

Classical Ballet

Our **Classical Ballet** program focuses on fun yet careful training for all ages. The program uses the Royal Academy of Dance syllabus. Our ballet teachers are either registered teachers of the Royal Academy of Dance or working towards registration. This syllabus emphasizes age appropriate training with special care to develop dancers correctly in relation to what their bodies can handle as they grow. At the end of each level, students get a chance to present their work to a visiting examiner. We strive to have live piano in the classroom when available.

Spokane Ballet Ensemble, a non-profit Ballet Company, is in residence .

Children's Program

This program teaches the joy of ballet utilizing classical training, musicality through character dancing, and free-movement to encourage the natural abilities of dancers.

Toddlers-This is a creative ballet class for boys and girls with a guardian.

Toddlers, Tutus & Ties^	Tues	11:00-11:45am	1-2	Alicia Smith
Toddlers, Tutus & Ties^	Fri	3:00-3:45pm	1-2	Alicia Smith
Pre-Ballet		ages 3-5		One day a week

Please wear hair in ponytail, a pink leotard, pink socks, and pink full-sole shoes.*

Pre-Ballet	Weds	12:30-1:15pm	3-5	Alicia Smith
Pre-Ballet	Weds	3:45-4:30pm	3-5	Alicia Smith
Pre-Ballet	Thurs	12:30-1:15pm	4-5	Monique Tesarik
Ballet & Tumble ^	Thurs	2:00-2:45pm	3-5	Monique Tesarik
Pre-Ballet	Fri	3:45- 4:30pm	3-5	Alicia Smith
Pre-Ballet	Sat	9:00-9:45am	3-5	Marissa Crook

Pre-Primary and Primary ages 5-8 One day a week

Please wear hair in a bun, a pink tank leotard, pink socks, pink full-sole ballet shoes and pink chiffon skirt (style to be found at Empire Dance Shop.)*

Pre-Primary	Thurs	3:45-4:30pm	5-6	Julie Pegau
Pre-Primary	Fri	4:30- 5:15pm	5-6	Alicia Smith
Pre-Primary	Sat	9:45-10:30am	5-6	Marissa Crook
Primary	Tues	3:45-4:30pm	6-8	Julie Pegau
Primary	Fri	5:15-6:00pm	6-8	Alicia Smith
Primary	Sat	10:30-11:15am	6-8	Marissa Crook

Grade 1 & 2 ages 7-11 highly recommended 2 days a week

Please wear hair in a bun, a lavender tank leotard w/elastic for waist, pink socks, pink full-sole ballet shoes, black character shoes and a black character skirt.*

Grade 1	Tues	4:30-5:30pm	7-9	Julie Pegau
Grade 1	Sat	11:15-12:15pm	7-9	Marissa Crook
Grade 2	Weds	5:45-6:45pm	8-11	Shari Davis
Grade 2	Thurs	4:30-5:30pm	8-11	Julie Pegau

Grades 3, 4 and 5 ages 9+ required 2 days a week

Please wear hair in a bun, a Lavender tank leotard(gr 3) Purple tank leotard (gr 4& 5) w/elastic for waist, pink tights, pink full-sole ballet shoes, black character shoes (grade 4-no character shoes are necessary) and a black character skirt.*

Grade 3	Tues	5:45-7:00pm	9+	Julie Pegau
Grade 3-4 open	Thurs	4:30-5:30pm	9+	Davis/Davis
Grade 4	Tues	4:45-6:00pm	10+	Shari Davis
Grade 5^	Mon	7:15-8:30pm	11+	Shari Davis

***Boys**– Navy or black tights (grade 2 and below wear shorts) white tank shirt or leotard, white socks and shoes. Grade 1-3, 5 -black character shoes.

Adult Ballet and Toning classes

Ballet & Burn^	Tues	9:00-10:00am	18+	Alicia Smith
Adult Ballet ^	Tues	10:00-11:00am	18+	Shari Davis

Professional Program

This program trains students towards becoming professional dancers or teachers. This is a 3-4 days per week program. Every level is a two-year program. The dance attire is black, royal blue, or purple leotard for syllabus classes, any color leotard for open classes, pink tights, and broken down pointe shoes.

Intermediate Foundation		ages 11 +		
Inter Foundation Pointe *	Mon	5:45-6:30pm	11+	Shari Davis
Inter Foundation Syl. 2nd yr.^	Tues	7:00-8:30pm	11+	Julie Pegau
Inter Foundation Syl. (1-2) ^	Weds	6:45-7:45pm	11+	Shari Davis
Inter Foundation/Grade 5 Open	Thurs	6:15-7:30pm	11+	Melody Davis
Intermediate		ages 12 +		
Intermediate Pointe*	Mon	6:30-7:15pm	12+	Shari Davis
Intermediate Syllabus^	Weds	7:45-9:00pm	12+	Shari Davis
Intermediate/Adv Open	Thurs	7:30-8:45pm	12+	Kelly DesRosiers
Intermediate Syllabus^	Fri	6:00-7:30pm	12+	Kelly DesRosiers

Advanced		ages 14+		
Advanced Open	Mon	3:45-5:00pm	15+	Shari Davis
Advanced 2 Syllabus^	Tues	3:30-4:45pm	16+	Shari Davis
Advanced Foundation Syl.^	Tues	6:00-7:30pm	14+	Davis/Davis
Advanced 1 Syllabus-all^	Tues	7:30-9:00pm	15+	Davis/Davis
Advanced 1 Syllabus –boys^	Tues	9:00-9:30pm	15+	Davis/Davis
Advanced Pointe & Partnering*	Weds	4:45-5:45pm	14+	Shari Davis
Advanced 2 Pointe Syllabus*^	Thurs	3:30-4:30pm	16+	Davis/Davis
Intermediate/Advanced Open	Thurs	7:30-8:45pm	14+	Kelly DesRosiers

* You must take two technique class a week to enroll in this class .

Performance Classes

Classes participate in competitions around the region plus represent the Dance Center of Spokane in various **guest performances**.

Performance students are able to join us if they are 5 & older.

If your child loves to dance, please join us for performance class !

Small Fry -Senior All-Styles Perform Sat. 12:30 –5:00pm—5+
We are doing a **production** with the entire all-styles competition class this year! Students must attend placement classes in August. Competition information is available at the front counter. This class consists of a workout warm up (when room on schedule) plus half hour rehearsals for each group number.

One extra rehearsal for no extra cost during the week will be chosen for you:				
Team TBA	Mon	5:00-5:45pm		Shari Davis
Team TBA	Mon	5:00-5:45pm		Cena Bean
Team TBA	Tues	5:30-5:45pm		Julie Pegau
Team TBA	Weds	4:30-4:45pm		Brittany Hubble

Other performance opportunities:

Hiphop Perform**	Mon	8:00-8:30pm	9-12yrs	Cena Bean
Hiphop Perform**	Tues	5:30-6:00pm	HS	Cena Bean
Hiphop Perform**	Tues	7:00-7:30pm	MS	Bean/Reid

**Hiphop Perform auditions will be held during the first two weeks of class.

Tap

The **Tap** program offers the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing syllabus. This syllabus follows the same body awareness guidelines as the Ballet program. At the end of each level students get a chance to present their work to a visiting examiner. We also offer Tap and Tumble as well as an Adult Tap program!

Tap: Leotard and tights of your choice (usually tan tights are used in the recital). Tight fitting Jazz pants or booty shorts are optional. No baggy clothes. Hair in a ponytail with bangs out of eyes. Tan Mary Janes or Oxfords. !!!Please refrain from buying Spotlight brand tap shoes as they have poor sound quality!!!

Children's Program

Tap & Tumble	Thurs	1:15-2:00pm	3-5	Monique Tesarik
Pre-Tap	Sat	9:45-10:30am	3-5	Brittany Hubble
Pre-Primary	Sat	9:00-9:45am	5-7	Brittany Hubble
Pre-Primary	Mon	3:45-4:30pm	5-6	Brittany Hubble
Primary	Weds	3:45-4:30pm	6-8	Brittany Hubble
Grade 1	Mon	5:15-6:00pm	7-9	Kathleen Olson
Grade 2	Weds	4:45-5:45pm	8-11	Brittany Hubble
Grade 3	Weds	6:45-7:45pm	9+	Cena Bean
Grade 5	Thurs	8:00-8:45pm	10+	Kathleen Olson
Grade 6	Thurs	6:00-7:00pm	11+	Kathleen Olson

Professional Program

Intermediate	Mon	8:00-9:00pm	12+	Kathleen Olson
Advanced 1	Mon	7:00-8:00pm	14+	Kathleen Olson
Advanced 2	Mon	6:00-7:00pm	16+	Kathleen Olson
@Tap- Open (Gr 6 & up)	Fri	5:00-6:00pm	11+	Cena Bean

Adult Program

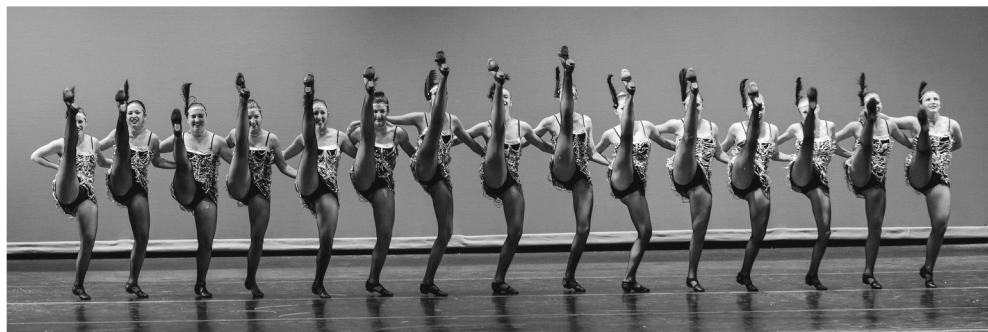
Beg/Int Adult^	Thurs	7:00-8:00pm	18+	Kathleen Olson
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Tiny Tot program!

These are Non-Performance classes!

A leotard of your choice. Low ponytail- no barrettes.

+Toddlers, Tutus & Ties^	Tues	11:00-11:45am	1-2	Alicia Smith
#Ballet & Tumble^	Thurs	2:00-2:45pm	3-5	Monique Tesarik
+Toddlers, Tutus & Ties^	Fri	3:00-3:45pm	1-2	Alicia Smith
+TT&T-This is a creative ballet class for boys and girls with a guardian				
#Ballet & Tumble—Child must be 3 the month they start class. No guardian needed.				
@ Must be taking Tap class .at this level to take this class.				



Jazz

The **Jazz** program follows a syllabus created by Ciara Murano-Steele. Contemporary, Lyrical, and Jumps, Tricks and Turns are also offered.

Jazz: Leotard and tights of your choice (usually tan tights are used in the recital). Tight fitting Jazz pants or booty shorts are optional. No baggy clothes. Hair in a Ponytail, with bangs out of the eyes. Tan jazz shoes.

Jazz-Pre-Primary	Mon	4:30-5:15pm	5-6	Brittany Hubble
Jazz-Primary	Thurs	4:00-4:45pm	6-8	Cena Bean
Jazz 1	Weds	4:45-5:45pm	7-9	Melody Davis
Jazz 1-2	Weds	7:00-8:00pm	8-12	Melody Davis
Jazz 2	Thurs	6:30-7:30pm	8-11	Kelly DesRosiers
Jazz 3	Thurs	5:30-6:30pm	10+	Kelly DesRosiers
Jazz 4	Mon	4:00-5:00pm	11+	Cena Bean
Jazz 5	Mon	5:45-7:00pm	13+	Cena Bean
Jazz 6	Weds	5:45-7:00pm	14+	Melody Davis
Jazz 7	Weds	3:30-4:45pm	15+	Melody Davis
Jazz Teen	Thurs	7:30-8:30pm	12 +	Melody Davis
Jazz Adult	Thurs	9:30-10:30am	Adult	Susan Beguin
@Contemporary/Lyrical 2-3	Weds	8:00-9:00pm	8-11	Melody Davis
@Contemporary/Lyrical 4-5	Weds	5:45-6:45pm	11+	Cena Bean
@Contemporary/Lyrical 5-7	Thurs	4:45-6:00pm	14+	Cena Bean
@Contemporary/Lyrical Teen	Wed	7:45-8:45pm	12+	Cena Bean
@Jumps, Tricks & Turns 3-4	Fri	4:00-5:00pm	10+	Cena Bean
@Jumps, Tricks & Turns 5-7	Fri	6:00-7:00pm	14+	Cena Bean
@Must be working at this jazz level to take this class				

Hiphop

Great for building strength, flexibility and rhythm!

Hiphop: Loose clothing, White sneakers. Hair in any style. **No Street Shoes!**

Hiphop 1-2	Sat	11:15-noon	5-7	Brittany Hubble
Hiphop 1-2	Tues	3:45-4:30pm	6-8	Cena Bean
Hiphop 1-2	Sat	10:30-11:15am	8-10	Brittany Hubble
Hiphop 1-2	Mon	7:00-8:00pm	9-11	Cena Bean
Hiphop Perform**	Mon	8:00-8:30pm	9-12	Cena Bean
Hiphop Teen	Tues	7:30-8:30pm	12+	Madelaine Reid
Hiphop 3-4 MS	Tues	6:00-7:00pm	11-14	Cena Bean
Hiphop Perform** MS	Tues	7:00-7:30pm	11-14	Bean/Reid
Hiphop 3-4 HS	Tues	4:30-5:30pm	14+	Cena Bean
Hiphop Perform** HS	Tues	5:30-6:00pm	14+	Cena Bean

**You must be taking the preceding Hiphop class and make it onto the team to be in this class. Hiphop perform auditions will be held during the first two weeks of class. The half hour perform class is in addition to Hiphop class and is free of charge. If we choose to bring in an outside choreographer there will be a fee. MS=Middle school is 6th-9th grade HS=High school is 9th grade and above

*The Dance Center
of Spokane*

2015-2016



“We have a lot of class choices and quality instructors!!!”

Come to our Open House!!!
Tuesday, September 8th
5:00-8:00PM

Classes start Wednesday, September 9th!

The **Dance Center of Spokane** emphasizes bringing the enjoyment and performance of dance to all ages at all levels. The studio offers a diverse range of styles: **Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Contemporary/Lyrical, Hiphop, Tap & Tumble, Ballet & Burn, Toddler, Tutus & Ties, Jumps, Tricks & Turns and Performance Classes!**

Registration Information

Classes start on September 9th and end on June 13th. When you enroll, you enroll for the entire year. Please refer to the withdrawal policy in the registration packet if you plan to leave class before June 13th. We take new students until January 15th for all classes participating in the recital. All non-performing classes take new students year around.

There will be no classes during these times:

Thanksgiving	November 25th –28th
Winter Break	Dec 21nd-Jan 2nd
Spring Break	April 4th-9th
Memorial Day	May 30th

The studio will be closed if District 81 cancels due to snow or in the event of an unforeseen natural disaster. If this occurs, there are no refunds or make-ups. Please note that we are open on some of District 81's holidays.

Tuition can be paid annually, every 12 weeks or every 4 weeks. There is a \$10.00 non-refundable registration fee per family. Register before July 9th, 2015 and get the registration fee waived. Tuition is described in the registration packet. **Please pick up a registration packet at the office.**

The Director may change the teacher on a quarterly basis as many are college students. We all follow a syllabus for consistency.

We offer a **Military discount** year round
Military ID- registration fee waived.

Recital Information

Recital Policy: A recital fee for either one or both recitals is due on November 1st. \$45 for one day or \$75 for both days. The recitals will then have free admission. The rehearsals and recitals will be held in lieu of the regularly scheduled classes sometime between May 15th and June 13th. Non performing classes, designated with ^, do a presentation on the last day of class and do not perform in the recital so no fee is collected.

Costumes: A costume deposit of \$35 per class is due on November 1st with the remainder to be paid by January 9th. All Jazz, Tap, Lyrical, and Hiphop classes need a costume. Ballet is usually one costume per level. There are no refunds on costumes once they have been ordered. Average price of a costume is \$75 for recital dances. Non-Performing classes do not need a costume.

General Information

Mailing Address:

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Open House: Tuesday, Sept 8th, 2015, from 5:00 - 8:00 pm. Please come view the facilities, meet the teachers, and enjoy the refreshments. Registration will be available that evening for classes that still have openings.

Age Eligibility: You must be the required age on or before August 31st to participate in the class level. Exception is Ballet & Tumble which you must be 3 by the month you start the class.

Friends: Friends are welcome to come try one class for free unless the class is closed. Please do not send friends or siblings with your children to sit and watch unless an adult plans to stay.

Observation: Parents are welcome to observe from the waiting room. Parents are invited into the classroom to observe class the last week before winter break.

Classroom limits: Classroom limit is 12 dancers for 45 minute classes and 15 dancers for one hour or more. Exceptions are hiphop (15 for 45 minutes classes, 20 for one hour classes) and advanced classes if more than the limit is at that level.

Boys in ballet! Any families registered at the Dance Center of Spokane are invited to put their sons in ballet on scholarship.

