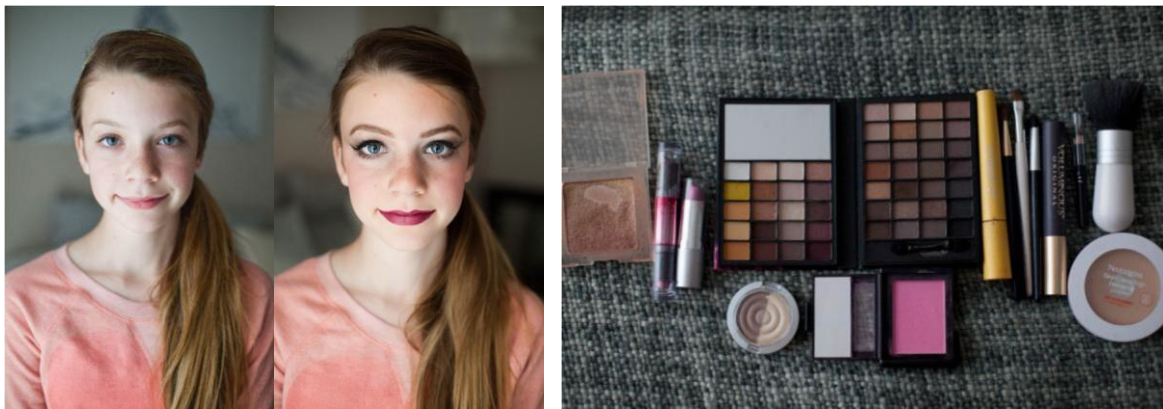


Stage Makeup Guide

This is a guide to help with basic stage makeup for our showcase! Unless specified by the instructor, please follow this guide to create a great “natural” look for your dancer. All performer’s, with the exception of our FUNdamentals kids, are required to wear stage makeup for the performance.

- Why is it a requirement for all performers, regardless of age, to wear stage makeup?
 - When your child is performing, they will be the focus of hundreds of people on stage! Because of stage lights and distance, a child's features will be washed out and faded without some sort of color and accent added (blush, eye liner, lipstick, etc). The stage make-up ensures that your child's beautiful eyes and smiles can be seen regardless of where you are watching from!

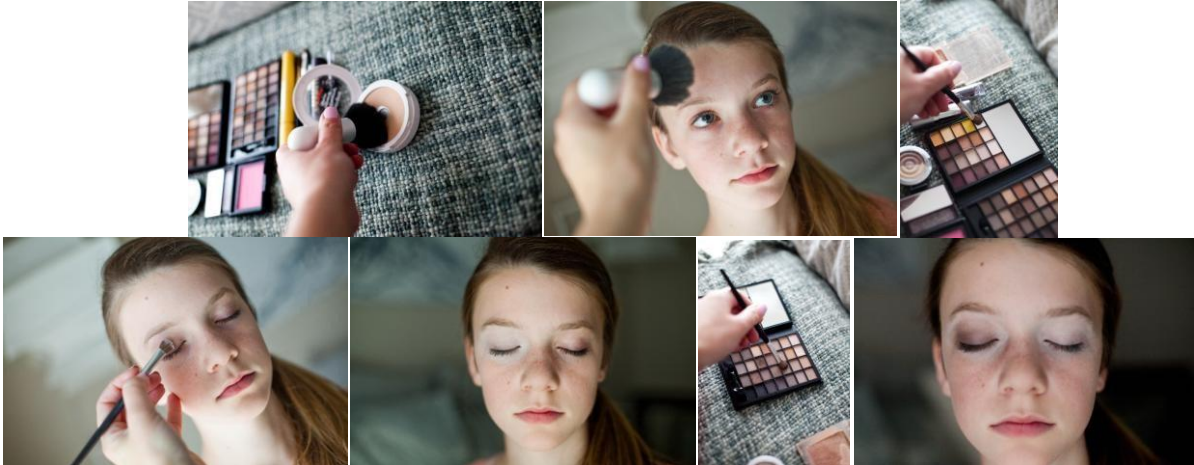


Basic items needed:

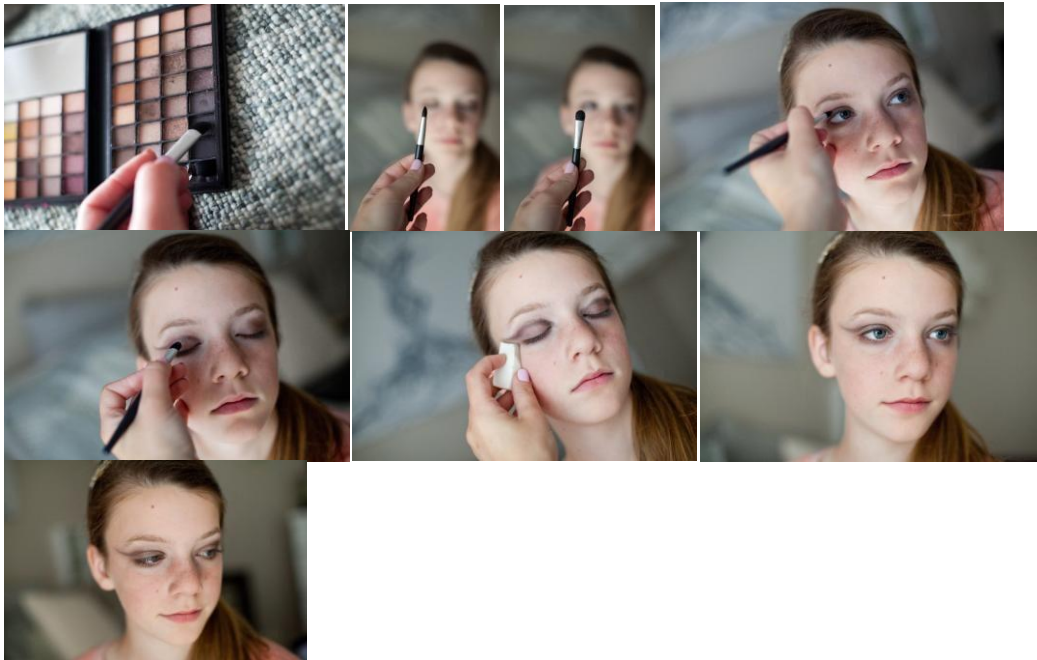
- E.L.F. (Eyes, Lips, Face) is sold at Target & has affordable pricing. The large shadow palette shown in above image was \$5!
- Shadow palette containing beige, light brown, medium brown, dark brown colors
- Shadow(including angled to apply liquid liner), cheek & face brushes (much easier to apply makeup than applicators that come with product)
- Face Powder matching complexion
- Black or brown liquid eye liner/ Black Mascara
- Brow shadow/pencil or Brown Mascara as shown in images & smudge with q-tip
- Bronze colored blush
- Burgundy tone lipstick (or lip liner with gloss)

We will quickly take you from 0 – Full stage makeup!

- Apply light layer of face powder over entire face blending into neck
- Apply a layer of shimmer beige/white eye shadow from brow to lashes covering entire lid, inner corner of eye & under bottom lashes.
- Apply layer of light brown shadow from lash line to crease in center of lid, inner corner to outer corner of eye. Emphasize an upward flare at the end of the eye.



- Take flat brush & use tip to create a dark brown contour line in crease of eyelid flaring upward



- Use a sponge to clean up excess shadow powder around eye
- The best way I have found to apply liquid eyeliner accurately is with an angled brush. The liquid liner is also darker than a wax/pencil liner & stands out better from stage.
- Take an angled brush, spritz with water & pinch bristles together to form a smooth brush line.

Take the liquid liner applicator & paint the edge of the bristles with black.

- Apply liner with angled brush starting from center of the eye, flaring just past the outer part of the eye, being sure to hold the eye slightly taught.
- Angle the brush the opposite direction & continue to line from the center part of the eye, tapering to the inner part of the eye.
- Dry the angled brush with tissue, give liner a moment to dry & then go back with angled brush to blend liquid liner into a smooth line.



You are now ready for the easy part!

- If applying mascara to someone else, the best way is to have them look down, but do not close their eyes. Apply from base of lashes, emphasizing the black mascara on the tips of the lashes. Top and bottom lash application.



- Apply rosy/pink followed with bronze colored blush in moderation. Apply light layers to darken to perfect stage shade from apple of cheek to the contour of cheek bone in outward sweeping motions.



- To tint eyebrows, use a brown eyeliner pencil (or black for those with darker hair) & sketch a darker brow shape on top of existing eyebrows. Take brown mascara (or black for those with dark hair) & apply a light layer on the actual eyebrow hairs. This is a simple & more accurate (less tedious) way to darken the 'stage' brows. With a q-tip, go back to brow & blend color in brow shape. Simple, quick & easy!



Lastly, the lips!

- Take a deep shade of red lipstick, or burgundy lip liner with a gloss that will not quickly wear off. Apply thoroughly.



Final Look:

