

The Studio- Performance Group Auditions and Information:

FOR THE AUDITION:

Each year our team's creative work is based upon the unique gifts and abilities of current students. Our goal is to cast a team made up of a variety of age groups and levels and work to showcase each member with artistic integrity and the very best of our ability.

Anticipated Competitive Events in 2024 :

Showbiz Talent Competition: 3/8-3/10: Concord, NH

Starquest Competition : 4/12- 4/14: Nashua, NH

Inferno Dance Competition: 5/3-5/5: Boston, MA

Rate for Performance Group 2023-2024

\$800.00

This is excluding competition entry fees, travel, costume, shoe and makeup expenses

**P Group tuition may not be combined with tuition multiple class discounts.

Deposit and Payments: A \$300 deposit is due on November 1st to put towards the cost of dancers entry fees and costumes. Deposits have already been paid by The Studio for each competition. By signing this document, parents and guardians agree to pay this deposit and follow up with remaining balances upon receipt of invoices covering fees, costumes and any shoes ordered for the use of the dancer.

Schedule and Commitment: Rehearsals will be held on Friday afternoons from 3:30pm- 6:30pm. There is the potential to meet other weekday afternoons or evenings and Saturday mornings depending on team enrollment and studio availability. *Rehearsal will not necessarily be three hours for every dancer. The Friday afternoon schedule is liable to change from week to week for each dancer but we will not start before 3:30pm. Students will be expected to attend any/all extra rehearsals, assuming they have been given prior notice.*

Solo and duo work: will be at an additional cost and participation is at the discretion of Ashley and her team. The cost to work privately is \$50.00 an hour paid to *The Studio* and the cost to rehearse a duo is also \$50.00 an hour but can be split between the two participants. It should be noted that there is limited time to rehearse solos and duos, etc. Likely the rehearsals for these will be on the "extra days". Ashley and the dance faculty will determine who is granted this privilege based on experience, level, attitude and overall commitment.

Costumes and Make-Up: Costumes will be ordered on an "as needed" basis. There is no set price for costumes but it is the goal to make things as affordable as possible. Students will be expected to purchase the proper shoes, tights, undergarments and make-up for the competitions and performances.

Requirements:

It is a REQUIREMENT that all dancers who join the competition team must take at least three (3)

hours of dance a week at the Studio, not including P Group and one (1) of those hours must be ballet and (1) hour must be Foundations of Dance.

2023-2024 Performance Group Contract

Dancer's Name(as it will appear in the program): _____

Birthday (MONTH/ DAY/ YEAR) _____

Grade: _____ Years of Dance Completed(Not including this season) _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Parent Email Address: _____

**Student Email Address: _____

Phone: H _____ W _____ C _____

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For the Student:

I understand that it is a privilege to represent The Studio in performance and competitions and I realize that I'm committing a significant portion of my time and energy to being a part of this team. I promise to maintain a **positive attitude** throughout the process and I vow to **respect** myself and my teammates wholeheartedly. I will not miss more than (2) performance group rehearsals during the course of the season. In the event that I do, I will have a meeting with my teachers to discuss a way to make up for what I have missed. If I miss more than (3) rehearsals, I will put myself at risk of being asked to leave the team. I will come to each and every rehearsal prepared to work hard and have a great time!

Dancer Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

For the Parent:

I assume full responsibility and risk of bodily injury for the dancer enrolled at The Studio. In the event of bodily injury, I release The Studio and its instructors from all liabilities.

I accept full financial responsibility for all related costs during the 2023 -2024 dance season at The Studio. Costs will include student tuition and fees, monthly tuition payments, late fees (if applicable), competition entries, travel and all costume expenses. I understand if my account becomes delinquent, my dancer will not be eligible to participate in performances and competitions and that I am fully responsible to pay the balance due.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

