

of Lexington Youth Ballet

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### **INFORMATION**

2022-2023

## PRESCHOOL CLASSES

**Creative Movement-** 2-3 year olds. 30 min. class one day a week. Does not participate in recital. **Comb I-** available for 3-4 year olds- Tap/Ballet. 45 min. long, 1 day a week **Combo II-** available for 4 year olds and second year students still in preschool-1 hr class, 1 day a week

## KINDERGARTEN and UP CLASSES:

**Primary Ballet-** 5 and 6 year olds- introduces students to principles of ballet, vocabulary is expanded, focusing on alignment and increased flexibility. 45 min. class, 1 day a week

**Primary Combo-** 5 and 6 year olds. 1 hr class (ballet and tap) 1 day a week

**Ballet Technique A1-** 7 years old and up. Class placement is based on age and experience. 1 hr class, 2 days a week

Ballet Technique A2 - Class placement is based on age and exp. 1 hr class, 2 days a week

Ballet Technique B1- Class placement is based on age and exp. 1 hr 15 min class, 3 days a week

Ballet Technique B2- Class placement is based on age and exp. 1 hr 30 min class, 3 days a week

Ballet Technique C- Class placement is based on age and exp. 1 hr 30 min class, 4 days a week

**Ballet Technique D-** 11 years old and up. Class placement is based on age and exp. 1 hr 30 min class, 5 days a week

Pointe- Teacher approval 30-45 min class

**Contemporary A, B, C-** Jazz based modern class (ballet class required). 1 hr class 1 day a week **Contemporary D-** Jazz based modern class (ballet class required). Class placement is based on age and experience. 1 hour 15 min class 1 day a week

Jazz A- 5 and 6 years olds. 45 min. class 1 day a week

Jazz B1-7 years old and up. Class placement based on age and exp. 1 hr class 1 day a week

Jazz B2- Class placement based on age and exp. 1 hr class 1 day a week

Jazz C- Class placement based on age and exp. (ballet class required) 1 hr class 1 day a week

Jazz D- Class placement is based on age and exp. (ballet class required) 1 hr 15 min 1 day a week

**Teen Jazz-** 11 years old and up. Class placement is based on age and exp. 1 hr class 1 day a week **Hip Hop-** 7 years old and up. 1 hr class 1 day a week

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Tap B – Class placement is based on age and exp. 45 min class 1 day a week

Tap C and D- Class for experienced tap dancers. 45 min class 1 day a week

**Chinese Dance**-Traditional dance with emphasize on movement and telling a story with the dances **Adult Classes-** A fun way to stay in shape. 1 hr class

#### **CLASS ATTIRE REQUIREMENTS** *note*: **Dance shoes are not to be worn outside of building and DANCE WEAR MUST BE COVERED outside of building!**

**Preschool-** Pink or black leotard, ballet pink footed tights, pink ballet shoes with elastics, black tap shoes with straps not ties. *Hair pulled up away from face*. Boys- Black gym shorts, white Tshirt, black ballet shoes.

**Ballet-Primary Comb** Black leotard (No attached skirt), ballet pink tights over feet, pink split-sole ballet shoes with elastics. *Hair in a bun*. No warm-ups or skirts to be worn during class. Waist elastic with levels A1-D

Male- white Tshirt, black tights (or shorts depending on age/level), black ballet shoes. Black patent leather tap shoes with straps not ties.

Jazz- Any color leotard, <u>fitted pants/leggings or any color tights</u>, <u>NO LOOSE SHIRTS OR GYM</u> <u>SHORTS</u>. Fitted shorts must be worn with tights. Tan jazz shoes (Bloch Neo flex style) No laced shoes. *Hair in ponytail away from face or bun*.

**Tap-** Any color leotard, with black fitted pants/leggings (or tights), fitted shorts must be worn with tights. Black tap shoes (Tap A patent leather) (Tap B, C,D Bloch lace up "tap-flex"). No loose shirts or gym shorts. *Hair in ponytail away from face or bun*.

Contemporary- Same as Jazz attire, barefoot or foot undies (shoes at teacher's discretion)

Hip Hop- Black Converse (worn only in the studio), loose fitting clothes

Musical Theater- Same as jazz (clothes and shoes)

Chinese Dance-Same as ballet with black leotard, pink tights and pink ballet shoes

#### **SCHEDULE**

Classes begin Tuesday, Sept. 6. We will not hold classes during the following holidays:

- November 23 26 (Thanksgiving Break)
- December 19 December 31 (Winter Break)
- April 3 8 (Spring Break)

## We DO hold classes on teacher in-service days and other holidays not listed here.

In **inclement weather** follow Lexington 1 schools. Email and social media will be used to inform you if we will be holding classes.

#### **INSURANCE**

*The Academy* does not carry medical insurance for students. Should an injury occur, the student's own insurance policy is your only means of reimbursement.

## **TUITION**

There is a \$25 registration fee to be paid one time a year.

- Combo I, Primary Ballet, and Tap A/B/C: \$55/month
- Combo II, Primary Combo, and 1 hr. Classes meeting once a week: \$60/month
- Ballet A1/A2: \$115/month
- Ballet B1: \$180/month
- Ballet B2: \$195/month
- Ballet C: \$235/month
- Ballet D: \$265/month
- Pointe \$15/month (pointe classes do not count towards the multi-class discounts)

As a courtesy, we offer a discount for multiple classes. This applies to dancers taking more than one class or to immediate family members. If you choose to pay on line with a debit/credit card or check you will be charged a 3.5% convenience fee. Please feel free to pay by check or cash in the studio with no fee.

TUITION IS BASED ON SEMESTERS. For your convenience, you may pay by month. Payments are due by the first class of every month September through May. Payments may be mailed, dropped off at the front desk, or in the outdoor drop box beside front door. PAYMENTS NOT RECEIVED BY THE 10TH DAY OF THE MONTH WILL BE ASSESSED A \$10 LATE FEE. There is a \$30 service charge for returned checks. Pay by semester and receive an additional 5% off!

#### <u>PERFORMANCE FEE – \$110 due by October 31</u> (includes one costume fee)

Additional costume fee for each additional class is \$75 . This fee is applied to purchase or rental of costumes, whichever is deemed necessary. There may be an additional fee on adult size costumes. This fee also includes rental of theater, props, etc. All tickets to performances will be \$7.00 each plus a convenience fee charged by the ticket vendor. If you would prefer, you may split your performance fee into 2 payments. Performance fees are non-refundable.

# PERFORMANCES WILL BE JUNE 3 AND 4, 2023 DRESS REHEARSALS WILL BE May 31, JUNE 1, AND 2