Cantabile Formal Attire

FORMAL

- 1. Royal blue empire style performance knit knee length dress with
- "boat neck" neckline & cap sleeves
- 2. Black plain tights
- 3. Black comfortable low heel dress shoes. No boots. No sandals. No tennis shoes.
- 4. \$69.00 (sizes 0-16) \$79.00 (sizes 18-34). ACYC will email you an invoice.

SAMPLE SIZES -

You may try on a size before or after rehearsal on Thursday, Sept., 21 and Sept., 29. We recommend selecting one size larger, because your singer will grow. We must place group order on Sept. 30, in order for it to arrive on time.

ALTERATIONS

Singers are responsible for their own alterations.

IMPORTANT

Cantabile blue dresses must be hemmed by a professional. Please use ACYC's recommended seamstress below. ** The material is tricky to create a smooth unnoticeable hem. You must use a professional seamstress that can do a **blind/invisible hem.

Dresses should be shortened to lay 2 inches right below the knee.

*Do not hem right at the knee. **Be sure the dress is covering the knee.** Please **remember to include extra fabric in the hem** so dress can be adjusted and let down as the singer grows taller.

ACYC has a list of recommended professional seamstresses including: Marilyn Guldseth near Hyvee in Savage. She charges \$25.00. <u>userfarfar@aol.com</u>, 612-599-6971. Please call her EARLY to set up an appointment.

DATES

Dresses will arrive by Thursday, November 2. Please make arrangements for alterations between Nov. 3-Nov. 15. Our dress rehearsal is Thursday, November 16, 2023.

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- 1. Plain white long sleeve oxford button down collar shirt.
- Any vendor is fine. Here is Lands' End item number #529205
- *Shirt must be ironed for performances.
- 2. Black dress pants. Any vendor is fine. Here is Lands' End item number #529034
- 3. Black plain belt
- 4. Royal blue tie Contact Angelica office to purchase. \$15 each
- 5. Black or dark socks
- 6. Black or dark comfortable dress shoes. No tennis shoes. No boots.
- 7. You can secure items at any store.
- 8. Our dress rehearsal is Tuesday, November 14, 2023.



