

Make up ages 6 and up

Define Eyes–Using the recital all in one compact: Use the first brown shadow and apply this shade in the outer corner of the eye blending just above the eye crease halfway across the lid. Next blend those edges using the second shadow color (lighter brown) and shade across the eye bone. Be sure to blend the darker shades edges in well to appear seamless. Lastly apply the matte cream highlighter (white) shade on the lid and below the eyebrow.



Eyeliner-Use a pointed liner brush made wet with water to stir into the dark brown shade eye shadow to create a creamy eyeliner. Apply to the outer upper eye corner lifting up and out and to the lower eye corner out.

Eyelashes - Mascara in black applied to the upper lashes opens eyes even more. False lashes are an easy alternative to mascara (we suggest using the Ardell brand in “Black Wispies”. For smaller eyes, simply cut the eyelashes to fit but snipping off some from each end of the lash.

Even Out Skin Tone– On moisturized skin apply a *matte* liquid foundation that is the same tone or one tone darker than your dancer’s skin to the entire face area. Don't forget their neck and ears! To cover under eye darkness, use a concealer as stage lights can create shadows there. Set with an oil-free, golden toned face powder to keep skin flawless for hours. Avoid pink or orange under toned makeup for use under stage lights and on camera along with all Mineral Makeup products as they are light reflective and can distort features under hot lights.

Cheeks– Cheek color should be soft. Using the peach cheek color, apply high on the rounds of the cheek to look sweet and natural. Blend in well to avoid looking too overdone. Bright colored blush should not be applied along the cheekbone. A red stripe across the side of the face is not natural looking on any performer but shows up even more on a small face, overpowering and distorting their makeup look.

Lips– Lips on children are so small and from a side view often haven’t filled out. Applying a lip shade can be difficult as the lips are small and hard to apply color too. Lip stains work best! Use the lip stain, last and darkest red in the pallet, apply using a small burst to lips.

