

GUIDELINES & POLICIES

All parents of students are required to agree to The Ballet Club's Release of Claims, Waiver of Liability, and Assumption of Risks Form in order to participate in classes and related activities at The Ballet Club. **All parents of students** are required to agree to The Ballet Club's Photo/Talent Release Form in order to participate in classes and related activities at The Ballet Club.

We are guests in the Yoga Spa Space, and therefore we are to be on our best behavior AT ALL TIMES. Please keep the space clean, and treat the space and the staff with the utmost respect.

- Please no street shoes, food, or drink inside the studio.
- Please do not arrive more than fifteen minutes in advance. Please do not be late.
- ATTIRE: Ideally, ballet students should wear leotard, tights*, and ballet slippers for girls; leggings, snug shirt, and ballet slippers for boys. *IMPORTANT NOTE ideally, tights should be "convertible" tights, with an opening on the bottom of the foot, so that students may go barefoot when running and leaping, as the yoga studio has a wood floor (footless tights are also an option.) Not to worry, however, if you are unable to obtain these forms of tights. I am able to "convert" the tights for you by cutting a slit in the bottom of the foot. Tutus are optional, but very popular! Please be sure to fasten long hair back off of the student's face. Always bring extra hair binders. Neatness in appearance and a secure hair style are essential for good dancing and training.
- Students should **arrive for class wearing their dance attire**. If you are coming directly from school, and do not have an opportunity to change before class, the student may wear leggings and a snug shirt, or any clothing that allows for movement but doesn't have a lot of excess fabric.
- Makeup classes are extremely limited, and must be scheduled at least 10 days in advance. Tuesday class may schedule a makeup in the Wednesday class, beginning in November. Wednesday class may schedule a makeup in the Tuesday class from the start of the term, or in Thursday's class beginning in November. Thursday's class may schedule a makeup in Wednesday or Tuesday class, from the start of the term. There is a maximum of two makeups per student permitted. Makeups are not guaranteed.
- While there is a lovely space at the yoga studio for parents/caregivers to wait, these are drop-off classes, and the studio is not especially accessible for observation. These are SEPARATION classes, and parents or caregivers are NOT permitted to accompany students inside the studio room. I highly recommend that you fold up strollers if you need to bring them upstairs into the space. I or my assistant will be downstairs fifteen minutes prior to the start of class to escort students upstairs ten minutes prior to class, if this is helpful.
- Videotaping and photographing classes is not permitted, except for demonstration day/presentation day.
- Please read ALL emails from The Ballet Club. DO NOT OPT OUT of emails. You will miss out on important information.
- TUITION IS NON-REFUNDABLE. REGISTRATION IS ONLINE ONLY.