

Dear Drama Parents,

I am so thrilled with how this production is going so far. You are going to be blown away by the singing, dancing and acting these students are doing! They have been dedicated, hard working, and on top of it having an enormous amount of fun. The time is flying by, and we have 3 1/2 scenes to get through that include two big dance numbers. Every second of rehearsal time is needed. Please check the rehearsal schedule, and make a note of when your student is called to be there. As a heads up, most of April and ALL of May will be all cast rehearsals.

In around April, I will be giving you a list of costume items each student will need to provide, but I want to give you information about shoes now. Each student will be asked to purchase a pair of BLACK CHARACTER SHOES These are not just street shoes, but they are shoes specifically for dance and theater work. I will include a link to Amazon and a picture, but they can also be purchased at dance stores. For girls, the shoes should be a black character shoe with an ankle strap and a 1.5 or 2" heel. No more than 2". For Boys, they are a black, classic, lace-up dance shoe.

[Boys Shoes](#)

[Girls Shoes](#)

These links are for a reference, you can also google Black Character Shoes men/woman to find other options for ordering.

I would love to have shoes by the beginning of May so students have time to break them in and practice dancing in them. Dancing in tennis shoes is very different from dancing in heels!

As always, if you have any questions, or concerns PLEASE don't hesitate to get in touch with me. I check my email very regularly. I am loving working with all your children on this project. They make me immensely proud!

With love,  
Mrs. McCarl