

FOR ALL STAFF MEMBERS, PARENTS & DANCERS

- Dancers and staff should only be at the studio if feeling completely well with no symptoms of COVID-19 in the past 14 days. If anyone has had COVID-19, then he/she will need a clearance note from the doctor in order to return to the studio.
- Please do not come to the studio if you or any member of your household have tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 14 days, or if you or anyone in your household has been exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 14 days. Dancers are welcome to take classes online instead.
- Everyone will have their temperature checked via a no-touch thermometer before class. We unfortunately will have to refuse entrance to anyone who has a temperature above 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit as well as anyone who is showing flu-like or respiratory infection symptoms.
- Every person in the studio will be required to wear a mask at all times for maximum protection. Please note that, although it may be uncomfortable at first, our bodies will adjust to dancing with a mask over time.
- In order to maintain one-way traffic, all dancers will be dropped off at the bottom of the right-hand staircase (above the restaurant) and enter through the door that normally uses for staff entrance. When leaving the studio, all dancers will exit through the usual main entrance, walk down the hallway and be picked up by the lounge area on the second floor by the staircase or at the bottom of the staircase. Studio hallways will also be taped, divided, and marked with clear traffic arrows.
- There will be hand sanitizer and disinfecting wipes in every studio room and the front desk for our dancers and staff to use. All major touching surfaces including the barres, mats, doorknobs and handles will be cleaned with disinfectants between each class. The studio will also undergo regular deep cleaning by professional company.
- All windows and doors at the studio will remain open at all time to maximize air circulation.
- Standard prevention measures continue such as frequent and effective hand washing, avoiding touching of the face among all dancers and staff.
- All dancers and staff will refrain from physical interaction, including hugs, high-fives, and stickers.

FOR DANCERS

- All-in studio classes and camps will be held at limited capacity to assist in social distancing. We will be taping the dance floor into 6'x6' squares to ensure each dancer has his/her own space to dance in and to maintain a distance of at least 6 feet apart. Barres will also be marked at 6' intervals to enforce distancing as well.
- Dancers will change their shoes in the studio. Dance shoes should not be worn outside the studio.
- Dressing rooms and water fountains will not be accessible. Dancers are encouraged to bring a labeled water bottle from home. Water bottles will also be available for purchase at the front desk.
- Dancers may use our patio area as a break area between classes. Dancers arriving early to classes will be asked to wait on the patio.
- Dancers must arrive dressed and ready for class. Dressing rooms and bathrooms will not be permitted for changing clothes.

FOR PARENTS

- No parents are allowed to be in the studio. Parents with younger dancers ages 6 and under and parents of trial students who are new to the studio are permitted to walk their children to the studio room; however, parents will still be required to wait outside of the studio.
- Dancers must be picked up within 10 minutes of class dismissal in order to decrease congestion in the hallways. Dancers may be dropped off no sooner than 10 minutes before the start of their first class.

FOR STAFF MEMBERS

- All staff members will require to wear a mask and/or face shield at the studio even when teaching.
- Staff members will wash their hands or use hand sanitizer upon entering the building and before and after every class.
- All staff members will give "no-touch" corrections.
- Staff members will stagger dismissal from class to avoid traffic in the hallways (3-5 min before the end of class).

*** Our team will continue to monitor and evaluate the situation and make any necessary adjustment if needed. These safety protocols will remain in effect until further notice ***