

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

BABY BALLERINA-Focus on listening skills, ballet moves such as a pointing and flexing feet, plie, first position and balance. Develop listening skills and socialization. Ages 18 months to 3 years old.

PRE-DANCE-Small Children ages 3-5 are introduced to dance with primary ballet positions as a foundation. This is a great environment for socialization in a structured classroom. Music is chosen to encourage understanding of beats and artistic expression. Students begin class with ballet-based stretching, they then enjoy learning about fundamental ballet steps to age-appropriate music. Half-way through class they change into their tap shoes to make some noise learning about counting the beat, counting their steps, waiting their turn and staying in a line.

BALLET-Our program draws upon the traditional methods, yet includes modern elements that meet the diversity of demands in current ballet trends. Each consecutive year, the number of technique classes increase as the skill and the ability of the student progresses. Classical variations, Pointe, Partnering, and Pilates are integrated into the program according to the dancer's level and age.

JAZZ-The beauty and appeal of Jazz dancing lies within its expression and interpretation. Jazz class will focus on learning proper dance technique such as isolations of the body, improving performance quality and developing complex rhythms and patterns. Students will be exposed to various styles of jazz such as Broadway, Street and Contemporary to help develop a well rounded dancer.

LYRICAL-Lyrical is a fluid form of dance done to popular ballads and slower contemporary music. The dancer is taught to interpret his or her movement with feeling, motion and style. They will learn to tell a story or create the picture of the song. This style combines the fluid beauty of ballet with the more sharp moves in jazz. A Ballet class is required to build on technique.

MODERN-Modern is a unique dance style that appeals to the creative, artistic soul in everyone due to its expressiveness and freedom of individuality. The genre of Modern dance technique stems from a wide variety of ideas, and contributors. It is often expressed by a certain technique, while staying true to its own set of theories, will also overlap with other styles. It is invaluable to today's dancer in training, because it promotes versatility in dance performance and training methods.

HIP HOP-Break down the fancy footwork you see on TV in easy to learn steps. This is a great way to get a good workout, have fun and gain confidence. Our progressive program makes it fun to learn how to rock the dance floor. From Pre Hip Hop 4-8 to Intermediate/Advance Hip Hop.

TAP- A form of dance characterized by using the sound of one's tap shoes hitting the floor (or other surfaces) as a percussive instrument. As such, it is also commonly considered to be a form of music. Two major variations on tap dance exist: rhythm (Jazz) tap and Broadway tap.

BALLROOM-Classes are taught in a multilevel style for beginners to intermediate dancers of all ages. No partner or experience required. Pay per instructor.

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Welcome New Dancer

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Name _____

Monthly Tuition: \$ _____ Due 1st of each month
Registration Fee \$30 | Family Fee \$45

CAD Contact Information

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WELCOME NEW DANCER

Welcome New Dancer!! Your dance dreams are about to come true!

Dance training offers so many opportunities, whether you are 3 or 83 yrs. old! Dance will instill the joy of movement and love of the art form for a lifetime.

We offer many different styles of dance training at CAD that will develop “**life skills**” that will be sure to make your dance experience part of your everyday life!!

Just a few benefits of dance training:

Discipline
Team work
Develops Healthy Mind and Body
Exposure to different types of music
Establish lasting Friendships through dance

We suggest you help your dancer experience all the different styles of dance by *Attending live performances, *Reading classical ballet stories, *Watching old musicals just to name a few. This will give them the *inspiration* and *education* to that goes “Hand In Hand” with the dance training itself.

We are here to make your dance experience a positive and joyful experience. Please be sure to contact us if you have any questions regarding your dance training here at CAD.

We hope this is just the beginning of your “**Dance Journey**” with our CAD Dance family.

Sincerely,
Cheryle Armstrong

COPY OF YOUR AGREEMENT

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

- Dancing, stretching or performing is a physical activity.
- Class Act Dance and their instructors will be held harmless for any personal injuries; loss of or damage to personal property occurring at its place of business or at any venue where they may be rehearsing or performing.
- I acknowledge policies held by Class Act Dance which recommend doctor examinations for students, especially under 13 years of age, before participating in any activity which may cause or progress any injury or limitations the student may have to consult with a **physician before participating in any activity if I have any doubt as to my or my child's physical abilities.**

REGISTRATION

An annual registration fee covers from \$30 per student or \$45 per family (not extended family) August to June is required with the registration form to reserve class space. Registration is not considered complete and class space is not reserved until this fee is paid.

TUITION

- Our dance season is based on September through June. There are 6 months that have 1-3 days of the week that have 5 weeks of classes. Although there are months with extra days, your tuition is based on a 4 week month. During the month of December and June there are 2 and 3 weeks of classes. The tuition also covers the instructor's costs for the day of the Holiday Showcase and Recital..
- Payments can be made monthly by auto pay; charge to a credit/debit card that must be on file with the office. Auto pay is strongly encouraged. **Auto pay will help to avoid the Late Fee, since tuition is due by the 7th.**
- Tuition is due on the 1st of each month but if not received the 7th of the month there will be a **\$25.00 late charge.** This also applies to credit/debit transactions that are declined and checks that bounce.
- You are entering into a month obligation whether you or your student attends every class. No prorating is done except at the time of enrollment. 10% discount given to military families and for siblings.

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- No refunds/credits will be given for classes dropped mid-month. NO EXCEPTIONS. There will be no refunds for missed classes.
- Students have 30 days to make up any missed classes. The class must be in the appropriate age and skill level of the student. Please ask front office for suggestions for makeup classes. Makeup passes can be requested from the front office.
- You may end your classes at Class Act Dance at any time. It is your responsibility to inform the office NOT THE INSTRUCTOR in writing using a DROP/ADD slip at least two weeks prior to the 1st of any month.

STUDIO POLICIES

- Please make sure your dancer arrives on time and ready to dance. To avoid injuries, dancers who arrive more than 10 minutes late will be asked to sit out and observe the class.
- When possible, let the studio know ahead of time if you will be absent.
- Please do not interrupt classes to speak with instructors. Contact (info@classactdance.com) with any questions or concerns you may have regarding our instructors, classes or placement. Please contact the office to make an appointment if you need to speak with the instructor.
- Students must be picked up from the end of class on time. Class Act Dance is not responsible for watching your child after the dance class ends or leaving a sibling unattended during the class.
- CAD reserves the right to cancel classes due to low enrollment. Refunds will be provided for students that have prepaid for any canceled class.
- Please call in advance to check on the status of particular class. Canceled classes are posted on the CAD website.

CLASS ATTIRE

Pre-Dance Classes — Pink ballet and black tap shoes, black leotard, pink tights and hair in a bun, bangs out of face, short hair back in clips

Ballet 6 & Up — Pink ballet shoes, black leotard, pink tights and hair in a bun, bangs out of face, short hair back in clips.

Hip Hop — Nonstreet tennis shoes and comfortable workout clothes.

Jazz — Jazz shoes, jazz pants or shorts, leotard or tight fitting t-shirts. (No Loose Clothing)

Lyrical — Leotard, jazz pants or shorts, jazz shoes, footies or bare feet.

Tap — Tap shoes and conformable workout clothes.

- Walmart — Paso Robles — **apparel only no shoes**
- Target — Paso Robles—**shoes and apparel**
- Payless Shoes — Paso Robles
- www.discountdance.com
- Roxanne's Birkenstock/746 Higuera, SLO/541-3320

HOLI DAYS/EVENTS FOR 2018

Oct 8	Columbus Day-Studio Open
Oct 13	Pioneer Day Company Performance 12:00 pm
Oct 31	Halloween Company Performance
Nov 11	Veteran's Day-Studio Open
Nov 10	Elegant Evening Downtown PR 5:00-8:00 pm
Nov 22 & 23	Thanksgiving Break-STUDIO CLOSED
Dec 15-Jan 2	Winter Break