

School Rules and Policies:

Arrival Procedures

Please arrive on time! Punctuality is crucial in order to properly and safely run our dance classes and respect everyone's time. Staff and students will be asked to use hand sanitizer upon entering the building. Due to Covid-19 outbreak, the studio will be closed to families until further notice. Only staff and students may enter. Thank you for your patience and understanding!

Class Procedures

Class size will be limited to 8-10 dancers. Water bottles and dance bags are the only personal items allowed in the classroom. These will be kept in a personal cubby. Please do not allow your child to bring toys or food from home. Students will not be sharing items. The bathroom will be designated for one person per use. Our Bitties dancers will be escorted to the bathroom by a teacher, but will need to be able to use the bathroom on their own.

Dismissal Procedures

Classes will be dismissed from the dance room at the designated end time of their class to safely line-up for pick-up. Maintaining social distancing, students will be escorted out by a staff member and released to their parent/guardian in the parking lot once they have been identified.

Cleaning/Safety Procedures

Teachers will sanitize the ballet barres, door knobs, and other hard surfaces between all classes.

Illness Procedures

If you have a cough, fever or are sick please stay home. Please do not come to the studio if you or someone you have been exposed to tested positive or had COVID-like symptoms within the past 14 days. Dancers who test positive for Covid-19 must remain home until they have been cleared by a doctor and follow the county quarantine rules.

Attendance and Tardiness

Good attendance is imperative to the growth and success of your student. Please make every effort to attend every class. Missed classes may not be deducted from tuition payments.

Payment and Late Fees

There is a one-time registration fee of \$30 per family. Payments are collected on a month to month basis and due at the 1st of the month or the first class of the month. We accept online credit card payments through our website (tybeeballettheatre.com), cash, check, or Venmo. A late fee of \$15 will be applied to your account if payment is received after the 15th of the month. For adult classes, we offer monthly payments OR Drop-In Rate \$20/class due at time of attendance. If you withdraw from Tybee Ballet Theatre for any reason, it is your responsibility to contact the studio immediately. We appreciate your commitment to program participation and and tuition payments to our school.

Dress Code:

Proper uniform is required for all classes. The students are expected to provide, at their own expense, proper attire and footwear for all classes. This includes but is not limited to, leotard, tights, dance shoes, and hair accessories. Students must abide by the designated hair requirements for the class they will be attending, as listed below.

The dress code uniform per level is as follows:

Bitties

Light pink leotard. Pink footed tights and pink ballet shoes. Dance skirts permitted. Hair worn up in a tight bun or ponytail. If hair is too short to be pulled back completely, please make sure your child's hair is pulled away from their face.

Ballet I

Light blue leotard. Pink footed tights and pink ballet shoes. Hair worn up in a tight bun. No skirts or warm ups please. Ballet sweaters permitted for cold weather days.

Ballet II

Black leotard. Pink tights and pink ballet shoes. Hair worn up in a tight bun. Short ballet skirts and ballet warm ups permitted with teacher's discretion.

Jazz/Hip-Hop

The designated ballet leotard for your level or any solid colored leotard. Pink/Black tights, jazz shoes or ballet slippers. Hair worn in tight bun or ponytail. May wear tight fitting street clothes and athletic tennis shoes over leotard and tights for hip hop. "Play shoes" may not be the best.

Adult Ballet/ Heels

Please wear tight fitting and comfortable clothing! Leotard and tights optional. If you do not have ballet slippers, wear non slip socks. Bring your favorite heels for Heels class!

Boys' Classes

White or black fitted T-Shirt. Black bike shorts, tights, or leggings. Black ballet shoes. Hair worn out of the face and eyes.

All students are **REQUIRED** to wear proper cover up attire to and from the dance studio. (This is simply for safety.) Students must also refrain from walking outside in their dance shoes.

There is to be no jewelry worn during any dance class. (Exceptions include stud earrings.)

There should be no chewing gum in classes.