

Safety Plan at Dance Arts Centre

Drop off/Pick up Plan

Recreational Dancers: Only one parent/guardian may accompany your dancer to their class.

Competition Team Dancers: Dancers should be dropped off and picked up at the door

- Parents will need to wear a mask and remain socially distant while in the building
- Dancers and parents will be asked to use hand sanitizer upon entry
- Dancers may enter the studio only 5 minutes prior to class and must exit promptly after class

Front Desk and Waiting Room

We are trying to cut back on social togetherness. Our waiting room is closed. Our front desk is happy to help assist with shoe fitting, attire purchases and other transactions. We are asking that you remain socially distant in our front desk/lobby area and masks will be required.

Temperature Taking

We are asking parents to please take their dancer's temperature before bringing them to the studio to ensure they are healthy before coming to the studio.

Hand Sanitizer

DAC will have hand sanitizer in each room, hallway, and front desk, however, we ask that dancers bring and use their own hand-sanitizer if possible, due to the nation-wide shortage.

Water Fountain and Vending Machines

Our water fountain and vending machines are CLOSED. Please make sure your children bring their own water bottle.

No Close Contact

We will be adjusting many things in our classrooms to avoid contact. Dance floors have been marked to allow six feet of space between dancers. We have limited class sizes to ensure that every dancer will have appropriate space.

Handheld Props

The use of handheld props will be limited, however should we choose to use them they will be thoroughly cleaned and sanitized after every use.

Deep Cleaning

Dance Arts Centre will be professionally cleaned/disinfected every night and surfaces will also be disinfected throughout the day and evening when dancers are in the studio.

Limited Items in Studio

Dancers will be limited to one average size dance bag or backpack and it must be kept in the studio cubbies.

Staff

Only healthy staff members (without symptoms) will be present at Dance Arts Centre. Staff will be monitoring their symptoms as well as temperatures diligently.

Masks

Dancers are required to wear masks in the hallways and common areas, and as they enter/exit the building. We will ask dancers to wear masks whenever possible during class; however they will be permitted to remove their mask during high exertion moments for a mask break. It is important to discuss your "mask plan" with your dancer before class. Please note: this is not recommended for dancers with asthma or dancers with other medical conditions. Dancers should stop dancing immediately if they feel light headed, they will not be penalized in any way by their teachers for choosing to stop for this reason. Masks are not required when dancing for students 5 years and younger

Sick Policy

Do not bring your child to class if they have a fever, dry cough, shortness of breath, chills, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, or muscle aches.

- Do not bring your child to class if a family member is ill with any of the above symptoms
- Alert us if your child does have COVID-19 and has been to the studio within the last 14 days.
- Bring it to our attention if any family member is diagnosed with Covid-19.

Parents

We ask that you share the responsibility of communicating and enforcing appropriate boundaries with your dancer.