

## WHAT TO BRING TO FESTIVAL — DANCER PACKING LIST

Wear comfortable clothing on the plane, SCBT logowear is great; be presentable. No Pajamas!!

### PACK IN YOUR CARRY-ON LUGGAGE:

- **One set of Festival class attire** (so if your luggage goes missing you can still participate)
- **Performers pack all performance accessories (not stage makeup; nothing sharp)**
- **If you are auditioning, be organized so you can grab what you need to go to directly to the audition**

Solid black leotards - at least one per day (absolutely no color, the simpler the better), pink tights (at least one pair per day), black tights or shorts for Modern if you like, technique shoes, pink pointe shoes, jazz shoes and black yoga pants for jazz if you have them. The curriculum/attire is posted on the Festival bulletin board.

Hair pins, hair spray, hair gel, brush, hair nets, elastic bands, etc; floss or thread, needle, scissors for sewing in pointe shoe ribbons if you tie and knot them

One small bottle of delicate detergent for washing out tights etc (can be shared between roommates)

Cover-ups to wear between classes and going to and from hotel to convention center

Convention center will probably be air-conditioned (cold)

Comfortable shoes to wear to and from classes — you must always have cover-ups AND SHOES on in the hotel

Bathing suit and cover up for pool area - NO BATHING SUITS ANYWHERE BUT POOL

Nice outfits for evenings - you do not have to pack your prom dress, but you need to be properly attired every evening for dinner and the performance. NO JEANS IN THE EVENING except for Dancers Party if appropriate - but they must be in good condition

Dancers Party theme is Boots and Bling ~ **bring a friendship bracelet to swap**

Toiletries - include feminine products, bandaids

Power bars, granola bars, healthy snacks

Cell phone and charger

Refillable water bottle

Sweat towel(s)

Notebook and pen for seminars and taking notes (choreography notebook)

Petite Company dancers bring a yoga mat if you have one, and grippy socks if you have them

### **MONEY FOR FOOD: 5 breakfasts and lunches**

(\$100 should cover it but depends on how much you eat and how picky you are; or credit card)

**Requirements for jeans and other attire:** clothing must be clean and in good condition. Please dress conservatively. Consider what kind of image you are presenting to the public. Do not show a lot of skin, including midriff. Sweats or warm cover-ups between classes. You need to be properly covered up to watch performances and it may be cool in the evenings. Remember you are representing Santa Cruz Ballet Theatre ... make a good impression at all times!

**No nail polish** (clear is okay; no French nails)

**Edited jewelry for classes:** small post earrings only, one per ear; no rings or anything else; no facial jewelry in classes or performance. No visible tattoos at any time except pool and hotel room.

**NO PAJAMAS IN PUBLIC AREAS** - wear them to bed

**No chewing gum** in public areas — in your hotel room is fine as long as you dispose of it properly

You will be shlepping your own suitcase; bring something you can handle easily on your own.

**BRING VALUABLES ONLY IF TRULY NECESSARY AND AT YOUR OWN RISK**