

# Preschool Combo Class March Newsletter



Hello Preschool Parents!

Happy March!

Spring is upon us!

This month's theme is "Raindrops and Rainbows". We will work with our classmates on all dance steps and stretches with a Spring themes! We will also explore concepts such as improvisation which allows students to express their own inner creativity! We continue to learn and polish our recital pieces as well!

## March – Skills of the Month



### **Ballet – Relevé**

French for ("raised") rising onto the balls of the feet (demi-pointe)



### **Tap – Toe Digs**

a single-sound movement where you strike the tip (toe) of the tap shoe into the floor and immediately retracts it



### **Acro – Pre-Cartwheel**

modified version of a standard cartwheel designed for beginners to learn weight transfer and proper form.

# March's Theme of the Month "Raindrops and Rainbows"

This month's theme is raindrops and rainbows. Dancers will be work on their second position stretches, "rainy day" foot positions, "puddle jump" sautés and more while incorporating the themes of Spring time. Some of the songs that will be played in class are "Welcome to Spring", "Sky Springtime", "Sky Postivity" and more!



## March News & Reminders



- March 15 - 21: Spring Break (Studio closed)
- March 19 - Recital facility fee\* due
- April 1 - 10 - In Studio Recital Photos
- April 22 - Recital tickets on sale for DE families
- May 3 - Onstage dress rehearsals for Preschool classes (Pflugerville High School)
  - 3:00pm - Monday Preschool Classes
  - 3:10pm - Tuesday Preschool Classes
  - 3:20pm - Wednesday Preschool Classes
  - 3:30pm - Saturday Preschool Classes
- May 17 - Recital (1:30pm, 3:30p, 5:30pm)

*\*Make sure to check out our [Recital page](#) for more information!*