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RECREATIONAL RECITAL PROGRAM OVERVIEW

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The Recreational Recital Program at Nancy Chippendale's Dance Studios runs from September through May and culminates with our annual show each May. Classes are offered to students, ages 3-19, in various disciplines including ballet, lyric, contemporary, jazz, tap, and hip hop. Dancers may enroll in all or some of the dance styles offered in each combo class. Classes are leveled based on academic grades. Dancers enrolled in the Recreational Recital Program must participate in our annual recital, and optional performance opportunities such as holiday parades are also available.

*Preschool dancers must be at least 3 years old by September 1st and must be potty trained. Students who do not meet these requirements are eligible for our Babysteps Program.

SCHEDULING

Scheduling options are listed on our 2019-2020 Recreational Recital Program Class Schedule as well as our online registration link. You may choose which class(es) work best for you, pending availability. Once registered, students will remain in the same class throughout the entire dance season. Dancers should try to avoid missing more than (6) classes in each discipline throughout the dance season. Any necessary schedule changes should be requested before the start of the season.

Any schedule changes needed after the start of the season must be submitted in writing no later than October 15th. These changes include but are not limited to day change, time change, dance style add, dance style drop, etc..

TUITION

Annual tuition is paid in (9) equal monthly installments from September through May and is based on the total number of hours danced per week. Tuition will be charged to your credit card on file on the 1st of each month and is valid through the end of that calendar month. Tuition amounts remain the same each month, even though some months hold more or fewer classes than others. We do not offer sibling discounts.

Students must pay a $50 Registration Fee, however this fee will be waived for all dancers who complete their registration prior to the start of the dance season. Dancers must pay a $70 Tuition Deposit upon registration. This non-refundable payment holds your spot in the class(es) you requested and will be applied towards your September tuition.

2019-2020 MONTHLY TUITION RATES

The figures below offer a sampling of our tuition rates.

Hours Per Week	*Cost Per Month*	*Hours Per Week*	*Cost Per Month*
0.50 Hours / Week	*$60.00 / Month*	*2.25 Hours / Week*	*$115.00 / Month*
0.75 Hours / Week	*$65.00 / Month*	*2.50 Hours / Week*	*$120.00 / Month*
1.00 Hours / Week	*$70.00 / Month*	*2.75 Hours / Week*	*$125.00 / Month*
1.25 Hours / Week	*$80.00 / Month*	*3.00 Hours / Week*	*$135.00 / Month*
1.50 Hours / Week	*$90.00 / Month*	*3.25 Hours / Week*	*$140.00 / Month*
1.75 Hours / Week	*$100.00 / Month*	*3.50 Hours / Week*	*$155.00 / Month*
2.00 Hours / Week	*$110.00 / Month*	*3.75 Hours / Week*	*$160.00 / Month*

RECITAL COSTUME PAYMENT

A non-refundable Recital Costume Payment is due for all Recreational Recital Program dancers. The Recital Costume Payment is $65 per dance style and will be charged to your credit card on file between October 15th - October 31st. By paying the Recital Costume Payment, dancers are committing to the entire dance season, as recital choreography will begin shortly thereafter. Recital Costume Payments are non-refundable for any and all reasons, including but not limited to schedule changes, withdrawal, injury, moving away, etc.

CALENDAR, POLICIES & PROCEDURES

The policies and rules of Nancy Chippendale's Dance Studios are detailed in the 2019-2020 Dancer Handbook that will be emailed to you along with your schedule confirmation and is also available on our website. Please read the Handbook in its entirety to ensure a positive experience as part of our Recreational Recital Program

DRESS CODE

Female dancers should wear a leotard (any style/color), tights and approriate dance shoes. Male dancers should wear a t-shirt, athletic shorts/pants and appropriate dance shoes. Our store, Dance Gear, is located at the studio and offers apparel and shoes for your convenience. Dancers may not wear their dance shoes outside, and may not wear their street shoes in the studios.

*Dancers may wear any brands/styles of dance shoes to class, however they will be required to wear specific brands/styles for the recital. Therefore, if buying new shoes, dancers are encouraged to purchase the required brands/styles. Required dance shoe brands/styles are listed in the 2019-2020 Dancer Handbook that will be emailed to you along with your schedule confirmation as well as on our website NancyChippendales.com.

WITHDRAWAL POLICY

Notice of student withdrawal must be made in writing by the 15th of the current month and will become effective on the 1st of the following month (Withdrawal Effective Date). This may be submitted via email at info@nancychippendales.com or by completing a Withdrawal Form at the front desk. The withdrawal will only become effective on the Withdrawal Effective Date. This waiting period enables the studio to prepare the necessary information, notify the appropriate staff and program directors, and settle accounts. Full tuition must be paid for all classes prior to the Withdrawal Effective Date. For example, if on October 1st a dancer decides to discontinue, notice of student withdrawal must be submitted in writing by October 15th for a November 1st Withdrawal Effective Date. Therefore, tuition must be paid through October 31st, regardless of the dancer's attendance. All payments made to Nancy Chippendale's Dance Studios are non-refundable. If a dancer discontinues his/her involvement at Nancy Chippendale's Dance Studios any time after the date of enrollment, the dancer forfeits his/her space in the class, recital costumes, and all other payments and deposits made prior to the Withdrawal Effective Date. Dancers who withdraw after October 15th will be charged a Withdrawal Fee of $65 per dance style.