Quick Reference Guide to our Studio Policies

Thank you for choosing Devotion Dance Company. These policies help ensure a safe, organized, and positive experience for all dancers and families.

Studio Mission

Our mission is to provide high-quality dance education in a supportive and inclusive environment where dancers can develop confidence, discipline, creativity, and a lifelong appreciation for the performing arts.

Registration & Enrollment

- Registration is accepted throughout the season when space is available.
- Class placement is based on age, experience, and instructor recommendations.
- The studio reserves the right to combine, cancel, or adjust classes based on enrollment.
- Schedule changes may occur throughout the season as needed.

Tuition & Payments

- Tuition is due according to the payment schedule selected during registration.
- Account balances must remain in good standing.
- Outstanding balances may result in restrictions on participation in classes, performances, competitions, or special events.
- Returned payments may be subject to administrative fees.
- Overdue balances may be subject to interest charges as outlined during registration.

Withdrawals

- Written notice is required for all withdrawals.
- Withdrawal requests must be received at least two weeks prior to the start of the next month.
- Tuition already charged for previous months is non-refundable.
- Registration fees, costume fees, competition fees, and special event fees may be non-refundable once committed or ordered.

Attendance

Regular attendance is strongly encouraged.

- Please notify the studio of absences whenever possible.
- Missed classes may not be eligible for refunds or credits.
- Excessive absences may impact performance participation or competitive team eligibility.

Dress Code

Dancers must arrive dressed appropriately for class.

General expectations include:

- Hair secured away from the face.
- Appropriate dance shoes.
- Clothing that allows instructors to observe body alignment and technique.
- No jewelry that may create a safety concern.

Additional class-specific dress requirements may be communicated throughout the season.

Studio Conduct

All dancers, parents, staff, and visitors are expected to contribute to a respectful and positive environment.

The following are not permitted:

- Disruptive behavior
- Bullying or harassment
- Inappropriate language
- Damage to studio property
- Unsafe conduct

The studio reserves the right to address behavioral concerns and may suspend or dismiss participants when necessary.

Health & Safety

- Dancers should not attend class when experiencing symptoms of contagious illness.
- Families should notify the studio of relevant medical concerns, allergies, or emergency information.
- Emergency contacts must remain current in the Parent Portal.

Photography & Media

Photographs and videos may be taken during classes, performances, competitions, and studio events.

These images may be used for promotional purposes including:

- Website
- Social media
- Print materials
- Advertising

Families wishing to opt out should notify the studio in writing.

Performances & Special Events

Participation in showcases, recitals, competitions, workshops, and special events may involve additional fees and commitments.

Specific information regarding costumes, schedules, rehearsals, tickets, and performance expectations will be communicated throughout the season.

Competitive Program

Competitive dancers may be subject to additional requirements regarding:

- Mandatory classes
- Rehearsals
- Attendance expectations
- Choreography sessions
- Competition participation
- Team conduct

Competitive program details will be provided separately.

Communication

The primary methods of communication are:

- Email
- Parent Portal
- Studio website
- Social media

Families are responsible for ensuring contact information remains current.

Policy Updates

Devotion Dance Company reserves the right to update policies as necessary. Families will be notified of significant changes.

Thank you for being part of the Devotion Dance Company family. We look forward to an incredible season of learning, growth, and dance.