understanding and patience.

There are 2 shows, Gold show on 12/3 at 11 and Silver Show at 3. Read off the sheet for specific class color casts. Dancer Drop-Off is 10:15 for Gold and 2:15 for Silver. Once you drop your dancer off, you are free to enter the auditorium and find your assigned seat. There will be hot pink signs around noting the seating sections, (Right, Center, Left, etc).

TICKETS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE!!!

Latecomers will be seated in the balcony seating until intermission as we do not want to disrupt the audience while searching for their assigned seat.

The run time is about 1.75-2 hours.

There is **ABSOLUTELY NO** food or drink allowed in auditorium this year.
Water is Ok

At the end of the show, you will be able to come up on stage to get your dancer and take pictures and visit. Please be sure that you have picked up all of your belongings and trash around you.

Lindsay Doyle will also be there taking orders for her NUTCRACKER Cartoon Sketches!

\$60 unframed & \$75 framed. She will be accepting text snapshots of your dancer so she can get to drawing them. They are adorable and you will be receiving an email soon about it...

You will be able to order your DVD/Blue Ray up until Saturday, December 10th.

Nutcracker -Dance Basics Information Guide

(2 1/2 years - 2nd Graders)

CHINESE

Blue and Purple Dress/Leotard

Pink Tights

Your choice of curled hairstyle with hairpiece worn on the right side

ANGELS

White Dress

Pink Tights

Your choice of curled hairstyle with Halo Headband (we will provide Halo)

GINGERS

Blue/Purple Dress

Curly half ponytail with hairpiece worn on the ponytail

REINDEER

Brown/White Leotard

Pink Tights

Curly half ponytail with Antlers (Headband)

BUNNIES

White/Pink Dress

Globes

Pink Tights

Curly half ponytail with Ears (Headband) Pink nose with 3 black whiskers on each side

FLOWER BUDS

Purple Dress

Pink Tights

Your choice of curled hairstyle with hairpiece clipped to the right side

TOY FLUTES

Pink/Blue/White/Yellow dress

Pink tights

Curly pigtails with bows in each

Circular Pink Blush on cheeks

ALL CLASSES

Pink Tights, Pink Ballet Slippers

ALL CLASSES MAKE-UP

Light Pink Blush

Mascara

Pink Lipstick

No Jewelry

No Nail Polish

Nutcracker Make-Up Guide

Make-Up should look clean and dramatic for a fierce stage look. Don't be stingy when applying your make-up. You don't want to look washed out under the stage lights.

1. Evenly apply heavy foundation/moisturizer all over your clean face, eyes, neck and into hairline
2. Apply black liquid eye liner on top lid with a slight cat eye
3. Lightly line and blend the lower lashes, thicker towards the corner of your eyes
4. Sweep the lightest color of eye shadow all over the lid
5. Use the darkest shadow to make a slight triangle on the outer corner of the eye on the eye bone
6. Use the Medium color to blend the two together, mainly just over the eye ball
7. Apply Black mascara to top and bottom lashes to finish the eye
8. Generously apply bronzer with a large brush all over face and neck, be sure to blend well
9. Make a fish face and sweep blush over the apples of cheeks toward hair line
10. Carefully fill in lips with Pomegranate/Mauve color

Please be sure to touch up your make-up regularly throughout the day. You will be sweating which can cause your face to become oily. Try Oil Blotting Sheets to take care of the shine. If your make-up starts to fade after a few hours, please make sure to apply more if needed.