**Policies and Rules of 4 the Love of Dance**

**Calendar**

We will be ***closed*** on the following dates during the 2019-2020 season:

 September 2nd - Labor Day

 October 31st- Halloween (evening classes only)

 November 25th-30th - Thanksgiving Break

 December 21st - 5th- Winter break

 March 9th-14th -Spring Break

 May 25th- Memorial Day

 \*\*\*June 5th- Last Day of Spring Classes\*\*\*

**Registration Fee/Tuition:**

A $30 registration fee is required per dancer. Each additional sibling is $10. Monthly tuition is due by the 5th of each month. 4 the Love of Dance accepts Cash, checks, and Credit Cards. Auto pay can be set up through the Parent portal or in the studio. Tuition is based on the "dance season", and can be paid in monthly installments, by semester, or by year. A 5% discount will be given if paid by semester, and 10% discount if paid by the year. These fees are non-refundable and help defray the cost of studio administration, management, instruction, and insurance. *August and June are the only months prorated.*

***Monthly Fees for Classes:***

1. 45min class per week\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$68 per month
2. 60min class per week\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$80 per month
3. Classes per week \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$110 per month
4. Classes per week \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$150 per month
5. Classes per week \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$180 per month
6. Classes per week \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$195 per month

6 or more classes per week \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_$205 per month

Toddler Combo

Ages 2-4yr

45min class

Parent and Me

Ages 18mo.-36 mo.

45min class

Creative Movement

No Recital

Attire: Comfortable clothing

Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Acro, Hip-hop, Contemporary, Modern, Improv, Musical Theater, Technique, and Conditioning.

Winter/Spring Recital

Attire: Dress code is different per class! Please check before purchase.

Combo (Tap/Ballet) or (Jazz/Ballet), Tap, Ballet, Jazz.

\*Start at 6yr- (Acro & Hip-hop)

Winter/Spring Recital

Attire: Dress code is different per class! Please check before purchase.

Combo Tap, Ballet, Tumble

Winter/Spring Recital

Attire: Dance clothing, Tap and Ballet Shoes

Beginner/

Intermediate Classes

Ages 8+ yrs

45-60 min class

Beginner Classes

Ages 4-8yr

45-60 min class

**Inclement Weather**

Although 4 the Love of Dance will follow Frisco ISD for most inclement weather closings, there may be days where the weather clears or gets worse and we will make a decision based on local forecasts and other business closings. Updates to you regarding bad weather days may be made via our website, and/or email.

**Winter Costume/Recital:**

Winter recital will be in December. Date and time Coming Soon! All classes (besides Parent and Me) participate in performances. Costumes are not ordered for winter but each dancer will be required to purchase a coordinating outfit for their class. We do our best to keep it simple and under $40.

**Spring Costume/Recital**

Spring recital will be Saturday June 6th 2020, at Lebanon Trail High School. Students will learn a different recital routine for each class they are enrolled in; students in multiple classes are encouraged to participate in the performance of each of their classes. There is a different costume and fee associated with each class. Children will be measured for their costumes in December/January. (Payment plans available, but all balances are due by January 1st)

Dress Rehearsal is mandatory for all dancers to participate in recital day.

**COSTUME FEES:**

Costumes fees are $85 per student, per class.

Prices include costume, accessories, one pair of tights if needed, garment bag, and recital shirt.

\*If you drop out of the recital but remain in class, you will receive your costume when they are given out.

\*No refunds will be made once costumes are ordered.

\*Costumes will be ordered mid-January to ensure delivery in time for the dance recital.

\*Costumes will be handed out as we receive them.

\*If you paid for a costume and then your child dropped out of class, you may pick up your costume after May 15th. All costumes not picked up by the end of June will become the property of "4 the Love of Dance".

**Pictures/Videos:**

\*"4 the Love of Dance" is hereby granted permission to take pictures of the students and use for advertisement or display purposes only. \*Pictures, Videos, and Live streaming of your child is permitted, as long as there are not other kids in the pictures or videos.

Please respect the privacy of other parents and their children.

**Kids Safety/ Pick-up:**

We are not responsible for students before and after their designated class time or once they exit the building. Please instruct your child to remain inside the building for the duration of their time before and after class.

No one under the age 12 is allowed to leave the building without adult supervision.

Parents must stay in the studio for any child under the age of 5.

**Sick Policy:**

Please do not bring your child to class if:

\*Child has a fever of 99 degrees or higher.

\*Child has vomited within the past 24 hours.

\*Child has had a watery stool in the past 24 hours.

\*Child has symptoms of a possible communicable disease (usually sniffles, red eyes, sore-throat, headache, abdominal pain, fever, and/or skin spots, bumps, or patches).

If staff observes any of these symptoms during the child's class, the parent will be asked to take the child home.

**Withdraws**

 One-month notice is required to withdraw from class and discontinue payments. We reserves the right to withdraw any customer, without refunds, at any time, due to non-attendance and/or non-compliance with 4 the Love of Dance's policies. When withdrawing please give notice to Kristin Shepherd, studio director, through e-mail.

**Dress Code**

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Please know that dancers who do not follow the dress code may be asked to sit out of class.

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*Ballet, Contemporary, Technique:*

* Beginner Ballet- Pastel leotard (light pink, baby blue, lavender, etc.)(Lt. Pink tights and pink ballet shoes) Hair must be in a bun.
* Intermediate Ballet- Black leotard only, Lt. Pink tights and pink split sole ballet shoes. Hair must be up in a bun.
* Advanced/Pointe: Any color leotard, (lt. pink or black tights)(pink canvas split sole ballet shoes)(hair in bun)

\*Tight fitted dancewear is imperative for this class- instructor must be able to observe body alignment

*Jazz*- Ballet/Jazz shoes, leotard and tights with dance shorts, jazz pants or leggings, tight-fitted top is acceptable; hair must be pulled up in a bun or ponytail- NO loose &/or street clothing; No mid-drifts showing

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*Acro/Tumble*- No mid-drifts showing; leotard and tights with dance shorts, jazz pants or leggings, tight-fitted top is acceptable; hair must be pulled up in a bun or ponytail- NO loose &/or street clothing

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*Tap*- Black tap shoes, shorts or leggings; hair pulled back out of the face- NO jeans or loose pants that fall over the shoe, feet must be visible! No mid-drifts showing

*Hip Hop*- Tennis shoes, comfortable clothing (nothing baggy) (feel free to let your style shine here); hair pulled back out of the face- NO jeans &/or distracting clothing or accessories ; No mid-drifts showing: No dresses!

*Toddler Combo*- Pink ballet shoes for girls, black ballet for boys, black beginner tap shoes, leotard, tights, (ballet skirt, dance shorts or leggings are optional), hair pulled back out of the face- NO loose &/or street clothing. Please do not send your child to class with accessories or toys. NO princess dresses or costumes. (anything & everything is a distraction at this age!)

*Modern*- Black leotard, with black shorts, skirt, or pants. All Black dance attire. Hair must be in a bun! No mid-drifts showing. Shoes: paws(half shoes)

Class List by Age

Parent and Me Class

* Wednesday @ 9:00am (18mo-36mo)

Toddler Combo(2-4yr)

* Tuesday @10:00am (2-4yr)
* Wednesday @ 10:00am(2-4yr)
* Wednesday @ 5:00pm(2-4yr)
* Thursday @ 4:30pm(2-4yr)
* Saturday @ 9:30am(2-4yr)

Beginner Classes (4-8yr)

* Jazz/Ballet Combo Monday @ 4:15pm (5-8yr)(60 min)
* Ballet Monday @ 5:15pm (45min)
* Tap/Ballet Combo Tuesday @4:30pm (4-7yr)(60 min)
* Ballet Tuesday @ 5:15pm (45min)
* Acro Wednesday @ 4:30pm (6-10yr)(45min)
* Ballet Wednesday @ 5:15pm (4-6yr)(45min)
* Beg. Hip-hop Wednesday @ 5:15pm (6-10yr)(45min)
* Jazz Thursday @5:15pm (5-8yr)(45min)
* Beg. Tap Thursday @6:00pm(7-10yr)(45min)
* Musical Theater Thursday @ 5:15pm (7yr and up)(60min)
* Ballet Saturday @ 10:15am (5-8yr)(45min)

Beginner/Intermediate Classes (8+years)

* African Jazz Monday @5:15pm (9-15yr)(45min)
* Intermediate Hip-hop Monday @6pm (8-15yr)(45min)
* Intermediate Tap Tuesday @4pm (11-17yr)(60 min)
* Dance Improv Tuesday @5:00pm (7yr+)(60min)
* Beg. Ballet Tuesday @ 6pm (8yr+)(60min)
* Contemporary Tues @ 6pm (8yr+)(60min)
* Intermediate Hip-hop Tues @ 7pm (9yr+)(60min)
* Beg./Int. Ballet Tues @ 7pm (9yr+)(60min)
* Hip-hop Wednesday @ 4:30pm(7-13yr) (45min)
* Acro Wednesday @ 4:30pm(6-10yr)(45min)
* Contemporary Wednesday @ 5:15pm(8-12yr)(60min)
* Dance Conditioning Wednesday @6pm(9yr+)(45min)
* Beg. Hip-hop Wednesday @6:15pm(6-10yr)(45min)
* Modern Wednesday @6:45pm(8yr+)(60min)
* Acro/Tumble Wednesday @7pm (9yr+) (60min)
* Boys Hip-hop Thur @ 4:15pm (8-13yr)(45min)
* Inter/Adv. Ballet Thurs. @4:30pm (10yr+)(60min)
* Musical Theater Thur. @ 5:15pm (7yr+)(60min)
* Pointe Thur. @ 5:30pm (10+yr) (60min)
* Beg Tap Thur @6pm (7yr-12yr)(60min)
* Int. Jazz Thur @ 6:15pm (8-13yr)(60 min)
* Modern Thur @ 6:30pm (9yr+)(60min)
* Technique THur @ 7:30pm (9yr+)(60min)
* Hip-hop Friday @6:30pm (8-15yr)(60min)

*Adult Classes-$5-$8 drop in classes*

* Turbo Kick Monday and Friday @ 9:30am- $5
* Broadway Fit Tuesday @ 9:00am- $5
* Zumba Tuesday @ 7:00pm
* Adult Ballet Thursday @ 7:30pm