

Dance Studio 22 - Terms and Conditions updated 2023

Payment/non-payment of Fees: - Our Dance lesson fees are as quoted to you on your enquiry to Donna 07928307107, and as the parent/guardian of the child/ren attending this dance school, you are responsible for making payment via bank transfer on the Monday of the week that the lesson is due to take place. Payment must be made to; **Dance Studio 22, account number 33734641, sort code 20-45-45 using your child's name as the reference, so that we can easily identify your payment.** Alternatively, you could set up a standing order payable every Monday or pay monthly. Please be aware that no payment received on the Monday prior to the lessons starting will result in the child/ren not being allowed into class and if this happens frequently, we reserve the right to remove the child/ren from our dance school.

Attendance & House rules - We expect a high level of attendance if the child is to achieve their full potential, we look at attendance and improvers that have been clearly working on the skills learnt in class at home, when looking for children to get involved in other projects and performances that we decide to take part in during the year. Children must attend on time for their lessons, as they must do the mandatory warm-up as this is a basic element of safe practice. They should attend in clothing ready for dance i.e., Black leotard, black leggings, black shorts or black t-shirt with hair tied back off their faces (preferably in a bun) and with relevant dance shoes. Children will not be allowed to participate unless long or shoulder length hair is tied back, as this could result in accidents; no chewing & no bringing in food to the studio. Only water is permitted.

Valuables – We do not allow toys, jewellery, phones, expensive clothing or shoes in the Dance Studio and we are not to be held responsible for any losses or damages, should the children decide to do so, as this would be against our terms and conditions.

Collection of children – we are not a childminding service, and we are not insured to look after your child/ren after the lesson has finished, therefore you must pick your child up promptly as our lessons run back-to-back and there is no time or place to keep additional children, whom have not been collected on time. If a parent is persistently late and has not made alternative arrangements, the Dance School will charge £5.50 for the inconvenience and the school will reserve the right to reconsider the child/ren's place at our dance school.

Absences – All Absences are still chargeable including for illness, you need to be fully aware of this issue when you agree to join our dance school, there are no exceptions to the rule, this is because we still have high overheads of rent and teachers to pay regardless. If a child is absent without contacting us on 07928307107 for 2-weeks we will remove them from our register as we have to assume, they have decided to leave us and we would need to fill their place, to limit the fee losses that we could be incurring.

Holiday Breaks - Our Dance School do have breaks throughout the year, which we publish at the beginning of each year on our website www.dancestudio22.com under 'closures', on social media (our Instagram & Facebook) & we also hand out slips. You are responsible for checking dates, as we do not always have breaks when the schools do, so if unsure, feel free to message Donna on 07928307107 as a last resort.

“Limiting the absences of children prevents them from falling behind, forgetting what they have been taught and losing confidence in themselves, resulting in them having lesser parts in the end of year Christmas show; it is also unfair to those children attending every week, working hard to achieve great technique and routines, as Dancing is a team sport. Therefore, persistent absences will result in a review of your child/rens place within our dance school”

If we cancel your lessons due to the venue or a dance teacher being unavailable, you will be notified (so long as you have kept us up to date with contact details, as this is your responsibility) and you will not be charged.

Liability – you need to be aware that Dance Studio 22 or Glenmead Primary School will not accept responsibility/ liability for any lost, broken or stolen possessions or dancewear whilst in lessons. As stated above, parents must make sure that children do not have any valuables with them when they attend for lessons and have names clearly marked on their children's dancewear. In the unlikely event that your child should become involved in a minor accident due to not following correct dance instruction, Dance Studio 22 or Glenmead Primary School will not accept liability. (However, Dance Studio 22, has their own public liability insurance).

• By joining this dance school, you are agreeing to our terms & Conditions as set out above & within our procedures policy. As you will have been advised to do so in advance.