Boots Need a Hat

Compte: 32

Niveau: Beginner

Chorégraphe: Darcy Leasure (USA) & Taren Wilhelm (USA) - August 2024 Musique: Boots Need a Hat - Teddy Robb

Notes: Dance starts on Lyrics of the first verse "You like what you see" approx. 9 sec into the song

[1-8] Walk and Touch, Back Diagonal Step Touches

- R step forward (1), L step forward (2) R step forward (3), L step beside R with toe touch (4) 1, 2, 3, 4
- 5,6 L step diagonal backward (5), R step beside L with toe touch (6)
- 7,8 R step diagonal backward (7), L step beside R with toe touch (8) [12:00]

[9-16] Double Hip Bumps, Double Hip Circles*

- L step to the side shifting weight to the left while pushing hip to the left side twice (1, 2) Shift 1, 2, 3, 4 weight to the right while pushing hip to the right side twice (3, 4)
- 5, 6 Continue from the hip bump momentum into full hip circles (5, 6)
- 7,8 Repeat hip circle while bringing L next to R to collect where weight is neutral (7.8) [12:00]

*Styling Option: knee pops

*Song Ending: Rodeo arms while making a paddle ½ turn over left shoulder to finish with hat nod to face the front

[17 – 24] R Vine**, Step Touches

- R step to the side (1), L step behind R (2), R step to the side (3), L step next to R with toe 1, 2, 3, 4 touch (4)
- 5,6 L step to the side (5), R step next to L with toe touch (6)
- 7,8 R step to the side (7), L step next to R with toe touch (8) [12:00]

**Styling Option: make it a rolling vine to go along with lyrics "I'm going to spin you around" during 2nd verse"

[25 – 32] Rolling Vine with Scuff, Jazz Box ¼ Turn***

- 1, 2, 3, 4 L Step to the side 1/4 turn over L shoulder (1), R step back 1/2 turn over L shoulder (2), L step to the side 1/4 turn over L shoulder (3) (aka: 3 step full turn to face original wall) R scuff next to L (4) (which will start the momentum and turn for the jazz box)
- (landing out of the scuff) R cross over L making a ¹/₄ turn over L shoulder (5) [9:00] L step 5, 6, 7, 8 back (6), R step to the side (7), L step next to R (8)***

***Styling Option: bring hand to head making a "tip of the hat" gesture during the chorus to go along with the lyrics "boots need a hat"

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Happens after the chorus during the Bridge when he repeats (softly) "never forget" after dancing wall 8 [will be facing12:00]

1, 2, 3, 4 Clap 4 times in place (big gesture clapping to bring back in the music for restart of the dance on "Bar needs a band")

NOTE: Choreographed for LIVE concert dancing with Teddy Robb at Nashville Dance Fest Vol 2 Optional Song Swap (for Dr. Seuss's "Grinch" themed lesson): "Cold Heart" by Elton John & Dua Lipa (PNAU Remix)

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