

# LINDA FAULKNER DANCE SCHOOL

## STUDIO REOPENING STEPS

### \*HEALTH & SAFETY GUIDELINES\*

#### General Studio Guidelines for Reopening

- Only DANCERS, TEACHERS, & ASSISTANTS will be permitted in the studios during class times.
- Waivers MUST be signed by parent or guardian before dancers can participate in-studio.
- Hands must be sanitized upon entry into the studio and between all classes.
- No one will be permitted to congregate or wait inside the lobby or common areas of the studio.
- Social distancing will apply while inside the studios. Each studio will have a grid on the floor. One dancer per space.
- No use of props or shared equipment will take place. Barres will only be used by older dancers. Dancers will use hand sanitizer before using the barre and barres will be sanitized between uses.
- For acro classes, mats will be taped off in sections. One section per student. No spotting will take place. Mats will be wiped down with disinfectant at the end of each class.
- Studio floors will be wiped down with disinfectant between classes.
- Cubbies will be sprayed down with disinfectant between all classes.
- Hands must be washed after using the restroom. Students must also use hand sanitizer upon entering the studios after using the restroom.
- Face coverings must be worn upon entering the studio lobby but are not required to be worn while dancing. Studies show that it is unhealthy to wear a face covering during physical exertion. It will be left up to each parent as to whether their dancer will wear a mask while dancing.
- All classes will be released a few minutes early to alleviate congestion in the lobby and to allow for teachers to clean between classes. Classes one hour or longer will be released 10 minutes early and classes under one hour will be released 5 minutes early.

#### Dancer/Parent Guidelines for Studio Reopening

- Dancers may arrive 5 minutes prior to the start of class. Please remain in your car until that time. Dancers need to be picked up immediately at the end of class. Dancers will not be allowed to hang around in the lobby and will be expected to wait outside.
- Dancers will line up outside the studio they are dancing in and will enter one at a time when the teacher is ready for them.
- Please ensure dancers are ready prior to entering the studio (having their own water bottle with their name clearly labeled on it, extra hair ties, dressed in dancewear). Dance shoes will be put on in the studio when the dancer is in their assigned spot.
- Studio Lobby will be CLOSED to parents/visitors.
- ONE PERSON at a time may come in to the lobby to conduct office business. All others will be expected to wait outside and enter when the previous person has exited. Shoe fittings will be done by appointment only.