

### Tap Shoe Specifications & Recommendations

All Dancers are required to bring their own shoes to all classes!

BE SURE TO LABEL EACH OF YOUR SHOES BEFORE BRINGING THEM TO CLASS!

1. **Oxford Style, single sole**
  - a. **No Mary-Jane style (for boys or girls)**
  - b. **No flexible Split Sole style**
  - c. **Black tap shoes**
  
2. **All taps must be METAL**
  - a. **All taps must have three Phillips screws in each tap**
    - i. **No brads, or tacks**
    - ii. **Taps with only one screw are not a reliable choice**
  
3. **We recommend the following companies:**
  - a. **Capezio**
  - b. **Sansha**
  - c. **Block**
  - d. **Leos**
  
4. **Here are some local dance retailers:**
  - Carmel's Dance Wear**  
**3004 Cleary Ave., Metairie, LA 7002**  
**504-457-0101**
  
  - Humbug**  
2707 Williams Blvd, Kenner, LA 70062  
504-469-3339
  
  - Adele's Dance Wear & Active**  
6601 Veterans Memorial Blvd, Metairie, LA 70003  
**504-887-5787**
  
  - Uptown Costume and Dancewear**  
4326 Magazine St, New Orleans, LA 70115  
**(504) 895-7969**
  
5. **Here is a List of Online Retailers:**
  - a. [www.dancingfair.com](http://www.dancingfair.com)
  - b. [www.discountdance.com](http://www.discountdance.com)