

Recital HAIR & MAKE-UP DETAILS & INSTRUCTIONS

(ALL Styles of Dance ~ HipHop included!)

All YOUNG MEN Dancers:

HAIR: Please style nicely as you would wear your hair going to a special event!

MAKEUP: Light NEUTRAL COLOR PALETTE makeup on eyes, cheeks, lips to help features stand out under the bright stage lights.

Levels Preschool, Kinder, Elementary I & II, and Intermediate:

- **HAIR: Bun at the "crown of the head"**
 - NOT on "top of head"... NOT "mid-head"
- The "CROWN" is right between the tippy top and middle of the head. Right at the curve.



Levels 1-7 :

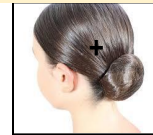
- **HAIR: MIDDLE PART**
 - o low bun, just above the nape of the neck... where the hair line meets the neck,
 - o **Levels 1-7 are required to have a matching "FUN BUN" (faux hair scrunchie).**

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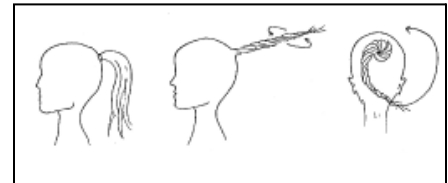
[KMC Dance Performance "FUN BUNS" for Levels 1-7](#)

or [Curly Hair Product African American Hair Piece Wig Ponytail Natural Hair Extensions Afro Scrunchie Brown](#)



"STAGE HAIR 101":

- Arrive to picture day, dress rehearsal, and show days with your child's hair ALREADY fixed in their specific "ballet bun".
- First dampen the hair with a wet comb and gel.
- Pull the hair into a tight ponytail and secure it with an elastic hair fastener.
- Twist the ponytail slightly before beginning to wind it, so that it stays together like a rope.
- **No wisps of hair should be free**, including pieces around the ears and nape of neck.
- **Use a "hair net" around the ballet bun.**
- Hair should be stiff (and "crunchy" to the touch)
- Do not allow rubber bands/barrettes to show. If there is a need to have barrettes make sure they are the same color as the hair.
- Use a lot of hair spray. The hair should be stiff to the touch.
- For students with shorter haircuts... a nice, simple, style will be acceptable... **no extra ribbons or bows...Only the hair piece that is assigned to keep the uniform look among all the students.**
- It may help to practice putting your child's hair up before the week of pictures & rehearsals so you are "free of worries".



"STAGE MAKEUP 101":

"Neutral Color Palette"

- Foundation/Base (Levels 1 thru 7) - one to two shades darker than your natural complexion.
- Eyeshadow - Neutral Shades
- Mascara - Please use brown for lighter hair colors & black for darker hair colors. - IF your kiddo will allow it :)
- **Fake Lashes** (Levels 1-7)
- Blush/Rouge on the cheeks
- RED lipstick

QUESTIONS? - reach out to Miss Tabby tabitha.colmary@kmcdance.org