

Little Mermaid Costumes

(Please read this all thoroughly as it will answer many of your questions.)

Dear Parents,

We are so excited to be putting on such a big and extravagant show this year. And it is wonderful that so many kids are able to participate. But this means we are going to have to ask for your help--AGAIN! I know! The requests are endless. Our apologies and gratefulness is abundant.

SO -- here's the deal. My mom (aka Super Grandma) and I will be sewing a few of the more elaborate costumes (Ursula, Sebastian, Ariel, and parts of the costumes for Flotsam and Jetsom, and Scuttle and the Gulls.)

We need your help putting together most of your own costumes. There will be opportunities for many of the kids to play more than one part. (For example, they may be a Sea Creature in one scene and a Chef in another.) This gives everyone lots of time on stage, but it means more costumes. Therefore, we are trying to keep them as SIMPLE as possible. This makes them easy to make, cheaper, and easier for the kids to change between scenes.

Unless your child is a main character that doesn't change at all he or she will need a Sea Creature costume.

Sea Creatures/Lagoon Inhabitants (fish, jellyfish, turtles, sharks, whales, starfish,shrimp... Please no more crabs/lobsters, Eels, mermaids, sea gulls or yellow and blue Flounder-like fish)

- Black Pants, Black T-shirt for boys, for girls: black leotard or t-shirt
- Soft black shoes
- Sea Creature Hat
- Sea Creature Accessories Optional (examples: ruffly leg warmers or gloves. If you are feeling crafty, you can make yourself wristbands, or back fins or tails. Just remember -- if it is too complicated to quickly change on their own, they can't play other parts.

Kids can choose what creature they'd like. There are many sources online from which you can order your hat. Here are a few links:

mardigras.com
brandsonsale.com
webhats.com
dancewearsolutions.com

Child's Sea Creature Hats
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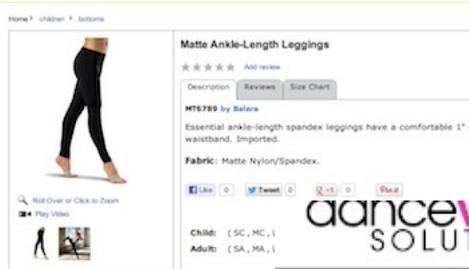
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 Child's Crab Hat \$19.99 In stock!	 Child's Goldfish Hat \$24.99 In stock!	 Child's Lobster Hat \$19.99 In stock!	 Child's Shark Hat \$19.99 In stock!
 Child's Starfish Hat \$29.99 In stock!	 Clown Fish Hat for All Ages \$19.99 In stock!	 Octopus Hat \$19.99 In stock!	 Child's Dolphin Hat Out of stock.

Here are some more pictures:



dancewear SOLUTIONS



Pilot and Sailors

- Black Pants
- White T-shirts
- Brown sashes around waist

Grimsby

- Black Pants
- White Shirt
- Black Dinner Jacket (Unless you



want to get fancy, like this.)

Carlotta

- Black Dress
- White Apron

Seahorse

- Black Pants
- Black black leotard or tank top or t-shirt
- Soft black shoes
- Seahorse Hat and Tail
- Or if seahorse the whole show, feel free to make or rent something more elaborate



Prince Eric

- Blue Pants
- White Billowy Shirt
- Red Sash



King Triton

- Green Sarong
- Black Tank Top
- Crown and Triton
- White Beard and Long White

*Sebastian

- Red Tails Tuxedo



*Flounder

- Yellow and Blue Tutu Outfit



Wig

Mersisters:

- Blue-green Long Skirt that flairs at bottom OR each skirt could be a different color (that matches the top)
- Fitted tank or leotard in the different colors.
- Flower for hair



Some color SUGGESTIONS:

- Aquata -Lime Green
- Adrina-Hot Pink
- Arista-Royal Blue
- Atina- Yellow
- Adella-Orange
- Allana-Turquoise

(if girls want to coordinate on their own and pick their own



colors-- they can. Just so long as we stick all are different and they stay away from purple and emerald green, Ariel's colors. Below are samples of belly dancing skirts from lightinthebo.com available for \$14.99 in many different colors. They could easily be taken in to fit the girls. Also if there is someone that can sew and is willing to make these for all the girls that would be great!

*Ariel

- Red Wig
- Emerald green dress or
- Green Mermaid Skirt with Fitted Purple Top



Scuttle and 3 Gulls

Student/Parents provide:

- Grey Baseball Pants
- Black Tops
- Soft Black Shoes
- Orange and Red(or white) Striped Knee Socks

*We will create White Poncho Wings and White Feathered Hats with Orange Bills



*Ursula

We will create:

- Black Sea Witch Dress with Purple Tentacle Accents
- Gold Shell Necklace with Light

*Flotsam and Jetsam

Student/parents provide:

- Black Unitard
- Black Ballet Shoes

*We will create for them the rest of the which will include an organza and little Chiffon Skirt



costume fin/tail



Chef Louis

- Black Pants
- White Chef Smock
- Hat
- Red Neck Scarf
- Black Moustache



Chefs

- White T-Shirt
- Chef Hat (Bulk Order) Partyallready.com chef hats \$1.99 -\$3.59
- Black Moustache



Princesses

-Princess Dresses --Preferably Long and Poofy Disney Princess Costumes from Halloween's past are great.

If anyone is willing to help with making costumes, please email me at: lauravanzee@gmail.com

