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# Beaumont School of Highland Dance

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Dear Parents,

Thank you for choosing Beaumont School of Highland Dance to begin or enhance your child's dance education. I know you will be pleased with all we have to offer. Dance classes begin the week of September 11, 2023.

### Tuition, Absences & Withdrawal

Payment is due with registration and can be made by cheque, cash, or electronic funds transfer. Cheques with insufficient funds will be charged \$25. **After October 31 there are no refunds for lessons.** Refunds are not given for missed classes. Payment can be made in full, two payments, or nine payments.

### Communication

*Your input is especially important to us.* Please let us know what is working well for you, as well as anything that you or your child are struggling with. Often a seemingly huge problem can get much smaller by working it through and coming up with creative alternatives. **Please check your email regularly as all communication from the studio WILL be sent by email.**

### Dress Code

Dancers must adhere to the dress code as set out. All hair must be pulled back off the face and neck. All dancers must be attired in active wear with knee socks and shoes for every class.

### Studio Policies

***Look like a dancer, feel like a dancer, act like a dancer.***

### **For Dancers**

- Arrive 5 minutes prior to your class start time to ensure you are ready on time, with the proper hair and attire according to our dress code. If you are late, please knock and enter quietly.
- Have respect for the class preceding you by keeping quiet when you come inside for your lesson.
- **You are required to follow the BSHD Dress Code for your class.**
- Use the washroom before you come to class.
- Food is not permitted in the studio. You may bring a water bottle.
- If your regular instructor is unavailable for class, a qualified substitute will be provided.

### **For all Dancers and Visitors**

- Follow the rules of the Community Centre.
- Respect the building and property of others. Vandalism of any kind will not be tolerated.



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## Dress Code

- Hair must be neatly off the face and neck.
- No bare midriffs.
- No sweatshirts/sweatpants other than for warm-up.
- **Dancers must wear dance shorts with a fitted tank top (active wear) and knee-high socks. A body suit & tights are also acceptable but must wear either knee-high socks or garters over tights.**
- **Dancers must wear garters or knee socks pulled up to just below the knee.**
- **Dancers must wear proper dance shoes.** Highland Ghillies for competitive dancers. Ballet slippers (preferably black) or gymnastics slippers acceptable for primary students.
- ***No playground clothing, t-shirts, loose shorts, skorts allowed. Please no ballet skirts over bodysuits.***
- No jewellery: earring studs are acceptable.
- Practice skirt required for dancers learning lilt and other national dances.

## Private Lessons

- May be arranged for dancers as needed through the dance year.
- Cost for private lessons is \$35/hr
- Private lessons with student teachers may be arranged as well at \$15/hr. Please contact Miss Carmen for more information.

## Choreography

- Individual choreographies will be charged at \$150. This cost covers:
  - Musical piece adjusted for length and tempo as necessary
    - Music selection may be done by student or instructor
  - Three 1-hour private lessons for dancer to learn piece
  - Original choreography set to music at the ability & level appropriate for the individual dancer

**Lesson Fees – GST is not included in these prices** You will receive an invoice once your registration is processed.

Hours/week	Full Tuition	Hours/week	Full Tuition	Hours/week	Full Tuition
½ hour	\$495	1 ¾ hours	\$921	3 hours	\$1,346
¾ hour	\$545	2 hours	\$1036	3 ¼ hours	\$1,421
1 hour	\$602	2 ¼ hours	\$1121	3 ½ hours	\$1,507
1 ¼ hours	\$718	2 ½ hours	\$1,196	3 ¾ hours	\$1,596
1 ½ hours	\$809	2 ¾ hours	\$1,271	4 hours	\$1,670