# Stage Make-Up Tips for Picture Day and Dress Rehearsal/Recital

## Step 1. Foundation (Optional for younger students)

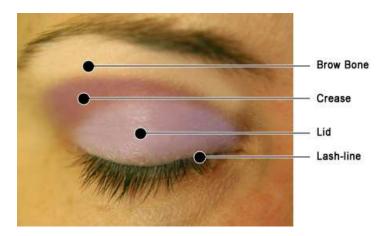
Start with a base foundation that is all one color and similar to the child's skin tone. You may use liquid foundation or powder.

### Step 2. Blush

Choose a pink or peachy color. Start just under the cheekbone, from the bottom of the nose and sweep in an upward motion with the blush brush to the hair line. Blend in with your hand to ensure there are no streaks or red circles.

### Step 3. Eyes

2 colors of eyeshadow are recommended. One a lighter shade to be applied to the entire eyelid up to the eye brow and a darker shade to be applied to the crease. Natural shades such as browns or purples. Blue shades are not recommended.



Apply mascara to eyelashes. Eye liner to top of eyelid near eyelashes. (Optional for younger students)

#### Step 4. Lips

Apply a pink or light red lipstick. A light colored lip gloss for younger dancers is a secondary option. Blot the lips on a paper towel so that the color does not run or smear.