



IMPORTANT INFORMATION - READ CAREFULLY

DRESS REHEARSAL ACT I Heymann Performing Arts Center Monday, April 22nd, 2024

- We are having 2 Dress Rehearsals (all in costumes). Most students will attend both days of rehearsal (Monday & Tuesday). If you only have 1 number to perform, you will only come that day of rehearsal. Also, **Primary A & Primary B/Advanced Primary B** perform both of their numbers in ACT I of the show ONLY, so these classes only come to rehearsal on **Monday, April 22nd**.
- We will be rehearsing **ACT I of the show on Monday, April 22nd & ACT II of the show on Tuesday, April 23rd**. We are **NOT** rehearsing in the Show order. I would like to get the younger dancers home as soon as possible. Please make note...Your child's performance number will be different than the rehearsal number!! You are provided with a Rehearsal line-up & a Show line-up in this packet. Once your child has practiced his/her number(s), you may leave the rehearsal.

Monday, April 22nd, 2024:

- **GRADUATE SOLOS:** Begin Rehearsal of Solos at **4:00 PM**
- **Primary & Adv. Primary** classes should arrive at the Heymann Performing Arts Center, no later than **4:50 pm**. Dressed in your costume with hair and make-up.
- We will begin Dress Rehearsal at **5:00 pm** on the Stage (beginning with the **Primary A & Primary B/Advanced Primary B**)
 - Please look at the Rehearsal schedule to figure out what time you should arrive. I cannot give you an exact timeline. Each class may take about 10 minutes on stage. Please do not be late or you will miss your rehearsal! We cannot wait for a late arrival.
 - Once your class is finished rehearsals, we ask that you leave the theatre. The Heymann Center has an occupancy set for our school during dress rehearsals.
 - While in the theatre, please sit with your class in the designated areas. This helps with our organization. No food is allowed in the theatre. No one is allowed in Balcony area!
 - **Dressing Areas:** On Monday & Tuesday, we will only have access to the backstage "Star" dressing rooms & restrooms. A large set of restrooms are located in the front lobby area of the Heymann Center. For the Show#1-Wednesday & Show#2-Thursday, we will have specific dressing areas for EVERY CLASS Backstage (in the Ballroom & Star Dressing Rooms)

Thanks for your cooperation and understanding --- Jennifer Luquette

ACT I: Wed. & Thurs. Shows
Dress Rehearsal Schedule: Heymann Performing Arts Center
Monday, April 22nd, 2024

4:00 pm –Graduates / 5:00 pm Show Rehearsal

** We are NOT rehearsing in Show Order **

Performance NAME: _____

CLASS Day/Time: _____

1. Dernière Danse – Ella Caillouet- Grad Solo *Begin @ 4:00 pm
2. Bloom – Ava LeBlanc – Grad Solo
3. Next to You – Senior Elite Group
4. Back to Black – Meg Touchet - Grad Solo
5. Agape - Camille Davidson, Izzy Bernard – Duo
6. Creeks - Kylie Istre, Marlee Nugier, Julie Romero – Trio
7. Tom’s Diner – Libby DesOrmeaux, Emma Gautier, Leah Lege, Lydia Luquette- Elite Small Group

BEGIN @ 5:00 pm (each class approximately 5-10 minutes on stage)

8. Bluey (cartwheels)- Primary A (Nikki - Tues. 4:15 pm)
9. Bluey (cartwheels)- Primary B/Adv. Primary B (Nikki- Wed. 4:00 pm)
10. Kiss the Girl - Adv. Primary A (Nikki - Tues. 5:15 pm)
11. Burning Love (with Dads) - Beginner A (Jennifer– Tue. 6:15 pm)
12. Burning Love - Beginner B/Adv. Beginner B (Katie– Wed. 5:00 pm)
- 6:00 pm**
13. Baby Face – Primary A (Nikki - Tues. 4:15 pm)
14. Baby Face – Primary B/Adv. Primary B (Nikki- Wed. 4:00 pm)
15. Part of your World - Beginner A (Jennifer– Tue. 6:15 pm)
16. Part of your World – Beginner B/Adv. Beginner B (Katie– Wed. 5:00 pm)
17. Teach Me How to Shimmy – Adv. Beginner A (Ajah/Lauren - Thurs. 4:15 pm)
18. Crocodile Rock– Intermediate (Anna - Wed.6:15 pm)
- 7:00 pm**
19. *Pink Cadillac – Elite Minis (Mallie & Sara Corinne)
20. Sock Hop Bop – Kinder Hop (Michelle & SC- Mon. 5:15 pm)
21. *Jumpin’ – Elite Hip-Hop (Mallie & SaraCorinne)
22. Under Pressure - Advanced II (Jennifer/Abbey – Tues 7:00 pm)
23. Humble & Kind – Jr. Intermediate (Michelle/Hailey - Thurs. 4:00 pm)
24. Parlez-Vous– Adv. Intermediate (Michelle/Hailey - Thurs. 5:30 pm)
- 8:00 pm**
25. New Dorp New York - Advanced I (Michelle/Jennifer – Tues 4:00 pm)
26. Fabulous - Jr. Advanced (Jennifer/Hailey– Thurs. 7:00 pm)
27. *Enchanted Waters – Petite, Jr. Ballet,Adv. Ballet (Ajah/Michelle/Emily/Abbey)
28. *Vegas Lights (OPENING)- Adv.I, II, III, Elite (Jennifer/Michelle/Abbey/SC)
29. Big Love – Advanced III (Jennifer/Abbey– Wed. 7 pm)
- 10:00pm**

Tuesday, April 23rd, 2024
AWARDS PRESENTATION & DRESS REHEARSAL:
Heymann Performing Arts Center

- **Tuesday, April 23rd, 2024:** Arrive at the Heymann Performing Arts Center, no later than 4:50pm.
- **AWARD PRESENTATION line-up will begin at 5:00 pm** on STAGE. If you are receiving a Yearly award &/or Perfect Attendance (not 1st or 2nd year certificates), you will line up in the Yearly award line. There will be a separate line-up for Perfect Attendance Only. It is very important that you DROP off your child with one of the teachers at the backstage door (**LEFT side of Building – NOT the hospital side; near vending machines**), then return to your seat in the audience.
 - Students will be dressed in their costume for the awards presentation. If your child Does NOT have dress rehearsal this day, they may wear jeans and their “Dance Revue” t-shirt or another Dance Connection shirt.
- We will be handing out the AWARDS at the Studio, the last week of classes! It will be your responsibility to bring your award with you on Tuesday. If you forget, it’s no big deal...your student will be recognized on stage for his/her accomplishments!

** See the attached “Award line-up” Sheet**

Only the Graduates will receive their awards the night of the performances.

ACT II: Wed. & Thurs. Shows
Dress Rehearsal Schedule
Tuesday, April 23rd, 2024

**** We are NOT rehearsing in Show Order ****

Performance NAME: _____

CLASS Day/Time: _____

****Begin around 5:30 pm (each class approx. 5-10 minutes on stage)**

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| 1. Gotta Sing - Adv. Primary A | (Nikki - Tues. 5:15 pm) |
| 2. I Can See Clearly Now - Adv. Beginner A | (Ajah/Lauren - Thurs. 4:15 pm) |
| 3. Get Silly- Hip-Hop 3/4 | (Alaina/Abbey - Wed. 4:00 pm) |
| 4. *1 + 1 = 2 - Elite Juniors | (Michelle) |
| 5. Nursery Rhyme Raps - Hip-Hop 1/2 | (Abbey/Alaina - Wed. 5:00pm) |
| 6. *Remedy - Elite Teens | (Ajah/Mallie/SC) |
| 6:30pm | |
| 7. I'll Be There for You- Intermediate | (Anna/Mallie – Wed. 6:15 pm) |
| 8. Burnin' Up - Hip-Hop 5/6 | (Katie/Alaina – Wed. 6:00 pm) |
| 9. Tina Mix - Jr & Adv. Intermediate | (Michelle – Thurs. 4pm & 5:30pm) |
| 10. Landslide - Contemporary I & II | (Abbey & Emily) |
| 11. Somebody that I use to Know - Advanced II | (Abbey/Jennifer - Tues. 7:00 pm) |
| 7:30pm | |
| 12. Dance with Somebody - Advanced I | (Jennifer/Michelle – Tues. 4:00 pm) |
| 13. Dance the Night Away- Jr. Advanced | (Jennifer/Hailey - Thurs. 7:00 pm) |
| 14. Black Out - Advanced III | (Abbey/Jennifer - Wed. 7:00 pm) |
| 15. Get Busy - Hip-Hop 7/8 | (Jennifer/Alaina - Mon. 5:00 pm) |
| 16. MONEY - Hip-Hop 9/HighSchool | (Jennifer - Mon. 8:00 pm) |
| 17. FINALE roll call – Hip-Hop 9 & Staff | |
| 9:00pm – 9:30pm | |

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT AT THE DRESS REHEARSAL IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE REVUE!!!!

Stage Rehearsals:

- Only 1 parent (guardian) & dancers are allowed to attend the Dress Rehearsal. Please do not bring other family members or friends to rehearsal. If we have too many people, the Heymann center will require us use a ticketing system for dress rehearsals, by law of the fire marshal. I will need cooperation and patience from the parents as well as the dancers. Thanks for understanding.
- Students must sit quietly in the auditorium while other classes are on stage. Loud talking and running will not be tolerated. No one is allowed in the balcony area during the rehearsals. Please DO NOT cross over, “taped off” areas. All food must be eaten “outside” of the theatre area.
- Picture taking and video cameras are allowed for the dress rehearsal only. Please DO NOT post any dances on social media sites before the dance revues. No cameras or video cameras are allowed inside the auditorium on the night of the performance. A professional videographer will be recording both shows for our Studio.
- All **PARENT PORTAL Pre-Registrations** must be submitted & outstanding bills are due by **Thursday, April 18th, 2024**. Your student will not be able to participate unless all of your payments are current and up to date.
- **STAGE MOMS:** We will need 2 stage moms per class. We have created a **SIGN-UP GENIUS LINK to sign up!** The responsibility of the “Stage Mom” is to line up her designated class, 3 performances before their own and to get the class on & off the stage. Dancers will be supervised by the Stage Moms. Our show has many quick changes. The Stage Mom **is not responsible** for changing your dancer’s costumes, but they will watch over the class as they are lined up and waiting for their turn to dance. The parent may either stay in the dressing room with their child or return to the audience. Once your child has performed, please return to the dressing room to claim your child. Each parent is responsible for their own child(ren). All Stage Moms must be dressed in **dark clothing** on the night of the performance. We thank you so much, this is a very important job!
- Stage Moms will be given a class Line-Up sheets during stage rehearsals(or emailed to you).
- Please keep these sheets with you at all times. Thank you

Stage Mom Sign-Up LINK:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4FA8AC2BA0F8CE9-stage1>

BACKSTAGE PASSES:

TICKETS/BACKSTAGE PASSES: Entrance & Exit will only be allowed on the Main Parking Lot - LEFT side of the Heymann Center! No one is allowed to enter on the HOSPITAL sides

Each Dancer will receive a **Clear Badge/Back Stage Pass** from Dance Connection that they must PIN to their cover-up. Each "Mother" will receive a Bracelet to wear on the performance night.

Show#1 - WEDNESDAY bracelet - RED

Show #2 – THURSDAY bracelet - BLUE

These bracelets are for the "Mothers/Guardian" of the dancers. This is your Back Stage Pass.

Signs will be posted to direct you to the Official Area to check in and get your Revue Ticket scanned (You **MUST SCAN** your Ticket **FIRST**). Once you have done this, the student dancer and Mother/Guardian will be allowed to go back & forth from the theatre to the backstage area.

- Please do not give passes to friends so they can "hang out" with your dancer! Space is limited. **Security will not let anyone enter without a pass.**
- Anyone who needs a seat in the theatre will require a ticket! A ticket holds your seat. Dancers **DO** need a ticket to enter the theatre seating during the show. If you need extra tickets, they will continue to be on sale through at the Heymann Center Box Office. **Tickets will also be sold at the Heymann Center the night of the performance, if any are available.**

DANCING PARENTS:

***BEGINNER A:** Packets will contain **1 extra TURQUOISE Bracelet for the Dance DAD**, for all the "DADS" that will be dancing with their daughters. "DADS" must wear their bracelet on their **LEFT** wrist, the night of their performance as well as scan their ticket and report to their designated Back Stage Area near the vending machines. We will **REMOVE** the Bracelet before the dance! A designated "teacher" will walk all "Dance Dads" to their designated waiting area.

***Dance Dad's will meet at the BackStage Area (near vending machines) before the show begins – around 6pm**



****Burning Love is #2 ACT1 in the Wednesday Show#1. "DAD" dancers Must report to backstage before the show begins...during Senior Graduate Awards.**

Dressing Rooms

- **Dress Rehearsal Days:** We **will not** have the Ballroom Dressing area available on Dress Rehearsal days. Your child should come to Dress Rehearsal dressed in their appropriate costume. Some students may need to change in the “STAR Dressing Rooms” or the Restrooms. Once your child has finished all of his/her numbers, you may leave the rehearsal.

Show Days: SHOW #1 Wed, April 24th 6:00pm SHOW #2 Thurs, April 25th 6:00pm

- Each CLASS will be assigned a specific dressing room or dressing area in the Ball Room. Entrance is allowed through the “Back Stage” doors or the large set of GLASS doors to enter the Ballroom dressing area. Most young dancers will be in the Ballroom. Please read the Signs to find your Class Name and your designated dressing area.
See attached ballroom set-up
- There is also a specific MALE dressing room for our male dancers. Please read the Signs to find your designated dressing area.
- You may want to bring food, snacks & activities (colors, iPads, etc.) for the performance nights. You may eat & keep all food in the dressing areas. No outside food is allowed in the seated theatre, only concessions.
- When you arrive, you may put costumes in the assigned dressing room areas. You may want to bring a hanging rack or blanket for your dressing area. We provide tables and mirrors for you. Make sure all costumes and shoes are labeled. Be sure that your child’s costume is fitted properly! The costume should not be falling off of her shoulders or anywhere else. All headpieces must be secured! Do not leave anything in the dressing rooms after the show. Dance Connection and the Heymann Center are not responsible for lost or misplaced items.
- Only the STAGE MOMS are allowed on the SIDE of the stage. TVs are provided in the dressing areas for you to watch the show. We will also have a Picture Area set up for you to take photos. Please do not take photos in the dressing area...you may capture someone in the nude, lol!

Performance Day

- The doors will open 1 hour before the dance revue begins. Female Guardians & Dancers are ONLY allowed to Enter & Exit the theatre and backstage area on the MAIN PARKING LOT side of the building, NO access on the HOSPITAL side.
- We ask that you arrive no later than 5:30pm. The Graduate presentation begins at 6pm and the show begins promptly at 6:30pm.
- Quiet and order in the dressing rooms and backstage is a must! The hallways should be kept clear at all times. Running and loud talking will not be tolerated.
- **Dancers must be lined up backstage 3-4 numbers before their own.** Stage MOMS will be lining up dancers. This is very important for your child not to miss his/her number. We cannot hold a number because your child is not there. They will miss their performance, so please follow the order carefully.
- All parts of the costume are required. Dancers will not go on stage if they are missing a piece of their costume. No additional jewelry or nail polish allowed.
- Do not wear underwear under tights and leotards (not even thong underwear). You may want to purchase extra tights in case of a rip or accident. No costumes of any kind allowed in the audience during the performance. Dancers must wear a cover-up with their **BACKSTAGE PASS**. Students must be completely covered with no parts of their costume exposed. Robes or long button-down shirts are the most convenient.
- Make-up must be worn and should be applied heavily due to lighting. No glitter in the hair or on the costumes
 - We must follow all rules and regulations of the Heymann Center & the State Fire Marshall.

Performance I: Wednesday, April 24th, 2024
Performance II: Thursday, April 25th, 2024

“Vegas Lights” – Dance Connection 2024

- **Performances: Arrive by 5:30pm, Senior Graduate Awards begin @ 6:00pm**
- **Students and Moms must have checked in with Heymann Center Security using their tickets & backstage passes to go backstage!**
- **No Men are allowed in the backstage dressing rooms except male student dancers and stage crew**
- **“Dance DADs” must scan tickets & check in with Security. Meet backstage near vending machines- Wednesday Show *ONLY.**

This packet contains the True line - ups for each show & Ballroom dressing area set-up

- They Heymann Performing Arts Center is located at 1373 South College Road, Lafayette, LA 70503. 337-291-5540
- Parking is Available in the new MAIN PARKING area of the Heymann Center and the 2 Parking Garage, near Lafayette General Hospital.
- As always, we are willing to assist you in any way. Please do not hesitate to ask any questions that you may have.
- You may begin your PRE-REGISTRATION through your Dance PARENT PORTAL for the **Fall 2024-2025 Session**. Instructions on how to do so are available in this packet. We will send information about your dancer’s class options for the next season.
- We sincerely thank you for your patience and understanding. We are very excited that this will be our 23rd year of performances! The Dance Connection Staff and I are looking forward to many more years with you and your dancer! Thanks for a great year and we hope that you and your family enjoy our performances.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Perry Luquette &
The Dance Connection Staff

EARLYBIRD REGISTRATION FOR THE 2024-2025 DANCE SEASON
PRE-REGISTRATION FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED
AT DANCE CONNECTION

Online Parent Portal Registration

Sign into your Parent Portal or access the link through our Dance Connection website: www.danceconnectionstudio.net

PRE-Register By: Wednesday, April 30th, 2024

PRE-Registration Fee: \$78.00 per student

\$40 registration fee per additional student in the family

Registration After April 30th, Registration Fee: \$88.00

\$40 registration fee per additional student in the family

- Before Registering, we will provide you with a list of class options for your dancers new dance session. This will assist you in choosing the appropriate class(es) for your dancer.
- If you wish to enroll a NEW student (sibling), you may also do it at this time, just by selecting “Add a NEW Student”
- Once you have submitted your new class selection(s), your account will be VERIFIED and the appropriate Registration Fee will be charged. You will receive a confirmation email upon submission and a second email once your schedule has been verified by Dance Connection.
- You may pay these fees through your Parent Portal or through our office. If you have a credit/bank account on file, your Registration Fee will AUTOMATICALLY be paid.
- All dance accounts currently enrolled in AUTO PAY will continue, unless our office is notified to do otherwise. You may ADD a credit/debit card or bank draft to your dance account at anytime, just by contacting Mrs. Liz Perry in our studio office (337-892-1299).
- Please verify all debit card expiration dates or any changes to your checking account or address.
- You will be able to automatically print out your class schedules for the 2023-2024 dance session.

NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION will Open ONLINE – MAY 1st 2024

www.danceconnectionstudio.net

Open House / Dance Wear Day

Sunday July 21st, 2024

2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

The Ultimate dance store will be available on site for you to purchase new shoes, tights and accessories! We will assist you in ordering all Twinkle dance uniforms.

Parent Instructions for Dance Portal Online Registration:

1. Log into your Parent Portal
 - *Re-set password if needed
2. Once you are in your Portal, it will “Welcome” you to your DASHBOARD
 - Click on the “3 Lines” symbol on the Top Right of the Page & make a selection
 - ***Account** – to View your current student or Add a NEW STUDENT
 - Click on the **Blue SQUARE that says STUDENT → VIEW STUDENT**
 - **BLUE CIRCLE with PENCIL** -to edit your current student’s information -Remember to **SAVE** any changes
 - Please remember to enter/update student’s GRADE & YEARS of DANCE (this feature will not automatically update each year)
 - Click on the **GREEN CIRCLE with the Plus Sign** to ADD a NEW STUDENT (sibling)

You MUST Update your Student’s Profile or Add a NEW student before you can add them to any classes. Once this is done, then you may go to the next step of FINDING a CLASS

- ***Classes** – to add New classes for a new dance season
 - Click - **DASHBOARD**
 - Click – **Find Classes**
 - You will see classes listed A-Z & **Add Filter**
 - Click on **ADD FILTER**
 - Click – **SESSION –Select Session –2024-2025 –Add Filter**
3. You may also FILTER your search by choosing “Category”, “Day” or “Age”
 - Summer Workshop
 - Ballet and Tap Combo class
 - Ballet Only
 - Contemporary Class
 - Hip Hop
 - Jazz and Tap Combo class

4. Click on the Class you would like to **ADD to CART** -ENROLL.
 - Select the Student, that will be enrolling into this class

(If you try to select a class that is NOT within your dancers age range, it will not allow you to register. Please contact our office for assistance)

5. Agree to all Policies
6. Click - **ENROLL**
7. You can continue to enroll in more than one class or **CHECK OUT**
8. **Accept Enrollment Fees & Continue**

9. When you have completed adding classes, you may Click on you **DASHBOARD** at the top of the page & View “My Schedule”. This will show you all of your Registered Dancers and their dance schedules. You may also PRINT out your schedules from this page.

10. Your 2024-2025 Enrollment is completed!

11. Please set up your **Payment Method**
 - Click – **Billing & Payments**
 - Click – **Saved Payment Methods**
 - Click – **Green Circle “plus sign” to Edit or Add Card Info**
 - Click - **SAVE**

12. Your 2024-2025 enrollment will be submitted to Dance Connection & viewed for approval. Once it is approved, you will receive a confirmation email and your Registration Fee will be charged to your account. If you have auto-pay, your fee will be automatically drafted. If you do not have auto-pay, you may pay our office by check or cash.

13. Tuition, Revue Fee, Video LINK and Costume Fees will be divided between the 9 months of dance classes (August 2024-April 2025). Once classes are added your Fees will be added to your account. These fees are paid on a monthly basis. You may reference our Tuition chart. Monthly fees are based off of how many hours a week a student takes class. All costumes are added and divided by the 9 months also.

Costume Monthly Fees:

\$15/mth (HipHop, Ballet, Contemporary) / \$25/mth (Primary-Intermediate)

\$30/mth (Jr. Intermediate-Advanced III)

*These fees are non-refundable

Thank you for registering your dancer(s) once again with
DANCE CONNECTION.

*** Dance Connection Open House & Registration**
Online Registration: www.danceconnectionstudio.net
The ULTIMATE / Purchase Shoes, tights, etc.:
Sunday July 21st, 2024
2pm - 5pm

Registration Fee: \$88/Child.....\$40 per additional student in the Family
 (If registered by July 21, 2024)

\$99/Child.....\$40 per additional student in the Family
 (If registered by July 21, 2024)

**** Registration & Costume Fees are NON-REFUNDABLE ****

Monthly Tuition

<u>Class Hours</u>			<u>Revue Fee & DVD:</u>
1 hour	\$60	monthly	+ \$42 = \$100
1 hr 15 min	\$65	monthly	+ \$42 = \$105
1 hr 30 min	\$70	monthly	+ \$42 = \$110
1 hr 45 min	\$75	monthly	+ \$42 = \$115
2 hours	\$80	monthly	+ \$42 = \$120
2 hrs 15 min	\$85	monthly	+ \$42 = \$125
2 hrs 30 min	\$90	monthly	+ \$42 = \$130
3 hours	\$95	monthly	+ \$42 = \$135
3 hrs 15 min	\$100	monthly	+ \$42 = \$140
3 hrs 30 min	\$105	monthly	+ \$42 = \$145
4 hours	\$110	monthly	+ \$42 = \$150
4 hrs 15 min	\$115	monthly	+ \$42 = \$155
4 hrs 30 min	\$120	monthly	+ \$42 = \$160
5 hours	\$125	monthly	+ \$42 = \$165
5 hrs 15 min	\$130	monthly	+ \$42 = \$170
5 hrs 30 min	\$135	monthly	+ \$42 = \$175
6 hours	\$140	monthly	+ \$42 = \$180
6 hrs 15 min	\$145	monthly	+ \$42 = \$185
6 hrs 30 min	\$150	monthly	+ \$42 = \$190
7 hours	\$155	monthly	+ \$42 = \$195
7 hrs 30 min	\$160	monthly	+ \$42 = \$200
8 hours	\$165	monthly	+ \$42 = \$205

Revue Fees: (Divided into 9 monthly installments * non-refundable)

1st Student: \$315.00 - \$35 monthly

Siblings: \$234.00 (each) - \$26 monthly

Revue Streaming LINK: \$63 (1 per family) - \$7 monthly

****Private lessons \$50/Hour****

Monthly Costume Fees, based on Class Age & Style

Monthly Tuition Addition: \$15 - \$25 - \$30

*fee increase include inflation of costumes, shipping, Heymann Center, Focus Productions, Credit card fees, etc.

DANCE CONNECTION

819 West Port St. * (mailing) P.O. Box 973 * Abbeville, LA 70511-0973



337-892-1299.

www.danceconnectionstudio.net

Dance Connection Elite Competition Team Audition
Thursday, May 9th, 2024
Ages 8 & Up: 4:30pm-7:30 pm Audition Fee: \$50

Students must have at least 3 years of ballet & jazz training & are currently enrolled in these classes at Dance Connection. They must be able to commit to an extra weekly class that will be paid for as an additional class to their regular schedule, two weekend practices per month & June & July classes weekly. Summer class tuition will apply. The Fall Elite class will be on scheduled to coordinate with their fall Regular dance class.

Class & workshop attendance is required! If a student exceeds the allotted absences or has too many other conflicting activities, they will be asked to forfeit their spot on the team.

Audition Sign-Up LINK:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4FA8AC2BA0F8CE9-dcelite>

- **For Audition Day:** please wear an ALL-BLACK outfit, hair pulled back neatly and jazz shoes or ½ jazz shoes.
- The dancers will be required to perform “across the floor” skills, learn a short routine and perform in small groups for our judges. Dancers will receive a video to LEARN the audition piece BEFORE the audition. The audition piece will NOT be taught on audition day...just reviewed.
- The results will be posted through email about an hour after the audition is over. An information letter will be emailed to the new team members.
- We would like to thank you for giving your dancer this opportunity to expand their dance education. All students are welcome to attend as many conventions as they would like, regardless of team status.
- ****Weekly Elite Classes will be scheduled throughout the summer. We will decide this after our first meeting**

INFO about Elite Company & FEES:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/11u-Xu7tsaCAPgy71yZojJNkPEFKx2f9-52KnD5THq1g/edit?usp=sharing>

****It is Mandatory for Elite company members to participate in MAY ACRO classes. All Elite members will begin summer classes in JUNE. ****

We will require ALL summer schedules to be turned into us in MAY. July would be a better time for vacation, since we schedule classes throughout June.

Thank you,

Jennifer Luquette, Abbey Hebert, Michelle Babineaux & Ajah Cox

Dance Connection Senior Graduate Requirements

To be a Dance Connection Graduate that has the opportunity to perform a solo in the Spring Revue, you must have met all of the proper requirements.

- Have completed at least 2 years of Advanced Ballet as a high school student
- At least 5 years of Tap and Jazz classes
- Completed and passed ALL 4 of the Teacher Training Summer Courses at Dance Connection or a comparable program from another school
- **please see summer registration form for teacher training dates and times
- Solo Choreography/Teaching Fee of \$500 due in October – Applicable
Costume Fee & Rehearsal Fees will be applied

If you have met all the criteria and are in good standings with your teachers, you will be considered for a graduate solo.

All graduating Seniors will be recognized as a “Graduate” on stage at the Spring Revue, regardless of if they are performing a solo or not.

Solo music, costumes and a choreographer will be selected by Mrs. Jennifer Luquette or choreographer, but she will work with the graduate to make each solo the most appropriate for that dancer.

If you have questions or concerns, please call our studio.

337-892-1299

email: danceconnectionstudio@yahoo.com

819 West Port St.
Abbeville, LA 70510
337-892-1299

Dance Connection - Summer Dancing Registration ONLINE

www.danceconnectionstudio.net

- MAY ACRO classes – 3 days/week – 4 weeks of class** **\$199/mth or \$18/class**
May 6-30, 2024 Mondays-Tuesdays-Wednesdays 4:15 pm – 5:30 pm - Ages 5 & 10
5:30 pm – 6:45 pm Advanced/Aerial workshop Ages 10 & UP
****MAY ACRO classes are MANDATORY for ELITE Company Dancers**

- Rainbow POP Hip-Hop Workshop:** **\$85**
POP-UP 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm Ages 5 -10

- Disney Jazz Workshop:** **\$85**
POP-UP (Class 1 ½ hrs) 4:30 pm -6:00 pm Ages 3 -6

- Turns & Leaps Workshop (2 class levels) :** **\$85**
June 10-12,2024 (Class 1 ½ hrs) 12:30 pm-2:00 pm & 2:00 pm-3:30 pm Ages 8yrs & Up

- Teacher Training Course I (Tap & Ballet):** **\$135**
June 10-14, 2024 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm
Ages 12 & Up **any student interested in Assisting, Graduating or becoming a DC teacher, all materials included

- Teacher Training Course II (Jazz, Contemporary & Acrobatics):** **\$135**
June 10-14, 2024 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Ages 12 & Up **any student interested in Assisting, Graduating or becoming a DC teacher, all materials included

- Contemporary Workshop (Abbey Hebert):** **\$90**
POP-UP 5:00 pm-7:00 pm Ages 10 & UP

- Hip-Hop Workshop (2 class levels):** **\$85**
POP-UP (Class 1 ½ hrs) 5:00pm - 6:30 pm Ages 5 – 8 yrs &
6:30pm – 8:00pm Ages 9 & Up

- Princess PARTY Dance Camp (Jennifer):** **\$90**
July 8-11, 2024 (Class 1 ½ hrs) 10:00 am - 11:30 am Ages 3 – 7yrs
(daily dress-up theme, crafts, snacks)

- Turns & Leaps Workshop :** **\$85**
July 8-10, 2024 (Class 1 ½ hrs) 12:30 pm-2:00 pm & 2:00 pm-3:30 pm Ages 8yrs & Up

- Ballet/Pre-Pointe Workshop:** **\$90**
POP-UP 5:00pm – 7:00pm Ages 8 & Up

****PRIVATE LESSONS Available upon request \$50 per hour**

**All Classes will be set up for Registration through our Dance Parent Portal
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