

Back Stage Assistants

Hello,

Thank you for signing up to be a backstage assistant! In appreciation of your assistance a \$30 credit will be applied to your dancers account a few days after the show.

Information:

1. Backstage assistants should arrive 45 minutes before showtime. This will allow you time to set up and be ready to assist dancers upon their arrival.
2. At check-in on the day of the show, you will be provided an exact list of which dances you are responsible for. In addition, the full program is posted on the Recital page of our website.
3. Backstage assistants will oversee a specific class or group of dancers, **please do not focus solely on your dancer or their friends.**
4. Backstage assistants must wear the assistant badge at all times.
5. Do not bring anything extra with you backstage. Coloring books, water, pretzels will be provided.
6. Backstage assistants of younger students please expect a lot of bathroom trips. Student teachers will be able to assist when not dancing.
7. Backstage assistants of dancers in multiple dances will be expected to help the dancers get changed. We will have multiple changing tents available. Please ask your dancers if they have additional costumes and dances.
8. When the backstage manager calls your group to wait on deck, you are then permitted to watch the show from the wings. Please return right after the performance to pick up your class and return them to the dressing room.
9. Finale, dancers will line up for the finale and backstage assistants are to help distribute final t-shirts to dancers that ordered. A list will be provided.
10. At the end of the show, backstage assistants cannot leave the dressing room area until all of the dancers they are responsible for have been picked up.
11. **For the safety and accountability of all dancers, dancers must stay for the entirety of the show. Dancers are not permitted to be picked up early. If a parent approaches you to pick up their child in the middle of the show, have a staff member get Miss Lora to handle the situation.**
12. This will be a fun and rewarding experience and we are so grateful for your help! We thank you again in advance.