MAKE UP: RECOMMENDED COLORS

- Smoky Eyes: Cover Girl Quad Palate "Drama Eyes" #222 OR Cover Girl Quad "Daring Nude" #282
- Mauve/Gray Eyes: Revlon Colorstay Quad Palate "Precocious" #510
- Blush: Cover Girl "Iced Plum" #510
- Lipstick: Maybelline #435 Plum Perfect
- Eyelashes

10 & Younger: Ardell size 11011 & Older: Ardell size 105

MAKE UP TIPS

- Using a foundation primer and eye shadow primer will help make up stay on through multiple performances.
- Blend foundation/powder onto neck for seamless coverage.
- Apply black eyeliner onto eyelids BEFORE putting on fake eyelashes. Liner will help cover any mistakes.
- Cut eyelashes to size prior to putting them on. Let glue dry at least one minute before applying eye shadow.
- Use water proof eye liner and mascara to keep sweat from smearing eye make up. Bring a wash cloth to blot face between performances.
- Make up will apply easier and blend better by using brushes vs. small applicators.
- Make up should be put on heavily and with multiple layers. When checking to see if it's enough, ask someone who is 10 feet away from you, not right next to you. Stage lights will severely drown out a dancer's face.

HAIR TIPS

- Use LOTS of hairspray and gel to keep hair in place. Dancers with frizzy hair may want to style their hair while damp, as well as use frizz control product for a slick finish.
- Be sure to use bands and bobby pins that are the color of the dancer's hair.
- Hair nets help keep little hairs from sticking out of buns.
- Use a small comb to part hair for a clean line. Hairspray part in place prior to pulling back and styling.
- For a perfect bun every time, try using a hair "donut." Can be found at beauty stores like Ulta and Sally's Beauty Supply.
- Curly ponytails should be done by using a small barrel curling iron (and by taking small sections of hair each time.) Big barrels will not hold the curl through the night. Spray each section separately after curling.
- You Tube has plenty of hair styling videos for visual help.
- All younger dancers that will need a style change done by our backstage staff will need to supply the following in a bag with their name on it: 1) Hairspray/gel Hair brush 2) Bobby pins and bands 3) Hair net and donut (if needed)

Please arrange for the style change with the back stage staff at dress rehearsal.