

## Skylark Competition Leotard Hire

Athletes competing in our AcroSquad program in levels 4 and above are required to wear optional leotards for competitions. Leotard designs compliment the music and choreography and must meet the rules that are outlined in the Acrobatic Gymnastics Code of Points. These rules are updated periodically and are available from your coach.

It is usual for groups to have one leotard for each routine, however it is sufficient to have one leotard only for groups in levels 4 and 5.

Parents/guardians and athletes are responsible for organising and purchasing competition leotards for their group. The design must be approved by the coach prior to purchase so the coach can ensure that all rules are met. Deductions can be taken from the group at competition if the leotard does not adhere to the rules.

To help make competition leotards accessible and affordable Skylark Sports offers a leotard hire process. We have a variety of competition leotards available for Skylark acrobats to hire, and also offer a leotard buy-back process so that those who decide to purchase new leotards can resell them once they are no longer required.

### Leotard Hire Process

Skylark has several group competition leotards available to hire from the gym. These leotards can be hired for a full competition season, and only one group can hire the leotards at a time. Each group that would like to hire competition leotards needs to make time before or after training to try them on and decide on a leotard with their coach.

Each group of leotards has been assigned a category based on the original purchase price.

- Platinum. Original purchase cost >\$500 each
  - Cost to hire: \$220 each
- Gold. Original purchase cost between \$250 - \$499 each
  - Cost to hire: \$175 each
- Bronze. Original purchase cost \$100 - \$249 each
  - Cost to hire: \$150 each

Once the group has agreed on a leotard with their coach, the Customer Admin Team will add the charge to your account. Hire cost includes a non-refundable hire rate and a \$100 deposit that will be returned as a credit at the end of the season when the leotard is returned in good condition. This \$100 deposit will then be processed as a credit to your account, if your enrolment with Skylark finishes at the end of the season the \$100 deposit can be processed as a refund.

Each leotard comes with care instructions and conditions of hire – please ensure you read through this and take good care of the leotard you hire.

## Leotard Buyback Process

If you have purchased a competition leotard that your athlete and their group are no longer using, you have the option to sell the leotard to Skylark. You are under no obligation to sell your leotards to us, the option is there if you don't want to keep them.

The group will all need to agree to sell these back to us as a set, we will not be purchasing individual leotards. At a minimum we'll accept 1 x top and 1 x base leotard set.

Alongside the leotards themselves we will also need the following information:

- Purchase price
- Supplier or manufacturer
- Care instructions

Each group of leotards has been assigned a category based on the original purchase price. Skylark will purchase the leotards from you at the below set price.

- Platinum. Original purchase cost >\$500 each
  - Buy Back: \$250 each
- Gold. Original purchase cost between \$250 - \$499 each
  - Buy Back: \$125 each
- Bronze. Original purchase cost \$100 - \$249 each
  - Buy Back: \$50 each

When the full set of competition leotards are brought to the gym, the Customer Admin Team will process the sale.