PICTURE WEEK FAQs

Can I sign up for hair/makeup to be done by Edgez Dance Staff?

Yes, sign up online via our form, responses are due by April 20th. You will receive a makeup arrival time for scheduled makeup/hair time to be done by Edgez Google Form (Click Here) https://forms.gle/teQ5mbjxh3kjvjcG6

Where do I bring my student(s)?

Please drop off your student at the front door of Edgez Dance **no more than 5 minutes before** the arrival time given.

Where do I pick up my student(s)?

Please pick up the student in front of Edgez Dance.

What does my student need to bring?

Students should bring a water bottle and ALL their dance shoes needed for pictures that day.

Required Shoes/Color for Recital (Click Here)

Where will my student get dressed?

Edgez Dance will have a basket for your student to set all their items in. Room B will be set up as a changing room and we will provide them a space with their garment bag of costumes and tights. Once dressed students will wait in the lobby until called into Room A for pictures.

How should my student arrive for pictures?

<u>Head & Face:</u> ALL students should arrive picture ready with Hair & Makeup **DONE** unless they are scheduled and paid for makeup or hair with Edgez Dance Staff.

- Recital Makeup
 - Natural foundation (or NO foundation if desired)
 - Pink blush
 - Red lipstick
 - Browns for eyeshadow
 - Black eyeliner/mascara (if desired No winged/cat eyeliner)
- Recital Hair: All students will be assigned one of the styles listed below.
 - Hair Style 1: Low-center ponytail
 - Hair Style 2: Low-center bun
- Makeup is for enhancing the students' existing facial features. Both photo lighting and stage lighting for the recital can easily wash out a student's face making facial features hard to see. Parents can also choose to wear lighter red lipstick as well. You are not required to have your student wear makeup but as stated, it enhances the facial features of an already stunning dancer.
- All students will be assigned hair & makeup for picture week and recital. Edgez Dance expects that parents/guardians/students follow these directions to ensure a professional look among the group photos/performances. Edgez Dance has the right to change any hair or makeup that is not correct. (Example: Ballet bun not high enough, incorrect side for the ponytail, etc.)

<u>Undergarments:</u> Nude leotards should be worn under street clothes. Students should wear nude/skin-toned undergarments to avoid bra/underwear lines during pictures.

<u>Street clothes:</u> The preferred shirt is a button-up shirt or loose top so hair/makeup does not get messed up when removing the shirt. Any bottoms are fine to arrive in.

How many pictures will my student have?

The number of photos depends on the costume count. Each student receives 3 solo photos per costume. Picture count is non-transferable to other students. Example: Student A can't only have 2 photos and "give" one of their photos to student B to have an extra. Example: 1 costume: 4 pictures total (3 solo pictures/per costume) + 1 group class picture (1 per costume) = 4 pictures total

Can I request a different time for my student's pictures?

Any solo or family photo may be rescheduled if requested before May 1st at no charge. If parents are requesting for the group time to be changed then all the parents from that class must agree to the change. Scheduling changes made on/after May 1st \$5.00 per change.

What if I can't make/miss my picture time (During picture week)?

Edgez Dance does offer "Photo Redos" for students who miss their picture time, they are allowed one of the following options: \$5.00 can reschedule their time during the existing picture week, or \$15.00 can reschedule their time on May 28th.



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What if my student shows up to the picture week not ready?

Those individuals who can not make it to their class that week or do not wish to follow makeup, hairstyle, or costume requirements can opt out of picture day/week, no refund will be given for this service or they can choose to schedule an additional time with our photographer for an additional \$15 sitting fee. This student may or may not be edited into the group photo and will not receive a solo picture in place.

Why is my student scheduled to stay for so long?

Picture time is approximately 3 - 5 minutes per student. The bigger the class the more time it takes to get through everyone's pictures. We schedule half of the class before the group photo and half after so we only have students for as short a time as possible but typically a student with 1 costume will spend about 60 - 90 minutes taking photos per class.

Why isn't my student finished with pictures at the time listed?

Students who arrive late or unprepared will impact our timeline. We provide all parents with the same resources and information however if a student arrives late that can impact our schedule and cause 10 - 20-minute delays in time. SHOULD OUR SCHEDULE HAVE A 30-MINUTE OR MORE DELAY YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

