

Registration Agreement 2015-16

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 a ^, 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.

Student and Parent Responsibilities:

Attendance:

All students are expected to arrive on time for class in the proper attire and their hair up in the appropriate style. If the student is too young to handle this on his or her own, we ask that the parent help with this responsibility. If a student is ill he or she is expected to stay home. If a student is injured and would like to continue in the class student should come observe class until she/he can dance again. If a student is absent there will be no adjustment of tuition. Make-ups are offered as a courtesy. Please arrange make-ups through the office.

Parents must be ready to pick up their children as soon as possible after class has adjourned. The Dance Center Staff is not liable or responsible for watching your children. **Please do not leave a sibling or friend in the waiting room while the other sibling dances unless you plan to stay and observe as well.**

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.

Withdrawals :

Please inform the office, not the teacher, of any classes dropped or added. Two weeks notice is needed for any withdrawals. Please remember there are no refunds for both registration fees and recital fees. After a costume has been ordered and paid for you may not receive a refund.

Lost and Found:

Please remember to check the Lost and Found box frequently. We donate items from the lost and found box to Goodwill during Winter Break, Spring Break, and at the end of the year. The Dance Center of Spokane is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Please leave all valuables at home.

General Registration Info.

Fees and Dates:

There is a \$10 non-refundable registration fee each year per family.

Early bird discount: Register and pay before July 9, 2015 and get registration fee waived.

Military Discount: Show your Military ID and get the registration fee waived.

Classes start **September 9th** and end June 13th. **Enrollment is for the entire year.** Please refer to the **withdrawal policy** if you plan to leave class before June 13th.

We enroll new students until **January 15th** for all classes participating in the recital. Non-performing classes takes new students year around.

The Director may change the teacher on a quarterly basis as many are college students.

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

Holidays:

There will be no classes during these times:

Thanksgiving November 25-28th

Winter Break Dec 21st-January 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 though that we are open on some of District 81's holidays.

Dancers make friendships that last a life time at the Dance Center of Spokane!



Tuition

There are three options to pay your tuition. Each option is priced per family. Please understand, regardless of the payment option you choose, your payment(s) are based on 36 weeks of instruction which occur within a 40 week period. While we periodically break throughout the year, payment for tuition is expected on a regular basis.

Tuition can be paid Annually, every 12 weeks or every 4 weeks. These options are priced per family. There is a non refundable \$10 registration fee per family if you register after July 9th, 2015. Registration fee is waived with a Military ID.

We also offer unlimited classes for any individual who pays for 7 classes regardless of his or her option of payment plan. This offer is per student not per family. Please note: Saturday All-styles does not count as a class for the unlimited class offer.

Billing Options. (Please Select One)

All bills will be sent monthly by e-mail only!

Please keep your e-mail address updated. Paper bills will only be sent out upon special request.

Option A (Annually) Must register by Sept 9th

Tuition may be paid yearly in which case you will be awarded a 5% discount off of the combined quarterly sum, due upon registration.

Yearly fees with discount added are as follows:

First Class per family	\$413.25
Second class per family	\$370.50
Third class per family	\$327.75
Next additional class	\$299.25
Any additional class	\$256.50

Option B (12 weeks) will prorate if necessary

Tuition will be paid upon registration, then by the first of December and March, respectively. If you are paying every 12 weeks, a late fee of \$20 will be assessed the first month if you do not pay within the month due. This will compensate for the monthly tuition break.

Every 12 weeks charges are:

First class per family	\$145.00
Second class per family	\$130.00
Third class per family	\$115.00
Next additional class	\$105.00
Any additional classes	\$90.00

Option C (4 weeks) Must register by December 7th

Tuition is 9 equal payments. The first payment will be paid upon registration and then on the 1st of October through the 1st of May. There will be a \$10.00 late fee charged if you do not pay within the month due.

Every 4 weeks charges are:

First class per family	\$50.00
Second class per family	\$45.00
Third Class per family	\$40.00
Next additional class	\$35.00
Any additional class	\$30.00

Late Fees:

A late fee of \$10 will be applied for any debt 30 days past due. Further, a new \$10 late fee will be charged each month any debt remains outstanding. If you are paying quarterly a late fee of \$20 will be assessed if you do not pay within the month due. This will compensate for the monthly tuition break.

Competition

WE CANNOT ACCEPT COMPETITION OR COSTUME MONEY IN LIEU OF TUITION.

Please plan accordingly.

A costume deposit of \$50.00 per dance will be collected on October 1st. The costume balance must be paid in full by November 2nd. The balance will be given to you as late as one week in advance. Expect an average of \$85 per costume.

We will calculate the competition fees for each respective student/family and make the totals along with the due dates available to you no later than Dec 31st.

*****Competition Late Fees *****

If you have not paid us by the day we have to pay the entry fee for your child you will be assessed a \$25 late fee immediately and pay 20% interest a month on the entry fee until it is paid off. Please plan accordingly!

Agreements

Liability/Indemnity Agreement

I/We agree to hold harmless the Dance Center of Spokane, its Employees and its Lesser from any and all liability claims, actions, judgments, damages and injuries of any kind and nature whatsoever to the participant and/or his/her property arising from participation in activities for which the participant is registered. I/We have familiarized myself/ourselves with the description of the activities, understand the hazards, the participant's personal limitations and **knowingly assume all risks.**

Billing Agreement

I have selected Billing Option:

A (Annually) _____ must register by September 9th

B (12 weeks) _____ will prorate if necessary

I understand I must pay in full in the month of December and March or I will receive a \$20 late fee for that month.

C (4 weeks) _____ must register by December 7th.

I understand that if I do not pay within the assigned month I will receive a \$10.00 late fee.

For the duration of the 2015/2016 school year to start on September 9th and be completed on June 13th. I understand that my option is based on 36 weeks of instruction which occur within a 40 week period therefore cannot be changed mid year. I accept all tuition, late fees, and competition rules regarding payment and agree to all and any terms set forth in this Registration Agreement.

Parent Signature: _____

Please print name: _____

Date: _____