

Prom Frocks

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Garment Care Information

1. The fabrics used in this dress are made from a variety of sources. Chiffons, Satins, Jersey fabrics and lining fabrics are made from polyester yarns. All of these fabrics are of high quality and are very delicate.
2. With proper care this dress will ensure that you look elegant for a number of special occasions, but if you treat it like a pair of old jeans it will not last very long at all !
3. Beaded dresses are always very delicate and you must take time and care when putting on and taking off the garment. Some dresses have 'lace-up' backs, some have a short zip and some of our dresses have long zips. The zips are sewn 'close in' to give a smooth appearance and it is important that the wearer takes care when using the zip to make sure that the fabric or beads are not caught and damaged.
4. As many as two hundred beads and sequins may be stitched on using a single thread, therefore it is vital that if a thread does break, the ends must be knotted to prevent too many beads and sequins from being lost. A small packet of matching beads are supplied with each dress, any damage to the beading must be repaired as soon as possible. It's also a good idea to always take a few safety pins with you just in case!
5. Be aware that some jewellery such as necklaces, bracelets, watches and rings can all catch the beadwork, and could break the stitching and damage the fabric.
6. This garment should NEVER be machine washed or tumble dried!
7. If it becomes necessary to clean the garment, then you may very gently hand wash the dress. Please be aware that the dress will be much heavier when wet and take care to support the weight. Dry the dress flat and press the lining fabric with a cool iron. If hand washing is not effective then take it to a specialist dry-cleaning company to have it spot cleaned. Do NOT have the whole dress dry cleaned as this will ruin the beading and sequins.
8. When storing the dress it is very important that the weight of the dress is supported by the hanger loops sewn into the inner seams, if you have space then store the dress flat.
9. Beaded dresses should always be covered when being stored.
10. Prom dresses are NOT FIRE PROOF; do not allow them near ANY source of flame or ignition.

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