

Let's Dance

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Information and Policies for 2023-2024:

Fall classes at Let's Dance begin August 14, 2023. We offer a wide range of classes from the beginner to the advanced. Classes are 30, 45, 50, 60, & 75 minutes long. Let's Dance offers Tap and Ballet combinations, Ballet, Pointe, Jazz and Contemporary Combinations, Hip-Hop, Acro, Tap, and Musical Theater classes. Classes meet once a week. Children should enter and exit through the front door, and be dressed and ready to dance. Children's names should be clearly written on their shoes and all clothing. This prevents confusion when it's time to change shoes or when it's time to leave at the end of class. We cannot be responsible for lost items. **No food, drink, candy, or chewing gum in the building please.** It is very important that your child be brought on time and picked up on time so that we can keep classes flowing smoothly. We are responsible for the children while in our classrooms but they are the parents' responsibility before and after class times in the building or in the parking lot. Parents will have the opportunity to watch their children dance since our studios have one-way glass and video screen for observation. Parents are also invited to our Holiday Classroom Celebrations December 11th-16th. Our end of the year performance is the Spring Recital May 18th 2024. No tickets are needed to attend this performance. Let's Dance will post the details after spring break. Every child will receive a trophy at the end of the year awards/ class party.

Monthly Fees for Classes:

30 minute class once a week - \$35.00 a month
45 minute class once a week - \$50.00 a month
50 minute class once a week - \$55.00 a month
60 minute class once a week - \$60.00 a month
75 minute class once a week - \$70.00 a month

Additional Classes/Children:

Additional class or child- \$40.00 a month
Monthly tuition for 1 student with unlimited classes a week = \$ 235.00
Monthly tuition for 2 students with unlimited classes a week = \$335.00

Additional Fees:

\$ 30.00 registration fee for one child and \$ 15.00 for each additional child
\$20.00 tee shirt fee per child for the classroom celebration is due Sept. 15
\$85.00 (per class) costume fee due Dec.15 for all students including unlimited classes (Girls only & none for acro)
(Competition team costumes are paid for out of their company deposit)
\$70.00 spring recital fee per family, not per child to participate in this event due May 1st.

10 % Discount for Full Year Payments:

These prices include the registration, tee shirt, costume, and recital fees

1 -30 min. class = \$ 493.50
1 -45 min. class = \$ 615.00
1 -50 min. class = \$ 655.55
1-60 min. class = \$ 696.00
1 -75 min. class = \$ 777.00

5 % Discount for 1/2 Year Payments:

These prices include the registration, tee shirt, costume, and recital fees

1 -30 min. class = 2 payments of \$ 254.63
1 -45 min. class = 2 payments of \$ 318.75
1 -50 min. class = 2 payments of \$ 340.13
1-60 min. class = 2 payments of \$ 361.50
1 -75 min. class = 2 payments of \$ 404.25

Payments are due by the 15th of each month. A \$15.00 late fee will be automatically added to any accounts processed after the 25th. A 10% discount is available for those who wish to pay their tuition in full year or 5% for half year increments. Let's Dance can also automatically charge your tuition payment to your Visa, MasterCard, Discover, Amex, or debit card each month. Payment can be dropped off or mailed directly to Let's Dance. Any payment postmarked after the 10th will be considered late. Please make checks or money orders payable to Let's Dance (do not send cash). **Do not put checks in children's dance bags or leave any payments at the daycare center.** We do not go through their bags and they may get misplaced or lost. There is a \$35.00 fee for returned checks. A two-week notice must be received to drop a class in order to discontinue billing.

Company Auditions:

Let's Dance has 25+ dance companies that attend dance conventions and competitions on the regional as well as the national level. Auditions for the dance company will be held after the recital. There is a fee to audition for each. This is an excellent learning experience for students, whether or not they are accepted. Any student accepted into the dance company will be required to sign a contract pertaining to our rules and expectations. We will announce audition dates by email.

Bad Weather:

Let's Dance will be closed if the Greenville County Public School System is closed, because of the weather and all major holidays (listed below). If there is bad weather in the evening hours or Saturdays, we follow Greenville Techs' closing policy. **We do not close for teacher's work days, presidential birthdays, etc..** Your monthly tuition will remain the same. We will be happy to schedule a make up class for your child. There will be no extra charge for months with five weeks.

Dates to be Remembered:

July 22	Fall Open house, registration, and fitting (Ft. Inn 1:00-2:30 & Mauldin 3:30-5:00 pm)
Aug. 14	First day of dance classes
Sept. 4	Labor Day no classes
Sept. 15	Holiday tee shirt fee due (\$20.00)
November 22-25	Thanksgiving break no classes
Dec. 2	Mauldin Xmas parade (all welcome)
Dec. 6	Ft. Inn Parade (all welcome)
Dec. 15	\$85.00 per costume fee due for girls (none for acro and boys see teacher as to what to wear)
Dec. 11-16	Holiday classroom celebration (in house)
Dec. 20-Jan. 3	Winter break no classes
March 18-23	Spring break no classes
April 15	\$75.00 Recital fee due (per family)
April 22-27	Picture week (tentative)
April 29-May 4	In house Dress Rehearsal week <i>Recital dates are determined by theater availability</i>
May 13-17	Last Week of Dance Classes and award ceremony
May 18	Recital (tentative) <i>Recital dates are determined by theater availability.</i>

Recommended Dress for Class:

Let's Dance carries high quality discounted dance ware and dance shoes. Starter kits are also available.

Students in a combination class: a black short sleeve leotard, theatrical pink tights, pink ballet shoes with an elastic strap (the draw strings should be knotted and tucked in), and low heeled black tap shoes with tap shoe ties.

Students in a jazz/ contemporary class: a short sleeve black leotard, flat (not shiny) tan convertible tights. Tan jazz shoes with split soles (low elastic boots).

Students in a musical theater class: a short sleeve black leotard, flat (not shiny) tan footed tights. Tan jazz shoes with split soles (low elastic boots).

Students in a hip-hop class: a tee shirt and leggings/ yoga pants. Black high top Converse sneaker for shoes.

Students in a tap class: a short sleeve black leotard, flat (not shiny) tan tights, and black split sole tap.

Students in a ballet class: a short sleeve black leotard, theatrical pink tights, and pink split soled ballet shoes. Students must wear their hair up in a bun. No booty shorts. Skirts are optional.

Students in a Pointe class: a short sleeve black leotard, theatrical pink tights, and pink Pointe shoes with elastic and wide satin ribbons. Hair must be worn in a bun. Students should have a teacher check their Pointe shoes before sewing anything on them. Students will be invited to participate in this class.

Let's Dance Liability Waiver:

I, as the parent and legal guardian of my child(ren) who is/are a student(s) at Let's Dance, consent to her/his participation in dance classes, dance functions, and dance recitals, and do hereby release, forever discharge and hold harmless Syncopated Steps, Inc., d/b/a Let's Dance, its agents, officers, servants and employees, from any injuries, losses or damages which may be sustained by my child(ren). A Covid liability waiver is also required to enter the building.

In closing:

Your support and cooperation is an important component of our students' success. We look forward to getting to know the new students and parents. We would like to express our gratitude for the support of our returning students. **Parents please keep this information sheet throughout the year for policy and payment references.**

Thank you,
The staff of Let's Dance

