

WELCOME TO DANCE CONNECTION

Thank you for choosing Dance Connection for your dancer! This packet contains all the information you will need for the 2019-2020 dance season. Please keep for your reference!

We offer classes in the following styles:

AGES 2-4: Shake Rattle N Roll

AGES 5-6: Tap, Jazz, Ballet, Acro, Hip Hop

AGES 7-8: Tap, Jazz, Ballet, Lyrical, Acro, Hip Hop, Musical Theatre

AGES 9-11: Tap, Jazz, Ballet, Lyrical, Acro, Hip Hop, Musical Theatre, Contemporary, Pre-Pointe

AGES 12+: Tap, Jazz, Ballet, Lyrical, Acro, Hip Hop, Musical Theatre, Contemporary, Pointe, Technique

NEW THIS YEAR: We are using Dance Studio Pro as a studio manager. If you haven't already please create an account at dancestudio-pro.com/online/danceconnectionregistration. You will be able to register and pay tuition through this!

REGISTRATION: A non-refundable fee of \$35 per dancer will be due at the time of registration to reserve your dancers space. This fee covers the first member of the family; each additional immediate member that joins will pay \$25.00.

TUITION: All classes will meet once per week for our September-June season. Tuition is calculated per hours of week per dancer. Tuition is seasonal and broken up into even monthly payments regardless of how many lessons per month (some have 3, some have 5) Additional immediate family members will receive a 30% discount. Tuition is due by the 1st of each month. Tuition received after the 1st will incur a \$5.00 late fee, tuition received after the 7th will incur a \$10.00 late fee.

Hours Per Week	Cost for Season	Pay In Full (save 15%)	Pay 5 months (save 10%)	Pay 3 months (save (5%))	Pay monthly
0.5	\$350.00	\$297.50	\$157.50	\$99.75	\$35.00
0.75	\$390.00	\$331.50	\$175.50	\$111.15	\$39.00
1	\$440.00	\$374.00	\$198.00	\$125.40	\$44.00
1.25	\$510.00	\$433.50	\$229.50	\$145.35	\$51.00
1.5	\$560.00	\$476.00	\$252.00	\$159.60	\$56.00
1.75	\$620.00	\$527.00	\$279.00	\$176.70	\$62.00
2	\$660.00	\$561.00	\$297.00	\$188.10	\$66.00
2.25	\$720.00	\$612.00	\$324.00	\$205.20	\$72.00
2.5	\$770.00	\$654.50	\$346.50	\$219.45	\$77.00
2.75	\$820.00	\$697.00	\$369.00	\$233.70	\$82.00
3	\$870.00	\$739.50	\$391.50	\$247.95	\$87.00
3.25	\$920.00	\$782.00	\$414.00	\$262.20	\$92.00
3.5	\$1,000.00	\$850.00	\$450.00	\$285.00	\$100.00
3.75	\$1,050.00	\$892.50	\$472.50	\$299.25	\$105.00
4	\$1,080.00	\$918.00	\$486.00	\$307.80	\$108.00
4.25	\$1,110.00	\$943.50	\$499.50	\$316.35	\$111.00
4.5	\$1,140.00	\$969.00	\$513.00	\$324.90	\$114.00
4.75	\$1,180.00	\$1,003.00	\$531.00	\$336.30	\$118.00
5	\$1,200.00	\$1,020.00	\$540.00	\$342.00	\$120.00

Solos, Duets & Trios: Solos, duets and trios will meet for 30 minutes per week and will have class October-June. Dancers must take class in the style they want to take a solo in. Example: must take jazz class if he/she wants to do a jazz solo.

	Season Cost	Pay In Full (save 15%)	Pay 5 months (save 10%)	Pay 3 months (save (5%))	Pay monthly
Solo	\$540.00	\$459.00	\$270.00	\$171.00	\$60.00
Duet/Trio	\$396.00	\$336.60	\$198.00	\$125.40	\$44.00

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Costumes: All classes other than technique will be ordered a costume for our June recital. Costumes range from \$60.00-\$75.00 and include tights, earrings and accessories. Costume cost is broken up into 3 payments. Balances will be given by December 1st.

Due November 15 th	\$15.00 per costume
Due December 15 th	\$15.00 per costume
Due January 15 th	Costume balance

Shoes: All shoes can be ordered through the studio.

Tan Slip-On Tap	\$20.00
Pink Stretch Ballet	\$18.00
Canvas Ballet	\$22.00
Hip Hop Sneaker	\$28.00
Tap Boot	\$56.00
Jazz Boot	\$28.00
Paws	\$12.00

Class Dress Code: All female dancers must wear either a leotard or spandex dance separates for class. Shorts/leggings may be worn over the leotard. Male dancers must wear a fitted shirt and stretch shorts or pants. Hair needs to be neatly pulled back and no jewelry other than stud earrings may be worn.

Monthly Newsletters: Newsletters will be e-mailed out at the beginning of each month letting parents know what's happening at the studio. They will also be posted on our website derbydanceconnection.com and our facebook page facebook.com/danceconnectionderby.

Attendance Policy: Each class builds on from the previous week making it crucial for your dancers success to be there! Competitive dancers will be ineligible for competition if 3 classes are missed. Makeups can be scheduled with your dancers teacher at a rate of \$20.00 per 30 minute session.

Competition: We are a competitive studio and most of our age 7 & up classes will compete. If your dancer is eligible, Miss Krista will notify you by December 15th. It is not mandatory to compete but we need to be notified if you are not interested in participating. Costs associated with competition vary based on the event but are generally \$35.00-\$50.00 per group dance, \$65.00-\$100.00 per soloist, and \$45.00-\$85.00 per duet/trio dancer.

Recital Fee: There will be a recital fee of \$50.00 per dancer, or \$75.00 per family, due April 15th. The recital fee will include a download of our recital video for each show as well as two complimentary tickets to each show your dancer is performing in.

June Recital: Our recital is tentatively scheduled for June 19th-20th, 2020 at Lakeshore High School.

Payments: All payments can be made via cash, check or credit card.

Questions? Miss Krista is available at any time to answer your questions!! We are committed to giving you and your dancer the best experience possible! Call or email me Derbydanceconnection@gmail.com or (716)220-2679

Vacations/Cancellations: The list below shows all dates the studio will be closed. If we close due to weather, you will receive a text message and it will be posted to our Facebook page.

OCTOBER 31ST: HAPPY HALLOWEEN! NO CLASSES
NOVEMBER 27th-29th: HAPPY THANKSGIVING! NO CLASSES
DECEMBER 24th-JANUARY 1st: HAPPY HOLIDAYS! NO CLASSES

FEBRUARY 15TH-21ST: WINTER BREAK (MAKEUPS HELD THIS WEEK)
APRIL 10th-APRIL 13th: HAPPY EASTER! NO CLASSES
MAY 25TH: HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY! NO CLASSES

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Class	Day/Time
YELLOW- Ages 2-4	
SHAKE RATTLE N ROLL	Monday 4-5
SHAKE RATTLE N ROLL	Thursday 9-10am
SHAKE RATTLE N ROLL	Saturday 10-11
RED Ages 5-6	
ACRO I	Tuesday 4:30-5
BALLET I	Tuesday 5-5:30
HIP HOP I	Tuesday 5:30-6
COMBO I- tap, ballet and jazz	Saturday 11-12:15
COMBO II- tap, ballet and jazz	Thursday 4:30-5:45
ORANGE Ages 7-8	
TAP I	Monday 4:15-5
JAZZ I	Monday 5-5:45
BALLET II	Monday 5:45-6:30
ACRO II	Monday 6:30-7:15
HIP HOP II	Wednesday 4:30-5:15
LYRICAL I	Wednesday 5:15-6
MUSICAL THEATRE I	Wednesday 6-6:45
GREEN Ages 9-11	
JAZZ II	Wednesday 4:30-5:15
BALLET IV	Wednesday 5:15-6
CONTEMPORARY I	Wednesday 6-6:45
HIP HOP III	Wednesday 6:45-7:30
MUSICAL THEATRE II	Thursday 4:15-5
ACRO III	Thursday 5-5:45
LYRICAL II	Thursday 5:45-6:30
TAP II	Thursday 6:30-7:15

BLUE Ages 11-14	
ACRO V	Monday 7:15-8
BALLET V	Monday 8-8:45
CONTEMPORARY II	Tuesday 6:30-7:15
JAZZ III	Tuesday 8-8:45
HIP HOP IV	Thurssday 5:45-6:30
MUSICAL THEATRE III	Thursday 6:30-7:15
LYRICAL III	Thursday 7:15-8
TAP IV	Thursday 8-8:45
PINK Ages 14+	
CONTEMPORARY III	Monday 6:30-7:15
ACRO V	Monday 7:15-8
BALLET V	Monday 8-8:45
HIP HOP V	Monday 8:15-9
JAZZ IV	Tuesday 7-7:45
TAP IV	Tuesday 7:45-8:30
LYRICAL IV	Tuesday 8:30-9:15
MUSICAL THEATRE IV	Wednesday 7:30-8:15
MUST BE EVALUATED FOR POINTE	
POINTE I	Thursday 5-5:45
POINTE II	Monday 5-5:45
POINTE III	Thursday 7:15-8
Teen Technique *Non Performing	Monday 7:15-8:15 Wednesday 6-6:45 Thursday 5:45-6:30