

Dance Attire by Class

Creative Movement, Pre-Ballet, Ballet I:

Pink leotard, pink footed tights, pink leather ballet slippers.

Ballet II, Ballet III:

Black leotard, pink footed tights, pink leather or canvas ballet slippers.

Ballet IV, Ballet V:

Any solid colored leotard with black, pink, white or tan tights, pink leather or canvas ballet slippers.

Jazz, Tap, Hip-Hop:

Black jazz pants, Capri pants, or biker shorts with a leotard or tight fitted camisole. Jazz shoes, tap shoes and dance sneakers should all be black.

Boys:

White t-shirt, black sweatpants or jazz pants with black socks. Ballet shoes, tap shoes (oxford style) and jazz shoes or dance sneakers in black. Shirts are to be tucked in.

Dancers are not to wear any revealing tops or bottoms to class. This includes crop tops which show the stomach.



Mt. Juliet Dance Studio

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Policies & Procedures

Mt. Juliet Dance Studio is a privately-owned studio offering quality training in Ballet, Pointe, Tap and Jazz. Although these forms of theatrical dance are the main focus of our instruction, we also offer class in lyrical, hip hop and Pilates. Emphasis is on proper body alignment and improving dance technique while nurturing a love for the art of dance in a Christian environment.

Payment Policies

Tuition is determined by the number of lessons and/or rehearsals in a calendar month. Registration fees and tuition are paid in advance and are non-refundable. No deductions are made for classes missed or cancellations. Payment of monthly classes is due the first week of the month, August through June.

It is the responsibility of the parent to remember when payments are due each month.

Late Fees

There is a \$15.00 late fee for payments made after the due date.

Returned Checks

A \$20.00 service charge will apply on all returned checks.

Withdrawal from Class

A student may withdraw from any or all classes by giving 30 days written notice to the studio and no later than the 15th of the month. If a student withdraws after the 15th of the month, then monthly tuition charges apply.

Class Schedule

Class times are subject to change. Minimum enrollment of four (4) students is required for a class to remain on the schedule.

Attendance

Please phone the studio if your child must be absent from class. We are concerned. Children who are frequently absent, late or leave class early cannot progress.

Inclement Weather Policy

MJDS does not follow any school closing policy. The studio will only close if roads are impassable or conditions are worsening. In the event of inclement weather, please call the studio for updated class information.

Holidays

The following holidays are observed:

September: Labor Day

October: This studio does not celebrate Halloween, preferring a Fall Celebration. During the last week in October students are invited to come to class in their favorite costume.

November: Thanksgiving and the Friday after

December: The studio will be closed Christmas week and the week following Christmas. During the last week of classes in December we will have holiday parties. You will be asked to bring a snack but there is no gift exchange between students.

March/April: Thursday, Friday, Saturday before Easter and Easter Monday

May: Memorial Day

*Please follow the studio's class calendar and do not assume that classes are not in session when school is out. MJDS does not follow any school holiday calendar and because your school is not in session does not indicate that the studio is closed.**

Arrival & Dismissal

Students should arrive at least 5 minutes prior to the beginning of class. Please enter the class in your dance clothes and shoes. Please take our youngest students to the restroom prior to class. Leaving in the middle of a lesson disturbs the learning process. Students will be told when to leave class and should be picked up promptly.

MJDS is not responsible for children not in the classroom. This includes children unattended in the parking lot, dressing or restrooms.

Dance Etiquette

Food, gum or soft drinks are not allowed in the classroom.

Cell phones and pagers are to be silenced.

If you arrive late, you should not enter the room until the end of an exercise.

It is impolite to leave class early without prior notice to the instructor.

The studio has a sliding door which is kept open most of the time; however the teacher may close the door at their discretion.

Observation Weeks

The classroom is open to parents and friends during our regularly scheduled Observation Weeks. During Observation Week, please feel free to bring cameras and other recording devices.

Classes may be photographed or videotaped with the permission of the instructor. Instructors reserve the right to refuse the request to protect artistic preference.

During Observation Week friends and family members are welcome but we ask that you not bring children under age 3. Chairs will be placed inside the classroom and seating is limited. Observation weeks are held during the second week of September, November, February and April only.