

How to Do A Ballet Bun



1. Brush your hair back into a tight ponytail—position it on the crown (highest point) of your head—and secure with a hair elastic.
2. Twist your ponytail tightly as you wrap it around your ponytail bun to keep stray ends from breaking free. You can also braid your ponytail to help keep everything together.
3. Tightly wrap a hair net that matches your hair color over your ballet bun to contain any stray ends.
4. Use U-shaped hairpins or bobby pins to hold the hair net and bun in place. Direct each pin down toward the scalp at the edge of the bun, grabbing some bun hair. Then, “scoop” a bit of the scalp hair with the tips as you direct the pin into the base of the bun, parallel to the head.
5. Use gel or hairspray to slick down any fly away hairs or loose ends.* Bobby pins can also be used at the back of the head to pin short hairs up towards the bun.

*Use a small amount of baking soda in the shower to help break up gel & hairspray when washing your hair after the performance!