

Costume Care

Please read this thoroughly before taking your costume home!

-DO NOT WASH YOUR COSTUME! Most fabrics used for costumes will bleed color quite easily, please only wash your costume with explicit permission from the guard staff.

-Your costume is only to be visible when you are in warm-up or performance. At no time should you be "hanging out" in costume at contests or other events.

-Please treat your costume with respect. You are required to change out of your costume directly after performance, or put on warm-ups, team jacket, or other clothing over your costume if you need to remain in costume for awards or other reason.

-You are responsible for the care and maintenance of your costume. A costume in good condition is essential to our image as a performance group.

-You may not eat or drink (except water) in costume, unless specifically given instruction by the staff.

-NEVER run in costume.

-Do not swear in costume.

-Costumes must be hung up immediately after use and kept in an open-air area to dry.

-Costumes are to be returned immediately following the end of the competitive season, no exceptions.

-If you have a question about your costume, do not assume, just ask.