

Socks & Hair Preliminary Information:

Costumes will be handed out Tuesday, March 19 at the end of rehearsal. Accessories such as aprons, overcoats, gowns, and hats will remain at the theater.

Please note that the information in this document may change based on how things look on stage during rehearsals.

Flowers: please wear black pants, black t-shirts (long-sleeve preferred, but short-sleeve okay), and tall black socks. When we hand out costumes, your actor will receive their shoes only; the flower robes and accessories will remain at the theater. If your actor's hair is long enough for a low ponytail, please pull it into a low ponytail. Otherwise, please style the hair out of the face.

Orphans:

- Abby & Caroline please wear tall white socks or white trouser socks. They need to be tall enough that we do not see leg between the bloomers and socks.
- Bridger & Waker – please wear tall trouser socks that come up to your knickers.
- Everyone else – tall black socks/dark trouser socks so we do not see your legs.
- If hair is long enough, please pull it back in one or two braids or a low ponytail. If hair is short, style it out of the face.

Dickon & Colin: your socks are included in your costume.

Mary: dark trouser socks, two braids.

Actors wearing pants: please wear tall black socks so we do not see your legs. Actors wearing pants include:

- Mr. Pitcher – hair back in low ponytail
- Soldiers/Officers/Colonel McGrew/Barney – if hair is long please pull it back in a low bun, if short needs to be neat and out of face
- Ben Weatherstaff – hair out of face
- Port Manager – low ponytail please
- Archibald Craven – hair out of face

Actors wearing skirts/dresses: please wear tall black socks so we do not see your legs. Trouser socks might be needed Actors wearing skirts/dresses include (orphans have already been addressed):

- Mrs. Medlock
- Ship Passengers/Women – if hair is long, pull back in a low ponytail or neat bun/if hair is short – keep hair out of face
- Nurses – hair in a mid to low bun, you will have a cap on your head
- Maids/Martha – hair in a high bun, you will have a little cap on your bun
- Officer/soldiers Wives – if long enough, hair pulled neatly back
- Flower Sellers – low pony should be fine

- Lillas – low bun with the curls, plan to wear the mantilla veil.