

ICTHEATRE MANCHESTER

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2024-2025

Level 6 – Third Year

Your final year at ICTheatre Manchester will require you to be ready for various sessions, just as you would working in the industry. We recommend you have the following to help you feel prepared for every session. If you have any questions about what is required for a specific rehearsal, please speak to your lecturers or director.

Please bring the following for all sessions:

- > Pencil for marking scripts
- > Items to help you take notes: notebook, tablet, or laptop – you will not be allowed to use your phone to take notes in the studios
- > A capped bottle for water only
- > Snacks for longer rehearsal periods – to be consumed in appropriate places (e.g., NOT the theatre or studio)
- > Any inhalers or medication you might need during the sessions

Please be aware of our guidelines for all movement sessions/rehearsals:

- > Be prepared to work in bare feet or appropriate footwear in all sessions – NO SOCKS
- > Minimal jewellery worn in rehearsals, e.g., small studs or post earrings but no necklaces, large earrings, bracelets, or rings for safety reasons
- > No belts
- > Hair up and off your face

- > Be prepared to move or lie on the floor
- > Be prepared to touch your face
- > Be respectful of your peers and maintain good hygiene

Acting Rehearsals and Movement Sessions

- > Comfortable top that will not restrict your movement – this needs to cover your full torso
- > Leggings, tracksuit bottoms, or other trousers that will not restrict your movement
- > Jazz shoes or bare feet
- > Appropriate layers, e.g., hoodies or cardigans. You may have periods of stillness during rehearsals and will need to stay warm

Musical Theatre Rehearsals and Movement Sessions

- > Leotard, unitard, or form-fitting top
- > Jazz shoes
- > Tap shoes (as needed)
- > Ballet shoes (as needed)
- > Character shoes/heels (as needed)
- > Leggings, tights, or tracksuit bottoms
- > Hair up and off your face
- > Appropriate layers, e.g., hoodies or cardigans. You may have periods of stillness during rehearsals and will need to stay warm

Hip-Hop Artistry Rehearsals and Movement Sessions

- > Loose-fitting top that will not restrict your movement
- > Loose-fitting trousers or tracksuit bottoms
- > If required by the director or choreographer, shoes with non-marking soles
- > Appropriate layers, e.g., hoodies or cardigans. You may have periods of stillness during rehearsals and will need to stay warm

In addition to the required clothing and footwear, you will need appropriate underwear. For example, a dance belt or sports bra as needed. Please speak to your lecturers if you have questions about what you will feel most comfortable wearing.