

FAQ's and Important Information for Pictures

Please read through carefully as this will answer most of your questions!

- **Recital Pictures are April 28, 29, 30 at The Cody Theatre**
- Order forms will be provided during scheduled picture times.
- Have **one order** form for **every costume** that you want pictures in completed. Order forms will be at the event. We only need all information on one form, but name, and order on all forms.
- Have all pieces of your costume (shoes included) with you at your scheduled picture time. We cannot wait for dancers to fetch missing items.
- Bring the tights that will be worn during performances. If you forget, we will gladly edit runs, stains, and holes for an additional fee of \$50 per hour at your request.
- To keep photos moving on schedule, have your dancer **wear a nude liner** for quick changes. Staying on schedule is imperative to some scheduled dance classes and to keep your wait time to a minimum.
- **A package must be ordered prior to ordering from the add-ons.** You may **create your own package by ordering TWO add-ons.** Class photos are not an add-on that qualifies for this.
- You may order only a class photo, but we still need an order form for each one ordered.

- **Cash, Check, and Venmo will be accepted.** You may pay for multiple children and orders together, but all forms need completed for staff to sign off when paying for the first dancer to lessen confusion.
- If you will not be accompanying your dancer, be sure to email or call Melissa so she can get you order forms for signing in advance.
- **Have your dancer practice poses for each dance style in their skill level.** Individual photos move fast as most are only scheduled for 15-20 minutes per group. Some will get stuck in a rut and forget the poses.
- **Jumping and stunts are only allowed for Advanced Academy.** It takes too long for younger dancers to nail the movement for the camera which causes us to get off schedule.
- There is a digital file option for individual photos. Please legibly write your email on the form if you choose this as an option as the file and release arrive via email. Class photos are available in print only.
- We try our best to have all packages delivered to dress rehearsals. If you are not at dress rehearsal and photos are ready to deliver, they will be left at RMSA for you to grab during Nutcracker tryouts and costume returns.

Thank you for reading through this information. If you still have questions, please contact me at thompsonportraitstudios@gmail.com or 307.250.1192. I look forward to photographing your dancers!

Melissa