

Class Descriptions for the 2010-2011 Season

Tiny Tots (ages 3-4): This is a creative movement class that introduces your child to basic Ballet and Tap concepts. Emphasis is placed upon imagination, musical awareness, large and small motor skills and learning how to work in a class setting

Price: \$45/month

Combo I(ages 5-6): This class includes both Ballet and Tap, in which basic Ballet and Tap concepts are introduced in a fun and creative way. Emphasis is placed upon developing counting skills, imagination, music awareness, and working as individuals as well as in groups.

Price: \$50/month

Combo II (ages 7-8): This combination class includes Ballet, Tap, and an introduction to Jazz. Dancers continue to learn dance terminology and musical awareness as well as proper technique. Jazz introduces a greater emphasis on flexibility, leaping, and turning.

Price:\$55/month

Combo 3/4): This class builds upon basic Ballet, Jazz and Tap principles. Group work, simple turns, formation changes and basic across the floor exercises are introduced while students continue to learn the proper dance terminology. As the student's progress, this class takes Jazz & Tap to the next level by introducing more difficult technique and terminology. Across the floor exercises, group-work, and turns and leaps are expanded upon. A stronger emphasis will be placed on the proper execution of technical skills.

Price: \$55/month

Hip Hop 1-5 : This is a fun & energetic class where the students learn funky dance moves and how to count music and pick out a beat. Combinations become both faster and more complex with each level. (**Please note, close attention is paid to the appropriateness of the music and its content.**)

Hip Hop 1: ages 6-7

Hip Hop 4: ages 12-13

Hip Hop 2: ages 8-9

Hip Hop 5: ages 14+

Hip Hop 3: ages 10-11

Hip Hop 1-5 Price: \$45/month for each level

Irish: Both Irish Dance classes focus on basic Irish dance form and technique. This style consists of rapid leg movements while keeping the body and arms largely stationary.

*Irish I is for the first year Irish Dance Student.

*Irish II is for the second year or more experienced Irish Dance Student.

Price: \$50/month

Lyrical: This class uses dramatic movement to express emotion in dancing. Emphasis is placed on increased flexibility, incorporating ballet technique, the emotions of modern, and the rhythm and movement of jazz. This class will teach the students how their bodies can express the message the choreographer wishes the audience to experience.

Price: \$50/month for Lyrical 2 or 3

\$45/month for Lyrical 1

Musical Theater: This class will provide students the opportunity to combine acting and dancing! This upbeat style is fun and energetic and is similar to what you see on Broadway!

Price: \$50/month

Beginning Ballet (ages 10+): This Ballet class is intended to teach the beginner student who is not of “tiny tot” age. There will be a strong emphasis on technique and body alignment.

Price: \$50/month

Intermediate Ballet: This Ballet class is by placement of instructor only. The class incorporates barre work, center combinations and across-the-floor work. The goal for this class is to prepare students for Beginning Pointe.

Price: \$50/month

Beginning Pointe: This Ballet class is by placement of instructor only. Emphasis is placed on foot strengthening exercises and alignment. A thorough and careful approach assures a safe and solid foundation that allows the student to feel safe and confident when dancing on Pointe.

Price: \$50/month

Intermediate Tap & Jazz: This jazz and tap class is designed for the student who has mastered the initial and intermediate jazz and tap concepts and is by placement of instructor.

Price: \$50/month

Adult Jazz & Hip Hop: This class is available to any adult, however, if you have a child registered with us it is **FREE!** Jazz and tap dancing is a great way to exercise while having lots of fun!

Price: \$45/month

**Free to adults with a registered child*