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Dear Dancer and Family,

Thank you for choosing TNT Dance Studio!

Our mission is to educate, inspire, guide, and encourage the students who walk through our doors with the highest dance standards. The TNT staff is dedicated to creating a unique education for every dancer at any level, providing a variety of classes for kids of all ages, both competitive and recreational.

Working together, we'll help you build a positive foundation for your child's future, promoting life lessons through dance lessons, and supporting; **respect, leadership, humanity, acceptance, and loyalty.**

We're so excited for you to be a part of the TNT Dance Family, and can't wait to help you achieve your dance dreams!

Thank you,

Tiffany

[Owner/Director]

TNT Dance Studio





SECTION 1



YOUR DANCE SEASON

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SECTION 1 | YOUR DANCE SEASON



MEMBERSHIP

The membership process must be completed before a dancer attends their first class. To get started, please complete the following steps:

- **Create a Family Account (Parent Portal)**
 - Go to tntdancestudio.com and click on Parent Portal (Create Account)
 - Set up a Family Account as prompted
 - Enter current phone numbers for all primary caregivers. Please also provide the name and number of an emergency contact who is not yourself, in the event we are unable to reach you.
- **Add Your Student(s)**
 - Enter your student information
 - Please include any allergy information and pertinent health conditions (i.e asthma)
- **Manage Billing Information**
 - Use your Portal to enter your primary billing information
 - The card you put on file will be used for your monthly auto-billing. **See Section 2 for more on Tuition and Billing*

**MEMBERSHIP IS NOT COMPLETE UNTIL YOU
SUBMIT YOUR POLICY AGREEMENT FORM**



COMMUNICATION

EMAIL: tntdancestudiodesk@gmail.com

TEXT: (866) 868-0033

Our main form of communication with families is through EMAIL. **Make sure you have a current email address on file that you check regularly to receive:**

- All alerts, schedule changes/adjustments
- Billing/Payments
- Weekly Monday Messages

Monday Messages

Reading your weekly emailed Monday Message is how you'll stay informed with TNT Studio News. We are a very active dance studio, with lots of team building opportunities for your child. We would hate for you to miss out on the fun!



2025-2026 FALL-SPRING SCHEDULE

MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS
4:45-5:30PM Ballet I Foundations 8-12	4:00-4:45PM Acro II Foundations 7-17	4:15-4:45PM Boys Breakdancing 7-17	3:45-4:15PM Dance Adventure 3-5
5:30-6:15PM Tap I Foundations 8-12	4:45-5:30PM Kidz Hop III 9-12	4:45-5:15PM Kidz Hop II 6-8	4:15-4:45PM Thursday Kidz Hop I 4.5-7
6:17-7:00PM Tap II Progressions 8-12	5:30-6:15PM Jazz II 10-13	5:15-6:00PM Stars + (Ballet and Tap) 6-8	4:45-5:30PM Stars II (Ballet and Tap) 5-6
7:00-7:45PM Ballet II/III Progressions 11-17	6:15-7:00PM Contemporary II 10-13	6:00-6:45PM Hip Hop Crew 12-17	5:30-6:15PM Intro to Jazz + Contemporary 6-9
7:45-8:30PM Musical Theater II 10-12	7:00-7:45PM Acro III Accelerated 8-17	7:00-7:45PM Adult Tap 18+	6:15-7:00PM Musical Theater I 6-9
8:15-9:00PM Musical Theater III 13+	7:45-8:30PM Jazz III 13-17	7:45-8:15PM Adult Hip Hop 18+	7:00-7:45PM Jazz + Contemporary I 8-9
9:00-9:30PM Heels 13+	8:30-9:15PM Tap III 13-17	8:15-9:00PM Adult Jazz + Contemporary 18+	7:45-8:30PM Contemporary III 13-17
			8:30-9:00PM Darby's Dancers *October 13+
FRIDAYS (Ballet Speciality)	SATURDAYS		
3:45-4:30PM Pointe Accelerated 13-18	9:00-9:30AM Rising Star Ballet 2.5-4		
4:30-6:00PM Ballet Lab: 9-17	9:30-10:00AM Move With Me Intro 12 mo- 2 yrs		
Precision and Progress Education	10:15-11:00AM Stars I (Ballet and Tap) 4-5		
6:00-7:00PM Adult Ballet Intro 18+	11:00-11:45AM Tumble Intro 4.5-8		
	11:45-12:15PM Saturday Kidz Hop I 4.5-7		

Competition Dance Track

Super Nova Team *Starts October:

Intro to Competition Track

Saturdays, 12:45-1:45PM

Required Classes:

Any Stars class or Ballet and Tap

IGNITE Dance Company

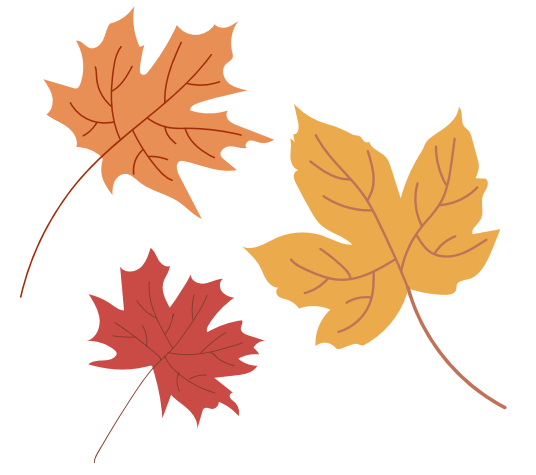
Mondays, 3:45-4:45PM

Ages 8+ (By Audition)

Required Classes:

Ballet, Tap, and Jazz or Acro

2025 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



September

- **Sept 3 & 4 (Wed–Thurs):** Open House (4:00–6:00 PM)
- **Sept 3 (Wed):** Assistant Mentorship Program Meeting (6:00–7:00 PM)
- **Sept 8 (Mon):** First Day of Classes – Dance Season Begins!
- **Sept 20 (Sat):** Studio Picnic & BBQ, 2:30–4:30 PM – Mill Island Park
 - Rain Date: Sept 27 (Sat)
- **Sept 21 (Sun):** MDTC Workshop – Snow Pond Center for the Arts

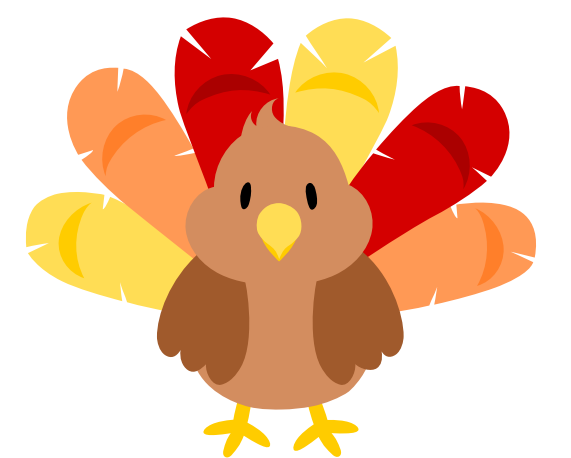
October

- **Darby's Dancers Program Fundraiser – Popcorn! (All Month)**
- **Oct 2 (Thurs):** Darby's Dancers Classes Begin
- **Oct 4 (Sat):** Supernova Classes Begin
- **Oct 13 (Mon):** Open for Indigenous Peoples Day
- **Oct 25 (Sat):** Dance-A-Thon! 4:00–8:00 PM at the studio
- **Oct 31 (Fri):** Closed for Halloween



November

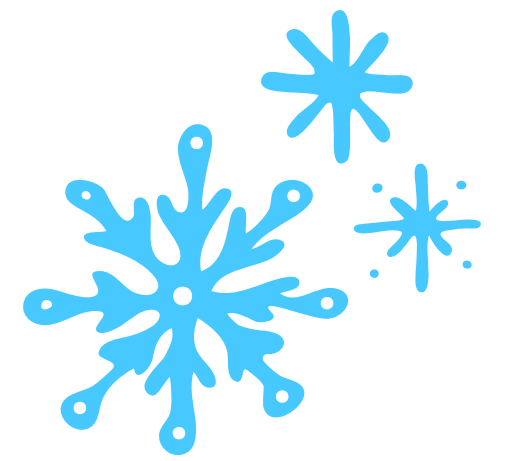
- **Maine Children's Home Fundraiser – Giving Tree (All Month)**
- **Nov 11 (Tues):** Open for Veterans Day
- **Nov 16 (Sun):** MDTC Workshop – Snow Pond (8:45 AM–2:00 PM)
- **Nov 16 (Sun):** AMP Training Session (6:00 PM – 7:00 PM)
- **Nov 25–29 (Wed–Sat):** Closed for Thanksgiving Break
- **Nov 25–(Wed):** Parade Choreo (5:30PM–7:30PM)
- **Nov 29 (Sat):** Parade of Lights – Theme: Elves!



December

- **Dec 14 (Sun):** Dance It Forward Holiday Shows – 3 Mini Shows
(All ticket proceeds go to our Scholarship Fund)
- **Dec 15–20:** Pajama Week + Holiday Class Parties
- **Dec 22 – Jan 3:** Winter Break – No Classes
- **AMP Holiday Party – TBA**
- **IDC Slumber Party – TBA**





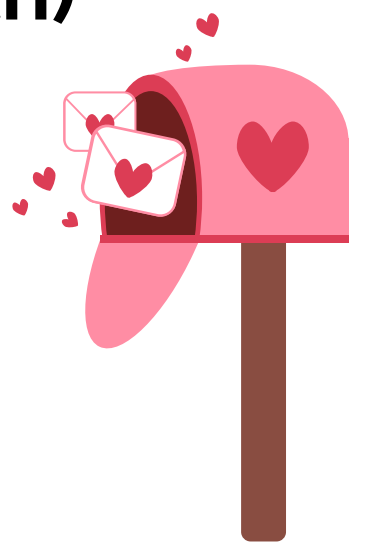
2026 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January

- **Little Caesars Pizza Kit Challenge – IDC Fundraiser (All Month)**
- **Jan 19 (Mon):** Open for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February

- **Mid-Maine Homeless Shelter Fundraiser – Coin Drive (All Month)**
- **Little Caesars Pizza Kit Pickup – TBA**
- **Feb 16–21 (Mon–Sat):** No Regular Classes – February Break
 - **Tues/Wed:** Vacation Workshops



March

- **Mar 14 (Sat):** Coin Drive Finale – Pi Day Celebration!
- **Scholarship Applications Open - TBA**
- **Mar 23–28:** Parent Observation Week



April

- **Apr 12 (Sun):** Photo Day at the dance studio
- **Apr 20–25 (Mon–Sat):** OPEN for April Break!
 - **April 20 (Mon):** Scenery & Props Build Day
 - **Tues/Wed:** Vacation Workshops
 - **Finale Rehearsal – Date TBA**
- **Program Ads & Student Shoutouts – Due This Month**



May

- **May 6 (Wed):** Stage Blocking
- **May 7 (Thurs):** Dress Rehearsal
- **May 8 (Fri):** Full Spring Production
- **May 9 (Sat):** Mini Spring Shows
- **May 19 (Tues):** Spring Into Dance 5-Week Session Begins





SECTION 2



YOUR INVESTMENT

- All-Inclusive Pricing
- Easy Billing
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2025-2026 FALL-SPRING PRICING SHEET

Performing Classes All-Inclusive Tuition (PER STUDENT): 8 Month Dance Season	
1 Class	\$94 x 8 Installments
2 Classes	\$132.5 x 8 Installments
3 Classes	\$171.5 x 8 Installments
4 Classes	\$210.45 x 8 Installments
5 Classes	\$249.4 x 8 Installments
6 Classes	\$288.35 x 8 Installments
7 Classes	\$327.3 x 8 Installments
8 Classes	\$366.25 x 8 Installments
9 Classes	\$415.7 x 8 Installments
10 Classes	\$444.15 x 8 Installments
11 Classes	\$483.1 x 8 Installments
12 Classes	\$522.05 x 8 Installments
Ballet Lab (Education)	\$100 / Month
Non Performing (Intro Class)	\$60 / Month

All Inclusive Tuition:

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

WEEKLY CLASS TIME

PRODUCTION COSTUME
+ PROFESSIONAL
CLASS PHOTO (5x7)

PERFORMANCE PACKAGE:

- Spring Performance
- Cast T-shirt
- Ticket Promo Code (\$40 value)
- Digital download of full performance

Sign up for 5 or more classes & get:

5 CLASS BONUS

FREE PAIR OF TIGHTS

6 CLASS BONUS

PROGRAM SHOUTOUT

7 CLASS BONUS

SNACK PASS \$5/month

8 CLASS BONUS

VIP EARLY ACCESS TICKETING

TUITION & BILLING

All-Inclusive Tuition

Our dance season runs from September through April (8 months), and tuition is all-inclusive! What does that mean? Your tuition covers your class time, your season membership, and our full Spring Production Package — which includes participation in our Spring Production, performance costume, a professional class photo, cast T-shirt, ticket voucher (\$40 value), and a digital download of the show.

Monthly Auto-Payment Plan (Our Most Popular Option!)

Tuition is divided into 8 easy monthly installments, automatically charged on the 1st of each month (September through April).

- An up-to-date card must be kept on file to participate in the monthly payment plan.
- Tuition is automatically charged to the card on file on the 1st of each dance month (September–April).
- If you prefer to pay with cash or check, payment must be received before the 1st of the month to avoid auto-charging.
- Declined cards must be updated within 5 business days. If not, a \$15 administrative fee will be added to the monthly balance.

Pay in Full

- Prefer to take care of everything at once? You may choose to pay your full season tuition upfront at the beginning of the year using cash, check, or card.

All tuition payments are final and are non-refundable (cash, check, credit card online or in house). Thank you for helping us keep things running smoothly!

Non-Performing Intro Classes

Some of our introductory and technique-based classes do not participate in the Spring Production and are billed separately. These include: *Move With Me (Intro to Creative Movement)*, *Tumble (Intro to Acro/Gymnastics)*, and *Adult Ballet (Technique)*.

These specific classes are offered at a flat rate of \$60/month.

Ballet Lab: Precision & Progress

For dancers who love ballet and want to strengthen their technique, this non-performing class offers focused training with Miss Stephanie. This weekly educational session is \$100/month and is designed to support growth in alignment, strength, and classical ballet foundations.

MANAGING YOUR ACCOUNT

All tuition payments are managed online through your Family Portal *see *Membership (section 1)*

Your Family Portal is where you can view your current balance, and manage payment methods. After you enter your information and make your first payment, your monthly payments will be automated on the 1st of the month.

Need to post-pone an automatic payment? If you know you will not have the funds in your account on the 1st, please contact us via 866-868-0033 to request a temporary pause on your auto-bill. Your tuition payment may be paused for up to five business days before you acrew a late fee.

How to stop Auto-bill

In the event that you need to withdraw your dancer from a class, **a Drop Form must be completed and submitted by the 20th of the month** in order to stop your next auto-payment. **Please request a Drop Form via the desk.**

Verbal communication alone does not finalize a drop. Tuition will continue to be charged until a completed Drop Form is received by the desk. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us maintain accurate class rosters and waitlists.

Student Name: *

Your answer

Date of Drop Request: *

Date

mm/dd/yyyy

Class(es) to Drop: *

Your answer

Reason For Dropping: *

☐ Schedule/Transportation Conflict

☐ Issue with Instructor

☐ Lost Interest

☐ Moving

☐ Other:

Additional Comments (Optional)

Your answer

Parent/Guardian E-Signature: *



SECTION 3



YOUR CLASS EXPERIENCE

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WHAT TO WEAR

What does my dancer need for class?

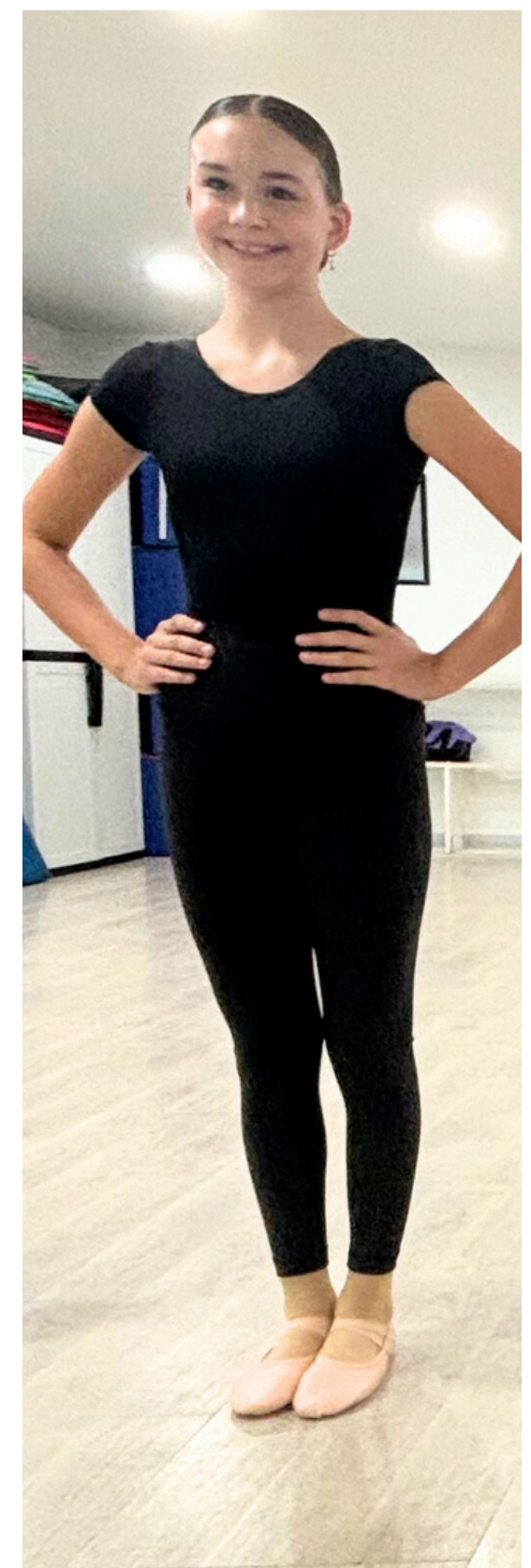
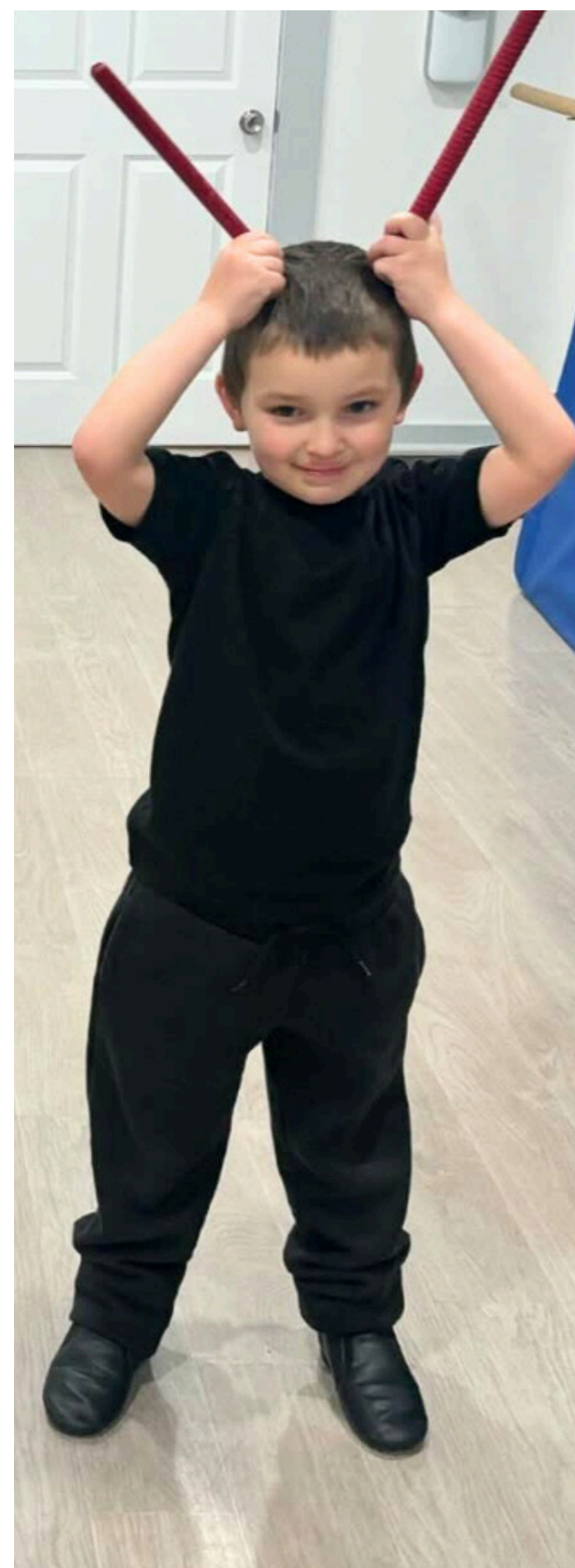
Just like with any activity, having the proper gear is crucial to your dancer's class experience! The specifics vary between age and dance style (*see below), but if in doubt you can never go wrong with this simple dress code checklist:

☒ **Tights** ☒ **Leotard** ☒ **Hair back** ☒ **Dance Shoes**

Feel free to accessorize with biker/dance shorts, ballet skirts, leggings, etc. Please no sweatpants or loose fitting shirts/sweatshirts (Exception of hip-hop).

Why is dress code important?

- Allows for proper movement and free range of motion
- Teacher can quickly identify and correct alignment issues
- Builds self-confidence
- Reduces social and economic barriers within the studio
- Shows respect for yourself and others by taking class time seriously
- Fosters self-discipline and personal responsibility
- Creates pride in engaging with the long history of the art of dance!



TNT Dance Studio DRESS CODE

- **Leotard** Solid color, any style (Black preferred in ballet ages 8+)
 - **Alternate:** Fitted shirt tucked in, athletic pants or leggings. Solid colors. (Black preferred in ballet ages 8+)
- **Tights** Pink or Tan (Convertible tights are great for all styles!)
- **Hair neatly tied back and out of face** (Low bun preferred for Ballet.)
- **Dance Shoes (Label all your shoes with initials)**
 - **Ballet:** Pink Ballet shoes [Alternate: Black Ballet shoes]
 - **Tap:** Black Tap shoes
 - Mary-Jane Buckle Tap Shoe (Stars and Level I)
 - Oxford Lace-up Tap Shoe (Level II, Teens, and Adults)
 - **Hip Hop:** Hip Hop Sneakers [or any solid black indoor sneaker]
 - **Jazz & Musical Theater:** Black Jazz Shoes
 - **Acro & Contemporary:** Bare feet (make sure your tights are convertible or footless)
 - **Broadway Heels:** Tan Character Heels, T-strap, 2"

Feel free to accessorize with biker/dance shorts, ballet skirts, leggings, etc. Please no sweatpants or loose fitting shirts/sweatshirts (Exception of hip-hop).

WHAT TO BRING

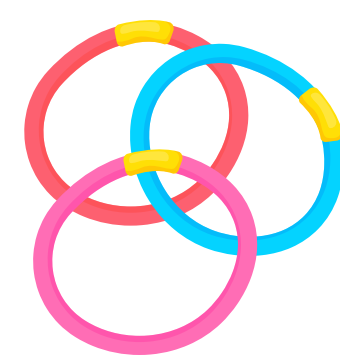
Set your dancer up for success with these class essentials:



DANCE BAG for Dance Shoes



WATER



EXTRA
HAIR TIES



Arrive and Leave in
OUTDOOR SHOES

SECTION 3 | YOUR CLASS EXPERIENCE

ARRIVAL

Dancers should **arrive dressed in their dancewear**, hair tied neatly back, with **outdoor shoes** on, as dance shoes should never be worn outside. Upon entering the waiting room, dancers will be greeted and can place their shoes and jackets in the designated area. Our teacher assistants are available to help with putting on dance shoes as needed.

“Dance Adventure” and “Rising Star” families will assist with putting on dance shoes, and will be responsible for dancer's belongings (shoes, jackets, dancebag).

Please arrive no more than 10–15 minutes before class time, and make every effort to be on time. For new and younger dancers, arriving a few minutes early is especially helpful—it gives them time to get comfortable in the space and ease into the day's activities without feeling rushed or overwhelmed.

DISMISSAL

“Dance Adventure” and “Rising Star” families, please be in the waiting room a few minutes before class ends to greet your dancer and assist with gathering their belongings.

For Dancers 8 and under families are welcome to come into the waiting room for dismissal, but please be mindful of our limited space. When large classes are transitioning it can be much easier for families to wait **outside by the exit door under the carport before the end of class.** Dancers will get ready to leave (assistants will help with shoes and belongings as needed), and line up at the door to receive a small treat (sticker, lollipop) and any final messages from their teacher. Dancers will then be dismissed to their family member.

For safety, please do not remain in your vehicle for dismissal unless your child is age 8 or older.

Late Pick-Up Policy

If a dancer's family member is not present at the end of class, dancers will remain inside with a staff member. If no one arrives within 10 minutes of class ending, a \$10 late pick-up fee will be charged. However, **this fee will not apply if you've called, texted, or made prior arrangements with us.** We understand that things come up, and communication makes all the difference.



CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS

Independent Participation

All of our classes (with the exception of Move-With-Me Intro class) are **independent participation** classes. The goal is for your dancer to confidently join a class independently, knowing their adult will be there to greet them afterward.

Class Structure:

Dancers will attend class independently with their peers, teaching assistants, and teacher. Parents/caregivers wait in the waiting room adjacent to the classroom or return at dismissal time.

Classes are Closed to Observers:

With the students' best interest in mind, **all classes are closed to observers**. Parents should not enter the classroom, but encourage their dancer to go into the studio space independently with their class and teachers.

Our No Observers policy ensures that (a) there are no distractions for our dancers while learning, (b) young dancers learn to listen and participate in the classroom, and (c) teachers can provide an optimally safe environment for every child during the class.

Making the Transition:

If a child has never done an independent activity before, our classroom is a safe place for them to take this big step. Our teachers are experienced in helping dancers build this independence gradually, and will work with you to make this transition a positive one.

Every child transitions at their own pace, and sometimes there will be tears. It is developmentally appropriate for a child to cry when starting a new activity, acclimating to a new environment, or separating from their caregiver for the first time. We will work with you to help them understand that their grownup will not be far and will be waiting when dance is over.

If a dancer is having big emotions during class, the teacher/assistant teacher will assess the situation and may hold their hand, pick them up (with their permission), or have them sit to calm down. They will continuously be invited back to join the fun. If the situation warrants, the teacher will bring them out of the classroom to you.



Assistant Mentorship Program

Our Assistant Mentorship Program invites dedicated students ages 12+ with at least 4 years of dance experience to support younger dancers in class. These student assistants work directly under their lead teacher and participate in training throughout the season. All assistant interactions are guided and monitored by adult staff to ensure a positive and safe learning environment.



Studio Restroom

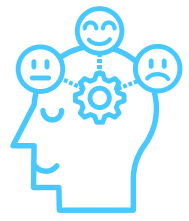
Our restroom is located in the waiting room—just outside the dance space—and is a single-room, unisex bathroom. Encouraging a quick stop **before class** can help your dancer stay focused and avoid missing valuable class time.

For our youngest dancers, we kindly ask that you help your child use the bathroom before class begins, as navigating bathroom breaks and dancewear can sometimes be a challenge for little ones! **If your dancer does need to use the bathroom during class**, a teaching assistant will escort them to the restroom and offer help as needed.

- If your child does not require assistance, the assistant or our waiting room manager will wait just outside the door in case help is needed.
- If your child does need help in the bathroom, with their permission the staff member may help with leotard, tights, or other tricky dancewear, with the bathroom door slightly ajar to maintain appropriate privacy and supervision.
- In the rare event that a dancer locks the door and we are concerned for their safety, we reserve the right to unlock the door.

If your child is currently potty training or wears pull-ups, please let us know. We recommend sending a spare pull-up and a change of clothes in case of an accident—our staff is happy to help discreetly and supportively if this happens.

SECTION 3 | YOUR CLASS EXPERIENCE



Classroom Behavior

To create a positive, focused, and respectful learning environment, TNT Dance Studio has established the **following rules for all classes**. These expectations help us keep our space safe, welcoming, and distraction-free for every dancer:



- **No food, gum, or soft drinks are allowed inside the studio.** Water only please.
- **No phones or personal devices in the classroom.** All phones must be silenced or turned off and stored in a dance bag upon entering. If a student needs to contact a parent or guardian during class, our office is happy to assist
- **No toys, blankets, or distracting jewelry** should be brought into class.
- **NO RUNNING** in the studio or waiting room.
- We use **indoor voices** to maintain a calm and respectful space.
- We **raise our hand** when we have something to say.
- We **keep our hands to ourselves** at all times.
- We **practice good manners**: we say please and thank you.
- **Most importantly**, we remember that every person is special and important, and we treat each other with **kindness and respect**.



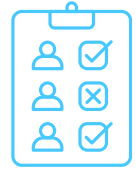
Respect for others, instructors, peers, and studio property is expected at all times.

When a student displays inappropriate or disruptive behavior, we encourage students to reflect on their actions, consider how their behavior affects those around them, and explore more constructive choices. This process helps them take ownership of their behavior and learn to act with greater care and consideration for others.

At TNT Dance Studio, we believe that discipline is most effective when it is rooted in respect, empathy, and the desire to help children grow—not just as dancers, but as kind, responsible individuals. We are committed to protecting each child's self-image and fostering an environment where every student feels safe, supported, and valued.

If a behavioral concern continues or if a situation warrants additional attention, parents or guardians will be contacted so we can work together to support the student.

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ATTENDANCE

Consistent attendance and timely arrival are very important for your child's progress (and their classmates!)

- If your child will be absent please notify TNT Dance Studio as soon as possible.
- Try to plan trips around vacation times (Holiday Break, Spring Break, February Break, Summer Break)
- Missed classes cannot be pro-rated or refunded.
- Consistent tardiness and extended absences may require a class change or private lesson to catch up (separate expense). Parents will be contacted to discuss the situation.



STORM CANCELLATIONS

Storm Cancellations:

- Our 8 month season is structured to allow up to 3 snow days/cancellations per day of the week. Make up classes for snow days will be made up if more than 3 snow days occur on the same day of the week.
- **Cancellations due to inclement weather/potential for poor road conditions** will be announced by 1:00pm. **E-mails will be sent out or check our TNT Dance Studio Facebook Page. Please feel free to contact the studio (866) 868-0033 if you are unsure.**



HEALTH POLICY

If your child is sick, injured, or has been exposed to a contagious illness or infection, we ask that you please notify our desk.

- **If your child is quarantined from school or daycare they should not come to dance until they are cleared by your health provider.**
- In most cases it is at your discretion to decide if your child is well enough for activities. We do however request that **students who are acutely ill (i.e. flu, fever, vomiting, migraine) stay home their absence will be excused.**
- If your dancer has an injury, this must be reported to the desk. In some cases it is acceptable for a dancer to participate without exerting their injury, however this is at the discretion of you, the student, and the teacher. **We reserve the right to require a provider note to clear the student for participation in any class or performance.**
- Students who are not able to dance due to mild illness, fatigue, or injury can still learn by observing the class!



SECTION 4



SAFETY MEASURES

- Classroom Safety
- Security
- Parking Lot Safety
- Zero Tolerance Policy

STUDIO SAFETY

At TNT Dance Studio, the safety and well-being of our students is our top priority. We are committed to providing a nurturing, positive, and professionally supervised environment where dancers can grow, learn, and thrive. **By joining TNT Dance Studio, families agree to these safety policies and partner with us in maintaining a positive and secure experience for every dancer.**

Injuries

Our staff is trained to prioritize proper technique, age-appropriate instruction, and safe practices both in and out of the classroom. While every reasonable effort is made to prevent accidents and injuries, it is important to understand that participation in any physical activity—including dance—carries an inherent risk. By enrolling in classes at TNT Dance Studio, students and their parents or legal guardians acknowledge and accept these risks. TNT Dance Studio, its staff, and instructors are not liable for injuries that may occur as a result of normal participation in classes, rehearsals, or performances.

In the event of an injury, our staff will respond appropriately and administer basic first aid if needed. For more serious injuries, the parent or guardian listed on the student's account will be contacted immediately using the emergency contact information provided.

Security Cameras

TNT Dance Studio **maintains security cameras in the waiting room, carport entrance, and inside the studio to help ensure a safe and secure environment for all.** These cameras are in place for the protection of our dance family and are used strictly for safety and operational purposes.

Parking Lot Safety

- Drive slowly and cautiously at all times, even if the parking lot appears quiet.
- Keep noise appropriate—please avoid loud or inappropriate conversations or music while on studio grounds.
- Do not leave children unattended in vehicles or allow them to play unsupervised in the parking lot, on the lawn, or in garden areas.
- Please also respect that our studio grounds (including the lawn, gardens, stairs, and upper house) are private property and should not be used unless you have received direct permission from the owner.

RESPECTFUL ENVIRONMENT & ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY

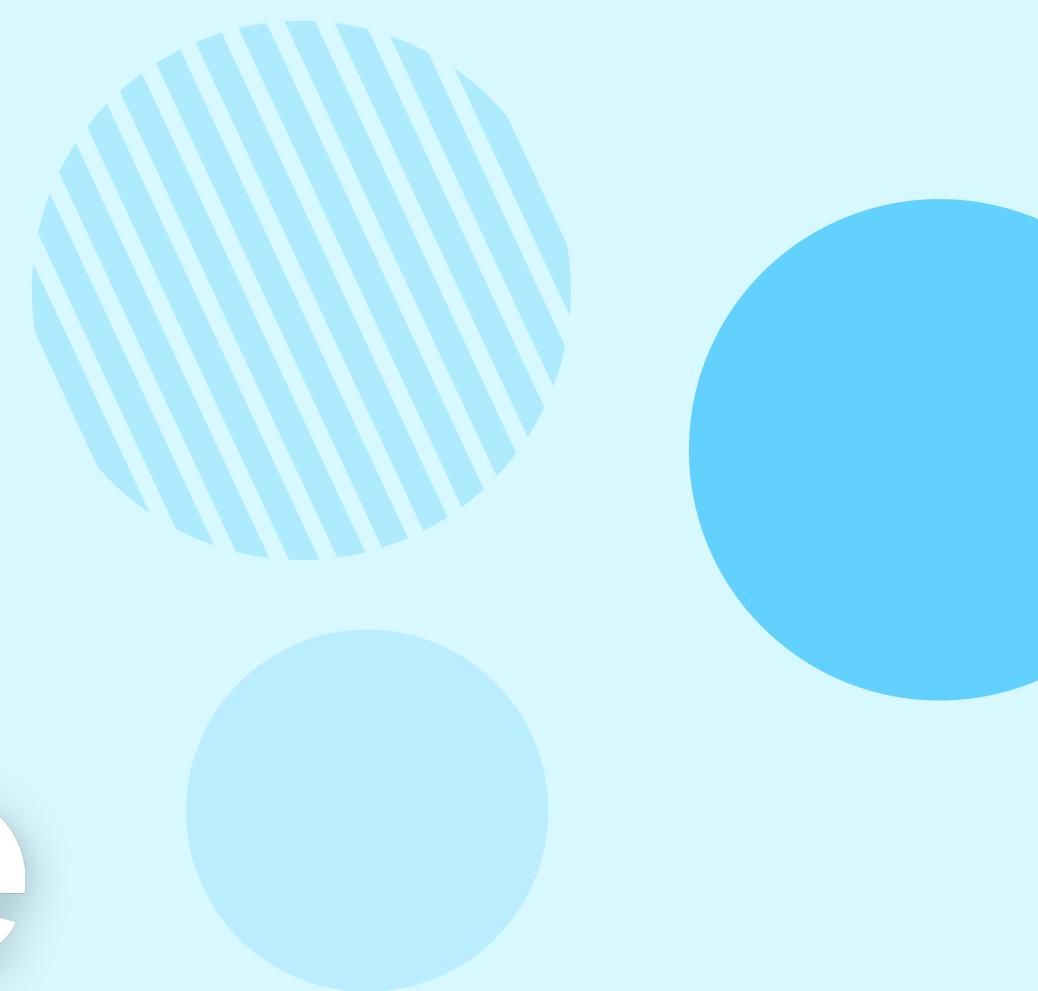
TNT Dance Studio is committed to maintaining a safe, supportive, and family-friendly environment for all dancers, families, and staff. **We have a zero tolerance policy for profanity, verbal threats or abuse, aggressive behavior, or any act of violence. This includes all interactions inside the studio building, including the waiting room, classrooms, carport and parking lot.**

Our first and most important priority is to preserve a space where children can feel safe, respected, and inspired. Every time you step into TNT Dance Studio, you are contributing to our shared environment.

- Please keep conversations respectful and appropriate for all ages.
- Topics such as politics, current events, and other potentially sensitive or divisive subjects should be saved for outside of dance.
- Please ensure the energy you bring aligns with **our values of safety, respect, and community.**



RESPECT
leadership
HUMANITY
acceptance
LOYALTY



SECTION 5



PERFORMING

- Holiday Show
- Costumes
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HOLIDAY SHOW

Our Dance It Forward Holiday Show will be held on **Sunday, December 14th at the Snow Pond Center for the Arts**. This special event is a fundraiser for our **Dance It Forward Scholarship Fund**, and all ticket proceeds go directly to supporting students through this program.

Performing classes will participate in one of three Mini Shows, making it a great opportunity for dancers—especially those new to performing—to get on stage in a smaller, more relaxed setting and share what they've been working on with family and friends.

DIY Costumes

To keep things simple and budget-friendly, **costumes are DIY!** You'll receive easy inspiration guidelines to help you put something together (examples: holiday sweaters, red and white stripes, snowmen theme).



Combo Classes

NEW this year! All of our combo classes (combo = one class covering two dance styles) will learn both subjects throughout the season. **Dancers will perform one style in the Holiday Show and the other in the Spring Production!** The Holiday Show costume will be DIY, and the Spring Production costume will be included with tuition.

SPRING PRODUCTION COSTUMES

Costumes are an exciting part of the performance experience, and we take care to ensure they are age-appropriate, well-fitting, and handled with respect.

Your Spring Production Costume is included in your monthly tuition! These special costumes will be given out during production preparation and will be taken home as forever keepsakes.

Costume Fittings

When costumes arrive, they will be tried on during class to check for proper fit and to practice wearing them correctly. To make this process smooth and respectful for all students, it is important that dancers come to class in the required dress code, **including a leotard and tights**. This allows for easy costume changes and proper layering during fittings.

- Studio security cameras are unplugged during costume fittings.
- In co-ed classes, boys will be excused from the room while girls try on costumes.

Boys will take turns using the bathroom to change into their own costumes.

If you have any questions or specific concerns regarding costume fittings or changing procedures, please notify TNT Dance Studio staff in advance so we can do our best to accommodate your dancer's needs.

PHOTO DAY

Your tuition includes a professional 5x7 class photo that will be taken in costume on "Photo Day" at the studio, Sunday, April 12th. TNT Dance Studio collaborates with MSP Fotography. Solo photos are available through the photographer for an additional cost, and additional photo opportunities (sibling/friend photos) can be coordinated with the desk ahead of time.



SPRING PRODUCTION

Each year TNT Dance Studio puts on a big Spring Production to showcase all the hard work the dancers have done during the dance season! Students will perform in both Friday and Saturday performances of the show.

Location: Waterville Opera House

PERFORMER DATES

Stage Blocking Rehearsal: Wed, May 6th 2026

Full Dress Rehearsal: Thurs, May 7th 2026

Full Show: Fri, May 8th 2026

2 Mini Shows: Sat, May 9th 2026

Please mark your calendars today to avoid conflicts with these mandatory performances and rehearsals!

*Event details subject to change; families will be kept up-to-date with event details.

