## NORTHERN LIGHTS DANCE ACADEMY TEEN INTERNSHIP APPLICATION

Name:		Age(must be in 6 <sup>th</sup> grade)
Fall classes currently registered for:		
Phone #:	e-mail:	

Northern Lights Dance Academy internship program is an amazing opportunity to gain extensive knowledge about dance, teaching and children. The commitment is taken very seriously and shouldn't be taken lightly. Participation in the Internship Program is a privilege, not a right, and should be treated as such. Inters are held in the highest regard and should be prepared to conduct themselves appropriately at all times.

We have paid and un-paid internships available. Paid interns will be awarded scholarship towards their monthly tuition rate based on the number of hours assisting in the classroom. Availability, experience, and age will determine each individual agreement and all interns chosen will be notified of that agreement before we start fall classes. If the participant is unable to meet the required number of internship hours agreed upon, the scholarship amount applied to that month's tuition rate will be adjusted accordingly. All those interested in the internship program, including current participants, must apply each year for acceptance.

Unfortunately, we cannot accept all applications to the internship program. If you do not get placed this year, try again next year. The studio schedule is extremely complex and we only need a certain number of interns.

All internship participants are required to take some summer dance classes. There will also be staff training in September that is required as preparation.

Internship program participants have many responsibilities above and beyond just assisting classes. There are many extra activities the participants are required to attend such as: recital run through, dress rehearsal, party nights, etc. Educations events may be offered throughout the year for interns to further their experience and dance education.

Shift start times range between 3:30pm-4:00pm. If you are in other after school events you are welcome to apply but we prefer to have students who are available for the entire season.

Please mark your preferred days - mark "1" in first choice, "2" in second choice, "3" in third choice,

We will do our best to accommodate your preferred days.

Monday: \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday: \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday: \_\_\_\_\_

My child has applied for the internship Program at Northern Lights Dance Academy. I understand the degree of dedication and the time commitment that is involved with becoming a studio intern.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_

**Required:** Applicant must include a one page essay. Working with children is unlike any other job and requires special people. Please express why you feel confident that you are responsible and reliable enough for this position. How would you be an asset to the Northern Lights Dance Academy staff?