# NEW MEMBER WELCOME PACKET





"My hope is that when they leave the studio, they feel confident, valued, and loved." -Christy Wood, Owner

It is our absolute pleasure to warmly welcome you into our CDE family! Our team is thrilled to have our returning members for our 22nd season! We are also excited to welcome many new families to our community! Our 2021-2022 handbook is coming soon with more detailed information, but here are some highlights.

### Financial Obligations due at Registration: These fees are NON-REFUNDABLE:

Membership Fee: \$30 per student; max of \$60 per family Last month's tuition (May 2022) Prop Fee: \$30 (Tot, Tiny, and Mini Classes)

### **Monthly Class Tuition Policies:**

Tuition at CDE is based on a 10-month calendar beginning on August 2nd, 2021 and ending on May 14th, 2022. Tuition can be paid monthly or in full at time of registration. Tuition is not based on a four-classes-per-month rate but rather on the annual cost divided into 10 payments.

We accept VISA, MasterCard, AMEX or Discover and all monthly tuition will be charged via AUTO-PAY on the 7th of each month. All accounts that sign up online are automatically set up for e-payment and you are authorizing CDE to use the account information for all of your account billing (including membership fee, tuition, costume fees, late fees, showcase fees, and other studio or dance related items purchased on your account). After the 10th of the month, a \$25 late fee will be charged and enforced on all accounts past due, including e-payment accounts. Late notices will be sent via email. Tuition is not prorated for absences or studio closures. Students are encouraged to attend makeup classes for classes missed.

Monthly tuition will be processed on the 7th of each month. You are required to keep a current card on file in your portal. If you prefer a different form of payment (cash, check) your payment must be received prior to the automatic charge date of the 7th. If not received **before** the 7th, your required card on file will be charged the outstanding amount.

Tuition is not prorated for absences or studio closures. Students are encouraged to attend makeup classes for absences. You will register for makeup classes in your parent portal.

Total monthly tuition is determined by the total amount of time your dancer receives instruction per week. To determine family tuition, total each individual's tuition, and take a 10% discount on the lesser individual amount. For example: Child 1 takes 2 hours: \$115, Child 2 takes 1hr: (\$75 minus 10% (\$7.50)= \$67.50), Total family tuition is \$182.50 per month.

#### Showcase:

All CDE members registered in recreational classes are invited to participate in the end-of-year showcase. If you choose NOT to participate in the showcase, please notify the office prior to September 4th. Costume deposits (\$40 per costume per class) will be due with September tuition and balances (\$30 for Tot, Tiny, Mini, Little or \$50 for Petite, Jr, and Sr) are due with November tuition. Costume payments are nonrefundable after November 7th. Showcase fee is \$50 for 1st student + \$30 per additional student (includes a digital link of showcase) and ticket price will be approximately \$15. Our Showcase fees help with the cost of the showcase venue for rehearsal and show, props, lighting, audio, and stage crew.

### Withdrawal Policy

Written notification is required for all class withdrawals (email is acceptable).

Add up the amount of time per week of instruction, then slide over and find the rate of tuition per month

Tuition Information 2021-2022				
Time of instruction per week	Monthly Tuition	Time of instruction per week	Monthly Tuition	
30 min	\$55	5 hr 15 min	\$220	
45 min	\$65	5 hr 30 min	\$225	
1 hour	\$75	5 hr 45 min	\$230	
1 hr 15 min	\$85	6 hours	\$235	
1 hr 30 min	\$95	6 hr 15 min	\$240	
1 hr 45 min	\$105	6 hr 30 min	\$245	
2 hours	\$115	6 hr 45 min	\$250	
2 hr 15 min	\$125	7 hours	\$255	
2 hr 30 min	\$135	7 hr 15 min	\$260	
2 hr 45 min	\$145	7 hr 30 min	\$270	
3 hours	\$150	7 hr 45 min	\$280	
3 hr 15 min	\$160	8 hours	\$290	
3 hr 30 min	\$170	8 hr 15 min	\$295	
3 hr 45 min	\$175	8 hr 30 min	\$300	
4 hours	\$185	8 hr 45 min	\$305	
4 hr 15 min	\$190	9 hours	\$310	
4 hr 30 min	\$200	9 hr 15 min	\$315	
4 hr 45 min	\$205	9 hr 30 min	\$320	
5 hours	\$210	*Add \$5 per 15 minutes of clas	ss time after this point	

## CDE Tentative Dance Calendar 2021-2022

August 2 Classes Begin	Dance
August 9 Tuition Charged	August
September 6 Day/Studio Closed	Labor
September 7 Tuition AND	September Costume Deposits Charged (\$40 per costume/per class)
October 7 Tuition Charged	October
November 3 available for purchase	Nutcracker tickets
November 5 (excluding all Acro classes)	Last day for class changes
Balances AND	Costume November Tuition Charged Thanksgiving
Holiday/Studio Closed	
Lighting (Tentative)	Garner
December 7 Charged	December Tuition

December 11 presented by CDE @ GPAC	The Nutcracker
December 20-January 2 Holiday/Studio Closed	Christmas/New Year's
January 3 es Resume	Class
January 7 Tuition Charged	January
-	CDE's Annual
January 17 Holiday/Studio Closed	Martin Luther King
	7 Tuition Charged AND Performance Fee (\$50
per student, \$30 per	additional student)
February 11 Rehearsal @ GPAC	CDE Competitive Program Showcase
February 12 GPAC (tickets available)	CDE Competitive Program Showcase @
March 6 (open for registration)	All American Clogging Convention
March 7 Tuition Charged	March
March 11-17 be held this week.	Class Pictures (Class instruction will not Rooms are used for setup/changing)
March 30 Ticket Sales Open	Showcase

April 7April
Tuition Charged
April 11-April 17Spring Break/Studio Closed
April 25-April 29Tentative Showcase Rehearsals
April 30 or May 1Showca ses
May 2-May 7
May 9-14
May 14Last Day of 2021-2022 Season Classes
May 16-19Auditions for competitive teams
May 23-June 4Studio Closed
June 6-July 1Summer Classes and Camps
July 11-14Summer Ballet Intensives (required for Nutcracker participants)
July 25-28 and Aug 1-4CDE Co & FOF Intensives and Choreography Days (required for members)
August 8, 2022First day of classes for Season 23

All items in Purple can be purchased in the CDE Store. See someone in the office for assistance.

REQUIREMENTS BY CLASS See someone in the of All classes: hair must be pulled back, no dangly earrings/loose jewelry, bring your own water bottle!

RECREATIONAL REQUIREMENTS:	
ACRO, TUMBLE>	Barefoot, Leotard or Sports Bra & Spandex shorts, leggings or tights (no loose tops), hair in low pony or bun
ADULT CLASSES>	White Clogging Shoes, Black Tap Shoes, Ballet Shoes, Athletic Dance Attire
BALLET (LITTLE, PETITE, JR, SR), PRE-POINTE, POINTE>	Capezio Pink Hanami Ballet Shoes (Style #2037), Capezio Ballet Pink Tights (Style #1816), Black Leotard, Hair in Ballet Bun (Pointe classes require invitation from staff and proper fitting of shoes)
BALLET/TAP>	Capezio Pink Hanami Ballet Shoes (Style #2037), Capezio Caramel Mary Jane Tap Shoes (Style #3800C), Pink leotard with tights or bike shorts
CLOGGING>	White Lace Up Clogging Shoes w/ Buck Taps, Athletic Attire
CONTEMPORARY/LYRICAL>	Shoes TBD - can go barefoot or wear pirouettes if dancer has them
CREATIVE MOVEMENT>	Barefoot to start, Capezio Pink Hanami Ballet Shoes (Style #2037) purchased at Christmas for Recital Showcase, Pink Leotard (skirt must be attached if present), Hair in Ballet Bun, no jewelry
HIP HOP>	Sneakers (shoe requirement given in January), Athletic Dance Attire
JAZZ>	"E-Series" Tan Slip-On Jazz Shoes
MUSICAL THEATER>	Shoe requirement given in January, Athletic Dance Attire
STRENGTH & STRETCH/ LEAPS & TURNS>	Athletic Dance Attire, jazz shoes, pirouettes, or barefoot
TAP>	Tiny, Mini, Petite: Capezio Caramel Mary Jane Tap Shoes (Style #3800C), Athletic Dance Attire Junior & Senior: Capezio Black Cadence Tap Shoe, Athletic Dance Attire
COMPETITIVE REQUIREMENTS:	
FOF>	White Dancing Fair Split Sole Lace Up Clogging Shoes w/ Buck Taps, FOF Team Jacket, Team Practice Tanks with Shorts, Capris, or Leggings
COMPANY>	Spark Jazz: Bloch Black and Tan Neo-Flex Jazz Shoes, Spark Tap: Capezio Caramel Mary Jane Tap Shoes Flame Jazz: Bloch Black and Tan Neo-Flex Jazz Shoes Flame Tap: Capezio Black Cadence Tap Shoe Flame/Fire/Explosion Contemporary & Lyrical: Shoes TBD Flame/Fire Musical Theater: Shoes TBD Fire Jazz: Bloch Black and Tan Neo-Flex Jazz Shoes Fire Tap: Capezio Black Cadence Tap Shoe Explosion Jazz: Shoe TBD Explosion Jazz: Shoe TBD Explosion Jazz Fusion: Black Neo-Flex Jazz Shoes Explosion Jazz Fusion: Black Neo-Flex Jazz Shoes