

# TVS Dance Performance Handbook 2024-2025



**The Nutcracker. Friday, December 6, 2024 at  
6:00pm**

- Stephen Seleny Theater (SST)

**House Opens:** 5:30 PM

**Show Time:** 6:00 PM

**Admission:** Free! A live stream of the performance will be available on YouTube. Please search for 'Trinity Valley School' starting at 6 PM.

**Snow White. Thursday, April 17, 2025 at  
6:00pm**

- Stephen Seleny Theater (SST)

**House Opens:** 5:30 PM

**Show Time:** 6:00 PM

**Admission:** Free! A live stream of the performance will be available on YouTube. Please search for 'Trinity Valley School' starting at 6 PM.

## Spring Performance: Snow White

Join us for our Spring Performance at the Stephen Seleny Theater (SST)! We're excited to present a magical rendition of *Snow White*, featuring our talented dancers from all after-school programs. The performance will include students from PreK Dance, as well as all levels of Ballet, Lyrical, Jazz, and Hip Hop.

After the *Snow White* performance, Ms. Courtney Sebastian and Ms. Calista Gonzalez will take the stage to share a few words with the audience. We will then celebrate our students with a slideshow featuring Family Dedications and a Senior Slideshow to honor our graduating seniors.

Next, we'll showcase solo and duet performances from our Level 4 and 5 dancers, who have worked incredibly hard on their routines. **We encourage all families to stay and show their support during these final performances.**

The evening will close with all performers coming together for a grand bow.

We can't wait to share this special event with you! We are incredibly proud of the hard work and achievements of our TVS dancers and are thrilled to celebrate their talents through these performances!



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## TVS DANCE PHOTO SHOOT SESSION

We're excited to announce that a professional photographer will be taking photos of our dancers during regular class times on the following days. Photos will be available for order and can be used for optional family dedications in the Fall and Spring Performance program.

- **Fall:** Monday, November 4, 2024 - Friday, November 8, 2024
- **Spring:** Monday, March 10, 2025 - Friday, March 14, 2025

**Location:** TVS Dance Studio

Dancers will receive costumes in class for the photo shoots. Students should wear lipstick and have their hair styled in a bun. Our staff will be available to assist with this!

## FAMILY DEDICATION INFORMATION

Family Dedications are now available for our upcoming **Spring Performance!** This is a wonderful way to celebrate your dancer and show your support. Family Dedications are optional "shout-outs" to your dancer, which will be printed in color in our recital program.

The program will be an 8.5 x 11-inch magazine-style layout, and we are offering the following Dedication sizes:

- **\$40.00 – Standard Quarter-Page (4.25 x 5.5 inches)**
- **\$70.00 – Deluxe Half-Page (8.5 x 5.5 inches)**
- **\$100.00 – Super Deluxe Full-Page (8.5 x 11 inches)**

Please note that billing for Family Dedications will be processed through your TVS FACTS account.

**To submit your Family Dedication, [please fill out this form](#).** All orders must be received by **Wednesday, April 2, 2025**. This timeline allows our design team to create a mock-up and gives you time to provide feedback before the program goes to print.

## **WINTER PERFORMANCE REHEARSALS SCHEDULE**

Please review the schedule below for Performance Week rehearsals. Make sure to note the details, including rehearsal locations and times.

### **Tuesday, December 3, 2024**

#### **Rehearsal for LEVELS 3, 4, & 5**

**Location:** SST

**Time:** 4:30–6:00 PM

This rehearsal is **MANDATORY** for all MS and US dancers participating in the Performance, as it involves lighting and placement.

**Arrival:** All dancers should be in normal dance attire and arrive at SST by 4:25 PM. Hair, makeup, and costumes are not needed.

**Note:** Families are not required to stay and watch the rehearsal. Please pick up your dancer(s) in the SST or Upper School lot/circle.

### **Wednesday, December 4, 2024**

#### **All Cast TECH Rehearsal**

**Location:** SST

**Time:** 4:30–6:00 PM

This rehearsal is **MANDATORY** for all dancers participating in the Performance.

**Dancer Call Time:** All dancers should arrive in normal dance attire and shoes at SST by 4:25 PM. If your child will be attending Extended Day for grades PreK–4, a staff member will ensure they get dressed and join the rest of the dancers at SST by the call time.

**Note:** Families are not required to stay and watch the rehearsal. Please pick up your dancer(s) at SST, and don't forget to collect their **costume** from the rack labeled with their name.

### **Thursday, December 5, 2024**

## **All Cast DRESS Rehearsal**

**Location:** SST

**Time:** 4:30–6:00 PM

This rehearsal is **MANDATORY** for all dancers participating in the Performance.

**Drop-Off:** Please drop off your dancer at 4:25 PM in the **Dining Hall**.

Dancers are required to attend in full stage hair, makeup, and costumes.

**Pick-Up:** Please collect your dancer(s) at SST.

### **Stage Readiness Requirements:**

- **Hair:** Must be pulled up in a high bun with no part. Secure with a hair net, bobby pins, and gel or hairspray. A French twist is acceptable if hair is too short for a bun. No bangs are allowed, as they can cast shadows on the dancer's face.
- **Makeup:**
  - **Lipstick:** True Red only
  - **Blush:** On the apples of the cheeks
  - **Eye Shadow:** Blue

### **General Costume Requirements:**

- **Ballet:** Pink tights and pink ballet slippers with elastic (tights must be purchased separately).
- **Jazz:** Tights and jazz shoes (tights must be purchased separately).
- **Hip Hop:** Regular hip hop tennis shoes.

## WINTER PERFORMANCE DAY

**Friday, December 6, 2024**

- **Dancer Arrival:** 5:30 PM

Each dancer should plan to eat between school dismissal and arrival. All dancers must arrive "stage ready" (with performance hair, tights, costumes, and makeup) in the Main Dining Hall.

### **Stage Readiness:**

- **Hair:** Must be pulled up in a high bun with no part. Secure with a hair net, bobby pins, and gel or hairspray. A French twist is acceptable if hair is too short for a bun. No bangs are allowed, as they can cast shadows on the dancer's face.
- **Makeup:**
  - **Lipstick:** True Red only
  - **Blush:** On the apples of the cheeks
  - **Eye Shadow:** Blue

### **General Costume Requirements:**

- **Ballet:** Pink tights and pink ballet slippers with elastic (tights must be purchased separately).
- **Jazz:** Pink tights and jazz shoes (tights must be purchased separately).
- **Hip Hop:** Regular hip hop tennis shoes.

**Reminder:** Do not wear underwear under tights, as it is visible and looks unsightly, similar to not wearing underwear under a swimsuit.

**House Opens:** 5:30 PM

**Show Time:** 6:00 PM

**Admission:** Free! A live stream of the performance will be available on YouTube. Please search for 'Trinity Valley School' starting at 6 PM.

## **SPRING PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE**

Please review the schedule below for Performance Week rehearsals. These rehearsals are **MANDATORY** for all dancers participating in the performance. Rehearsals will be held in the **SST from 4:30-6:00 PM**.

**Note:** Families are not required to stay for the rehearsal. Please pick up your dancer(s) at 6:00 PM in the SST or the US Circle for any Middle School or Upper School students.

### **Monday, April 14, 2025:**

#### **Rehearsal for Ballet LEVELS 3, 4, & 5 (Grades: 5-12)**

MS & US dancers must arrive in **normal dance attire at the SST by 4:25 PM**. Hair, makeup, and costumes are not needed.

### **Tuesday, April 15, 2025:**

#### **All Cast TECH Rehearsal (Grades: PreK-12)**

All dancers must arrive in **normal dance attire and shoes at the SST by 4:25 PM**. If your child will be attending Extended Day or After-School Enrichment (Grades PreK–4), a staff member will assist them in getting dressed and joining the rest of the dancers at SST by the call time.

### **Wednesday, April 16, 2025:**

#### **All Cast DRESS Rehearsal (Grades: PreK-12)**

**All dancers must arrive at the Dining Hall by 4:25 PM in full stage hair, makeup, and costumes.** *Please refer to page 8 for stage readiness and general costume requirements.*

### **Thursday, April 17, 2025:**

#### **Spring Performance Day**

**All dancers must arrive at the Dining Hall by 5:30 PM in full stage hair, makeup, and costumes.** *Please refer to page 8 for stage readiness and general costume requirements.*

**Note:** Each dancer should plan to eat between school dismissal and arrival.



## **STAGE READINESS REQUIREMENTS**

**Hair:** Must be pulled up in a high bun with no part. Secure with a hair net, bobby pins, and gel or hairspray. A French twist is acceptable if hair is too short for a bun. No bangs are allowed, as they can cast shadows on the dancer's face.

### **Makeup:**

- **Lipstick:** True Red only
- **Blush:** On the apples of the cheeks
- **Eye Shadow:** Blue

## **GENERAL COSTUME REQUIREMENTS**

- **Ballet:** Pink tights and pink ballet slippers with elastic (tights must be purchased separately).
- **Jazz:** Pink tights and jazz shoes (tights must be purchased separately).
- **Hip Hop:** Regular hip hop tennis shoes.