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Good Day Parents/ Guardians

M.S.35 is getting ready to present our 13th Annual “Arts in Learning Presentation.” Your leaders have been working hard as we prepare for our upcoming show on Friday, February 9, 2024. This presentation will be our rendition of *The Color Purple* and below you will find the requirements for the dancer’s costume attire. Some dancers will need to provide \$15 by Friday, January 26, 2024, so costumes can be purchased. See details below.

A Dress Rehearsal will be held during the school day on Thursday, February 8, 2024

The performance is scheduled for Friday, February 9, 2024 from 5:30pm to 8:00pm

Costume list		
Class	Song	Costume
Brooklyn College University	Keep it Movin’	Girls: Please provide \$15 Boys: White t-shirt and khaki or gray slacks. (Suspenders optional)
Howard University	Agoo	Girls: Black leotard and black plain leggings Boys: Black T-shirt and black sweats **ALL STUDENTS MUST ACQUIRE AFRICAN PRINT FABRIC FROM LOCAL FABRIC STORE**
Hofstra University	Miss Celie’s Pants	Girls: Please provide \$15 Boys: White t-shirt and khaki or gray slacks. (Suspenders optional)
Syracuse University	Mysterious Ways	Girls: Please provide \$15 Boys: Button up shirt and slacks. (Tie and suspenders optional)
University of California Berkeley	Workin’ & No No!	Girls: Please provide \$15 Boys: White t-shirt and khaki or gray slacks. (Suspenders optional)
Dowling College	No No! reprise	Girls: TBA Boys: White t-shirt and khaki or gray slacks. (Suspenders optional)
Ohio State University	Shug Avery Comin’ to Town	Girls: Please provide \$15 Boys: White t-shirt and khaki or gray slacks. (Suspenders optional)

Sincerely,

Ms. Jones

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Dance Educator