

# **HANDBOOK**

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#### **Our Promise:**

To provide an opportunity for each dancer to BLOOM into the unique dancer and artist they were created to be. We are committed to not only training up dancers with skill and excellence but artist who dance with power, purpose, and passion!

#### What to expect within the culture of Bloom Dance Studio:

- o Faith based; God-centered organization
- o Professionalism
- o Wholesome, family environment
- o Real, honest, and genuine interactions
- Safe space
- o Age-appropriate choreography and costumes
- o Positive, uplifting music
- o Clear communication from our Staff
- o Challenging technical classes that are fun and encouraging!
- o A home for young artists to grow and blossom!

#### What are our Core Values?

- o God is the ultimate Artist and Creator
- o We believe God has given us these gifts of dance to glorify Him, make HIM famous and to spread the Gospel through our Art.
- o We value technique, skill and excellence-so our message is clear and articulate.
- We value hard work, determination and focus-There are so many opportunities to grow in the challenge. We will challenge your dancers to stay on the edge of their exploration as an artist while within an encouraging, loving, uplifting environment.
- We strive to cultivate a safe space and an encouraging atmosphere where dancer's feel the FREEDOM to be the artist God has uniquely created them to be while pushing forward to their goals.
- o We value having vision for what lies ahead and taking steps towards those goals while soaking up the present moments/seasons of our journey as a business. We will continue to be clear about the direction we are moving in and communicate those steps of action to you as we pursue future dreams of Bloom!
- o We value creating a family friendly, wholesome environment and facility

#### **Code of Conduct:**

Bloom Dance Studio is a Christian dance studio that is faith based. All conduct in and out of the classroom must be of complete respect to all authority figures, fellow classmates, and classroom guests. No foul language, gossip or any kind of disrespect will be tolerated from students or parents. Bloom Dance Studio reserves the right to dismiss a student or parent from the property if any conduct or attitude is found disrespectful and unkind. If a student/parent disrupts a class and approaches a staff member, another student/parent with the intent to cause dissent and create a scene, you will be dismissed from the studio immediately. Any act of vandalism will not be tolerated and if caught, the dancer/parent/family will be dismissed from the studio.

Parents who wish to speak to an instructor or the owner of the studio must make an appointment first through email. Please do not contact instructors or the owner about official studio business through their personal cell numbers, personal email addresses or social media accounts.

You are more than welcome to enjoy our waiting room while you are waiting for your dancer, and we are so happy to facilitate more people to do this! Please see below for our waiting room rules that will be enforced by our Staff members.

- All hallways and walkways are to be CLEAR of toys, food, drinks or even people sitting down. It is a fire hazard and a tripping hazard to have the hallways cluttered.
- Make sure no younger children are unattended. If your dancer is younger and waiting in between classes, they must wait in the main waiting room where our office staff can keep an eye on them.
- NO running in the hallways or the waiting room.

- If toys or activities are brought for your other children, make sure they are in a condensed area and not spread out on the floor.
- Clean up any crumbs or trash from around the area you were occupying before leaving the studio.
- Keep hallway conversations quiet, we do not want to disturb the dancers inside of the studios.

Our studio is and has been one of a peaceful environment and it is our desire to protect that environment as we continue to grow.

In the classroom, students must pay attention and maintain a quiet, easy to learn environment. No excessive talking. Please be prompt and on time to each class, <u>if a student is more than 10 minutes</u> <u>late to class, they will only be able to observe the class (after a warning) and not participate unless the parent has previously communicated a late arrival.</u>

If disciplinary action is required, outlined below is our discipline e protocol:

- o The instructor will talk to their student about the behavior after class with gentle reminders of our rules
- o The instructor will notify the owner of the studio
- o The parent/guardian will be contacted about the child's behavior, to be made aware of the situation
- o If the student's behavior continues or even worsens, then a meeting may be called with the instructor, owner, and parents to figure out a solution
- o If no solution can be found, the student may need to be dismissed for the remainder of the dance season

We do not tolerate a competitive/judgmental atmosphere among our dancers at Bloom Dance Studio. Bloom is a safe place for every student to grow and learn to become the unique dancer and artist that they are individually. We will challenge and motivate our dancers to be the best they can be. And we will give our students the tools necessary to grow and flourish as an artist and a dancer within a safe, encouraging, caring environment.

#### -No chewing gum in class

-All food and drinks except water must remain outside of the dance studio.

-Parents, please be on time to pick up your student. If you are going to be late picking up your child, please contact the studio.

-No child will be allowed to wait outside for their parents without a staff member of Bloom.

-All parents need to come inside the dance studio to pick up their child if your child is in a Beginner or Intermediate level.

-Please wear the appropriate dance wear and footwear to each dance class.

-At times there will be important information handed out to the students OR important emails will be sent to your inbox. Please make sure we have an active, primary email address on file. Parents, make sure you receive and

READ this information! We provide information on our website, send monthly newsletters with updates to the email on file, post social media updates and even send out text message reminders. Please stay informed and updated throughout the year. We try to make it easy for you! We know you are busy!

-Dancers, no grumbling or complaining! Bring your best attitude to each class and be ready to try new things!

-All cell phones must remain outside of the dance studios and put away in dance bags.

-Dancers, Parents or Guardians of dancers-If anyone is not feeling well or showing symptoms of any sickness (fever, cough, sneezing/coughing)-please stay home!

-Children must not be left unattended in or around the building. Parents, please make sure dancers are not running, climbing on the furniture, or playing outside without supervision.

#### **Dress Code:**

Attire always needs to be modest and appropriate. When you are outside of the dance studio, please wear a cover up. <u>Hair must be pulled back and out of your face for all classes-BOYS AND GIRLS.</u> If a student is not in the appropriate dance attire, the student will not be allowed to participate in class, after a warning.

#### Ballet, Pointe, Pointe Prep, Intro to Dance:

Girls- Black tank top leotard, pink tights, black ballet skirt or black biker shorts, and pink ballet shoes.

Boys-Black dance pants, white t-shirt (with a white tank top to wear underneath), and black ballet shoes.

#### Jazz:

Girls- Black tank top leotard, black dance pants, any style of black shirt and black jazz shoes.

Boys-Black dance pants, white (or black) t-shirt and black jazz shoes.

#### Contemporary and Contemporary Combo Class:

Girls and Boys- Leotard (Girls), black dance pants, and a solid color shirt are acceptable. No dance shoes are required for this class.

#### Modern:

Girls and Boys-Leotard (Girls), all Black, tighter fit clothes and barefoot

#### Tap:

Girls-Black tank top leotard, black dance pants, any style of solid black shirt and black Tap shoes.

Boys-Black dance pants, black t-shirt and black Tap shoes.

#### Acrobatics:

Girls- Black tank top leotard, black solid color shirt, black dance leggings or bikers, and barefoot

Boys-Black dance pants, black t-shirt and barefoot

#### <u>Hip-hop:</u>

Boys and Girls-Street style clothing and sneakers. NO Demin, NO Short-Shorts, NO crop tops. Wear a tank top tucked in or a leotard under your shirts.

#### Mommy and Me and Adult Classes:

Wear clothing that you and your little one can easily move in. For the Adult Classes-Please wear the appropriate footwear for whatever style of class you are in.

\* All shirts must have a tank-top or leotard always worn underneath. Jeans, mid-drift or low-cut tops or short shorts are unacceptable. Dress code must be always respected. Not applying to the dress code could result in the student being asked to sit out of the class after a warning.

#### **Tuition and Fees:**

Monthly tuition will be due the 1<sup>st</sup> week of the month. We accept Credit Cards, Cash or Check. You can choose to be a part of our auto pay option and never have to pay a late fee or you can make those payments manually. Whether you choose the Auto-Pay option or to pay manually-everyone must place a card on file in your family account at the time of registration. All checks can be made out to Bloom Dance Studio. Please include your students name on the memo of the check.

Each tuition payment is based on an average 4-week month. You will not be charged for a 5<sup>th</sup> week in a month and there is no deduction for a 3-week dance period in a month. The only time tuition will be prorated is if a dancer has registered in the middle of the month and is taking 2 classes or less that first month. Monthly tuition amounts will remain the same regardless of attendance, school closures or holidays. If we must close due to the weather, we will always do our best to schedule a makeup class later.

#### THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS AT ANY POINT!

If you have paid for a month of tuition and your dancer is unable to participate in classes due to an injury, sickness, or loss of interest no refund will be given. If a dancer has an injury- we encourage that dancer to observe classes, take notes and continue to learn from the teaching given during classes.

#### Late Fee:

A \$15 late fee will apply if the tuition has not been received by the 8<sup>th</sup> of the month. If you have not made any payment by the 14<sup>th</sup> of the month, we will attempt to process your balance due on the card you have on file. If no payment has been made by you or by our attempt to process your card AND your tuition is 4 weeks past due especially with no communication to our office-your dancer will be not allowed to return to class until your balance has been paid. Bloom Dance Studio reserves the right to drop a student due to non-payment. If tuition is due during a Holiday break, please decide to make your in-person payment BEFORE the break begins or make a payment online. If your payment is not made by the due date, you will still receive a late fee after the 7<sup>th</sup> of the month.

#### Returned Checks:

For any checks that may be returned there will be a \$35 fee **plus** the amount of tuition that is due.

#### Withdrawing from Classes:

The dance season is a 9-month commitment for all our weekly classes, if you decide to withdraw your dancer before the end of the season, there is a process that must be followed. Please see below.

If a dancer decides to withdraw from classes, we require a 4-week written notice. Families paying monthly tuition will be responsible for the tuition payment up until the dancers last day of class. If families who have paid ahead through our Yearly or Semester payment option withdraw from classes, they will not receive a refund. If a 4-week written notice cannot be given for a reason, make sure to pay any balances that may be currently due before the dancer's last day. And if any payments have already been sent in, they will not be refunded. There will be a cancellation fee of \$10 for every dropped class.

#### Discounts:

Family Discount: 5% off each sibling's total after the first child.

<u>Pay by Semester Option</u>- If you pay for each semester at once (Fall Semester Sept-Dec) (Spring Semester Jan-May) you will receive 3% from your total.

<u>Pay by Year Option-If</u> you pay for the full dance season (9 months) upfront you will receive 7% from your total.

Notify our office staff at the time of registration if you would like to be a part of any of our payment plan options and we will make those changes on our end!

#### **Monthly Tuition Amounts:**

#### 30 Minute Classes

1st Class	\$65.00		\$65.00 a month for 1 class
2nd Class	\$45.50	30% Savings!	\$110.50 a month for 2 classes
3rd Class	\$39.00	40% Savings!	\$149.50 a month for 3 classes
4th Class	\$32.50	50% Savings!	\$182.00 a month for 4 classes
5th Class	\$32.50	50% Savings!	\$214.50 a month for 5 classes
6th Class	\$32.50	50% Savings!	\$247.00 a month for 6 classes

#### 45-60 Minute Classes

1st Class	\$80.00		\$80.00 a month for 1 class
2nd Class	\$56.00	30% Savings!	\$136.00 a month for 2 classes
3rd Class	\$48.00	40% Savings!	\$184.00 a month for 3 classes
4th Class	\$40.00	\$50% Savings!	\$224.00 a month for 4 classes
5th Class	\$40.00	50% Savings!	\$264.00 a month for 5 classes
6th Class	\$40.00	50% Savings!	\$304.00 a month for 6 classes
7th Class	\$40.00	50% Savings!	\$344.00 a month for 7 classes
8th Class	\$40.00	50% Savings!	\$384.00 a month for 8 Classes
9th Class	\$40.00	50% Savings!	\$424.00 a month for 9 Classes

#### \*There will be a cancellation fee of \$10 for every dropped class

#### **Specialty Classes pricing:**

(No discounts are available for specialty classes)

\*Private Lessons- \$60.00 for 60min, \$45.00 for 45min and \$30.00 for 30min

\*Seed Dance Co- \$50.00 (monthly)

\*Adult Classes- \$15.00 per class

\*Mini-Mesters (6-week dance session in Fall, Winter and Spring)- \$100.00 for One Class a week or \$175.00 for Two Classes a week

<u>Pre-School Classes- \$100 per month for a</u>

<u>75min weekly class</u>

Mommy and Me Class- \$65 monthly or \$15.00 per class

#### Registration Fee:

This fee is your annual fee to remain or to become a student at Bloom Dance Studio. This fee must be paid at the time of registration to reserve your dancer's place within their classes. *This fee will be due upon registration and is nonrefundable.* 

\$30.00 Per Student \$45.00 Per Family

#### Recital Information/Costs:

At the end of every season, we hold our big Recital event! Your dancer will have an opportunity to perform on stage in costume and show you how much they have learned throughout the year. In December, we will notify parents and families of dates to save for our Recital and in January/February we will send out a complete packet of information for you/your dancer. Our monthly newsletters will provide information and details as we move through the year-you will be well informed! Our teachers will work on skills and technique within each class from the beginning of the dance season however, after January the teachers will begin working on the classes' Recital dances weekly in addition to their regular lesson plans. Recital season is always exciting and very rewarding! It is our favorite way to celebrate each individual dance season! We assume every registered dancer will be participating in the Recital. If your dancer will not be participating in the annual event, please let our staff know no later than November 1st, 2024!

#### Costumes:

Costume payments will be approximately \$70-90 per costume per dancer. There will be a payment schedule detailed below. A deposit amount will be due in September, November, and January of the season.

All costumes will be ordered in December. Once a costume has been ordered there will be NO REFUNDS!! If a costume has been ordered for a dancer who has decided to withdraw from classes, you will not receive a refund. If you have withdrawn your dancer from class, we have ordered their costume, and you still have a remaining balance on the costume-that balance MUST be paid upon your withdrawal. You will be notified of when the costume is available for pickup at the studio. If a dancer is registered after costumes have been ordered there will be an additional \$10 added to your costume total for the extra shipping costs.

Parents will be responsible to supply any additional dancewear and tights!

Beginner Level Costumes-\$70.00 per costume

1<sup>st</sup> Deposit- \$30.00 (per costume) <u>Due Week of September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024</u> 2<sup>nd</sup> Deposit- \$25.00 (per costume) <u>Due Week of November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024</u> Intermediate, Teen and Advanced Level Costumes-\$80.00 per costume

1<sup>st</sup> Deposit- \$30.00 (per costume) *Due Week of September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024* 

2<sup>nd</sup> Deposit-\$30.00 (per costume) <u>Due Week of November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024</u>

3<sup>rd</sup> Deposit-\$20.00 (per costume) *Due Week of January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025* 

#### Recital Fee:

A Recital Fee of \$75 per dancer (no discounts will be applied) is due upon registration and is nonrefundable. This fee allows your dancer to participate in the Recital. If this fee is not paid, your dancer (s) will not be able to perform in the Recital. This price will also include your dancer's Recital shirt, which they will receive before the Recital!

#### **Referral Rewards Program:**

We want to thank those who have helped spread the word of Bloom Dance Studio! To thank you and encourage you to continue to spread the word of Bloom (word of mouth is the best form of advertisement!), we offer a referral rewards program to help you save money on your monthly tuition! If you refer Bloom to your friends/ family AND they give us your name upon registering AND they register for a <u>full</u> dance season, you will receive points towards your referral rewards which will help you save money on that current dance season. Details Below!

- \*2 or more families register, you will receive \$10 off per month.
- \*4 or more families register, you will receive \$15 off per month.
- \*6 or more families register, you will receive \$20 off per month.
- -New registered dancers MUST mention your name upon registering or you will not receive the credit for that student/family.
- -You will not receive additional money per student in one family. The above breakdown applies to families not individual students within a family.
- -If a new dancer/family registers mid-month and a discount applies, your NEXT tuition payment will reflect the discount.
- -In order to be eligible for the monthly savings, you must be a registered dancer at Bloom Dance Studio for at least one year.
- -The referral reward points do not carry into the next dance season. Every dance season is a fresh start.

### Parking:

There is plenty of close, free on-street parking! Please do not park along the side of the building as this is reserved for our staff as well as an entrance to the future back parking lot. We will also have a "Drop Off" spot in the front of the building by the front door for you to utilize for a quick drop off situation.

## Schedule:

#### **MONDAY:**

#### Studio A:

10:00-11:15 Pre-School Combo Class (AB) 4:30-5:00 Beg. Ballet 1 (A) (Ages 3&4) (AB) 5:00-5:30 Beg. Ballet 1 (B) (Ages 3&4) (AB) 5:30-6:15 Beg. Tap/Jazz 1 Combo Class (Ages 3&4) (AB) 6:30-9:00 Open for Private Lessons

#### Studio B:

10:30-11:00 Homeschool Ballet Level 1 (5-8 yr olds) (AP)
11:00-11:30 Homeschool Jazz Level 1 (5-8 yr olds) (AP)
11:30-12:00 Homeschool Ballet Level 2 (9-12 yr olds) (AP)
12:00-12:30 Homeschool Jazz Level 2 (9-12 yr olds) (AP)
5:00-5:30 Beg, Hip-hop 2 (AP)
5:45-6:15 Beg. Hip-hop 3 (AP)
6:15-7:00 Teen Hip-hop (AP)
7:15-8:00 Int. Hip-hop (AP)
8:00-9:00 Adv. Hip-hop (AP)

#### Studio C:

4:45-5:30 Beg. Acro 3 5:30-6:15 Beg. Acro 2

6:15-7:00 Int. Acro 7:00-8:00 Adv. Acro

#### **TUESDAY:**

#### Studio A:

4:30-5:00 Beg. Ballet 2 (LS) 5:00-5:30 Beg. Contemporary 2 (LS) 5:30-6:00 Beg. Jazz 2 (LS) 6:15-7:00 Contemporary Combo (Ages 13-up) (AP) 7:00-7:45 Modern 1 (Ages 9-up) (AP) 8:00-8:45 Adult Hip-hop (AP)

#### Studio B:

4:30-5:15 Teen Jazz (CS) 5:30-6:00 Beg. Jazz 3 (PH) 6:00-6:45 Int. Jazz (PH) 7:00-8:00 Modern 2 (CS) (Ages 13-up) 8:00-9:00 Adv. Jazz (CS)

#### Studio C:

5:15-6:15 Adv. Tap (AJ) 6:15-6:45 Beg. Tap (AJ) 7:00-7:45 Adult Tap (AJ) 7:45-8:30 Int. Tap (AJ)

#### **WEDNESDAY:**

#### Studio A:

4:15-4:45 Mommy and Me Class (Ages 18 mo-2.5) (VJ)

5:00-5:45 Mini Mester-Beginner Tap/Jazz 1 (AB)

5:45-6:15 Mini Mester- Beginner Ballet Level 3 6:15-6:45 Mini Mester-Beginner Jazz Level 3

7:00-9:00 Private Lessons

#### Studio B:

4:30-5:00 Intro to Dance (LS)

5:15-5:45 Mini Mester- Beginner Ballet Level 2 (LS)

5:45-6:15 Mini Mester-Beginner Jazz Level 2 (LS)

6:30-9:00 Private Lessons

#### Studio C:

4:30-5:00 Mini Mester-Beginner Ballet Level 1(AB)

5:00-7:00 Seed Dance Co

7:00-9:00pm Neshema Dance Co

#### THURSDAY:

#### Studio A:

4:30-5:00 Beg. Ballet 3 (HN)

5:15-5:45 Beg. Contemporary 3 (AP)

6:00-6:45 Teen Ballet (MS)

6:45-7:30 Teen Contemporary (AP)

7:30-8:15 Adult Ballet (HN)

8:15-9:00 Adult Contemporary (AP)

#### Studio B:

4:30-5:15 Int. Contemporary (AP)

5:15-6:00 Int. Ballet 2 (Ages 9&10) (HN)

6:00-6:45 Int. Ballet 3 (Ages 11&12) (HN)

7:00-8:00 Adv. Ballet 3 (MS)

8:00-9:00 Adv. Ballet 2 (MS)

#### Studio C:

4:30-5:15 Pointe Prep (MS)

5:15-6:00 Pointe (MS)

7:00-8:00 Adv. Contemporary 2 (CS)

8:00-9:00 Adv. Contemporary 3 (CS)

#### Level Breakdown:

Beginner Level 1 - For ages 3&4

<u>Beginner Level 2-</u>For ages 5&6 (0-3 years of dance experience)

Beginner Level 3- For ages 7&8 (3+ years of dance experience)

Beginner Level- If no level is specified, that class is Level 2 + 3 (for ages 5-8)

<u>Intermediate Level –</u> For ages 9-12 (0-3 years of dance experience)

Intermediate Level 2- For ages 9&10

Intermediate Level 3- For ages 11&12

<u>Teen Level-</u> For ages 13-18 (0-5 years of dance experience)

Advanced Level- If no level is specified, that class is Level 2 &3 (for ages 14-18)

Advanced Level 2-14 &15 year olds (3+ years of dance experience) \*\*Must be approved for this level\*\*

Advanced Level 3- 15-18 yr olds (or 5+ years of dance experience) \*\*Must be approved for this level\*

\*If you are taking Modern you MUST be registered for Ballet.

\*If you are taking Contemporary you must be registered for Ballet or Jazz.

\*If you are taking Pointe, you must be registered for Ballet and Pointe Prep.

\*You must be registered for Ballet (or Jazz) and Contemporary to take Contemporary Combo

\*If you are a member of SEED Dance Co you must be registered for Ballet, Jazz and Contemporary (OR) Modern.

\*All levels as of now have been separated by age or years of experience. However, through the discretion of the instructor, a student may be moved up or down a level based on their individual technique level. A dancer's lack of attendance to class throughout the year or the timing of when said dancer started within the season may inhibit the dancer's ability to move up a technical level until the teacher feels the dancer is ready to advance.

Please trust the decision of the instructors as they have the best learning interest in mind for your student.

\*Based on registration classes may be canceled, combined, or moved into a different studio than listed above. Classes with 3 or less students registered will be reevaluated.

# **Class Descriptions**

\*In each class you will receive the fullness of the technical training of each specific style of dance. You will be challenged and have fun at the same time. We look forward for you to bring your best hard-working attitude to each class.

<u>Ballet</u>-Your dancer will learn to move with grace and precision through the technique of this classical form of dance. With Ballet being the foundation of all dance styles, we highly recommend all students take Ballet to deepen their dance training. \*\*Ballet is a requirement to take Modern and Pointe\*\*

<u>Pointe</u>- Pointe is a part of classical Ballet technique that is completed within Pointe shoes. As this is a very challenging class which requires strength technically and physically all students must be evaluated and approved by our staff to take this class. \*\*Pointe Prep Class and Ballet is a requirement to take Pointe\*\*

**Pointe Prep Class-** Through strengthening exercises, core work, and great attention to the dancer's body alignment and technique, your dancer will be prepared to succeed in their pursuit of Pointe.

<u>Jazz</u>-Our Jazz classes are fun, energetic and a mix of classical and current styles of Jazz technique. Your dancer will be challenged to expand their dance vocabulary in leaps, jumps, turns and fast choreography!

<u>Contemporary</u>- A style of movement that infuses the technical elements of Jazz, Ballet and Modern into passion filled movement often to bring a deepened meaning and concept to the audience through movement. We really challenge our dancers to find out who they are as unique artists and movers through this class. \*\* **Ballet or Jazz is a requirement to be in this class\***\*

<u>Tap</u>- A style of dance performed with shoes fitted with metal taps, characterized by rhythmical tapping of the shoes and heels. Your dancer will learn how to make beats and rhythms with their feet while learning the classic dance style of Tap!

<u>Modern</u>- A free expressive style of dance that was started in the 20<sup>th</sup> century as a reaction to classical Ballet. This class will challenge your dancer to become a strong, clean, technical mover as we explore various techniques within Modern dance and learn from the pioneers and history this great style of dance offers to us! \*\*Ballet is a requirement for this class\*\*

<u>Acrobatics-</u> Similar to the floor work seen in gymnastics, dancers will learn tips and tricks through expanding their strength, flexibility, balance and partner work. They will be learning a variety of movements including backbends, cartwheels, walkovers, handsprings and so much more. Through this class we want your dancer to not only learn the movements of acrobatics but how to incorporate them into all other styles of dance.

<u>Hip-hop-</u> These classes are a FUN urban dance style that will focus on various Hip-hop dance techniques! In these classes, your dancer will learn to groove, communicate a powerful message with strength and become FREER in their movement.

<u>Contemporary Combo Class-</u> A dancer's dream! In this class your dancer will explore and learn different Improv techniques coupled with learning a variety of contemporary choreography for fun to explore deeper places of their movement. These various exercises and challenges that will help your dancer really BLOOM into who they are uniquely as an artist and really connecting their deeper inner movement! This class will perform in the Recital \*\*Ballet (or Jazz) and Contemporary are required for this class\*\*

**Seed Dance CO**- SDC is an in-studio performing company only for the serious dancer in the Advanced level. In SDC you will have performance opportunities, assisting opportunities, extra classes and so much more! SEED Dance Co is acceptance by Audition only. \*\*Ballet, Contemporary or Modern and Jazz are required for each company member\*\*

<u>Mommy and Me Class-</u> A class for 18-month-olds to 2.5 yr old's to learn gross motor coordination, listening skills through music and a time of bonding with Momma and babe! In this class, you and your little one will learn how to stretch, dance with props and learn the fundamentals of dance and movement!

<u>Intro to Dance-</u> This class is designed for your active 2.5 yr old who is ready to move! We have a 30-minute class designed just for them to learn the basics of Ballet and Jazz while they have a great time learning how to move! This class is a perfect class for your future dancer to

learn about the environment of a dance class, the basics of movement and allowing them to express their movement with props and storytelling!

<u>Daytime Homeschool and Preschool Classes</u>. These daytime classes are a perfect way to be introduced to the very basic styles of dance to help begin lay the foundation of technique within the convenient time frame of a daytime class! These are non-performing classes.

<u>Mini-Mester Classes-</u> If your dancer is not quite ready to commit to a full 9-month season of dance, this is a perfect 6-week option of classes that will help your dancer get a taste of the foundational styles of dance and help get them started in their dance journey! These classes are offered in a 6-week session in the Fall, Winter and Spring! These classes are also a great option for dancers who would like to join after our season registration has closed! These are non-performing classes. MM Session Dates-<u>Fall</u>-September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024-October 30<sup>th</sup> 2024, <u>Winter</u>-February 5<sup>th</sup> 2025-March 12<sup>th</sup> 2025, <u>Spring</u>- April 2<sup>nd</sup> 2025-May 14<sup>th</sup> 2025 (Off on 4/16 for Spring Break).

#### **IMPORTANT DATES AND HOLIDAY BREAKS:**

All our important dates and breaks are listed in our new season calendar located on our website! Click on the link here to view!

#### STUDIO AND FRONT DESK HOURS:

MONDAY:

STUDIO HOURS-10:00AM-12:30PM AND WEDNESDAY:

4:00PM-9:00PM STUDIO HOURS- 4:00PM-9:00PM

FRONT DESK HOURS- 4:00PM-8:00PM FRONT DESK HOURS-4:00PM-5:00PM

TUESDAY: THURSDAY:

STUDIO HOURS- 4:30PM-9:00PM STUDIO HOURS-4:00PM-9:00PM

FRONT DESK HOURS- 4:15PM-8:30PM FRONT DESK HOURS- 4:00PM-8:30PM

WE ARE CLOSED FRIDAY-SUNDAY EVERY WEEK.

Please do all in person business during the Front Desk Hours listed above.

#### **Bloom Dance Studio Staff**

#### Chelsea Shelton

Owner/Choreographer/Teacher Contemporary, Jazz, and Modern

#### Victoria Johnson

Co-director/Teacher/Choreographer
Admin Staff, Seed Dance Company and
Mommy and Me

#### **Lindsey Stevens**

Teacher/Choreographer
Intro to Dance Class, Beg. Level 2 Ballet,
Jazz and Contemporary and Level 2 Mini
Mester Teacher

#### Paige Horst

Teacher/Choreographer
Beg. Jazz 3, Int. Jazz, and Level 3 MiniMester Teacher

#### **Hope Noble**

Teacher/Choreographer
Beg. Ballet 3, Int. Ballet 2, Int. Ballet 3 and
Adult Ballet

#### **Ashley Benoit**

Teacher/Choreographer
Level 1 Ballet, Jazz/Tap, Level 1 Mini
Mester Teacher and Preschool Classes

#### Michaela Smallwood

Teacher/Choreographer
Pointe, Pointe Prep, Teen Ballet, Adv. Ballet
2, Adv. Ballet 3

#### Anna Jentzsch

Teacher/Choreographer
Tap-All Levels including Adult Tap

#### Ashley Powell

Teacher/Choreographer
Hip-hop, Modern, Contemporary, Adult
Hip-hop, Adult Contemporary, and Level 1
and Level 2 Homeschool Classes

#### Karen Obitts

Front Desk Assistant

The staff of Bloom dance studio is committed to not only training your child to be a dancer but an artist who dances with passion and a purpose. We welcome you to Bloom Dance Studio and we are excited about this upcoming year!

Phone: 240-500-6009 Email: Bloomdancestudio@gmail.com

Website: www.bloomdancestudio.com

Find us on Facebook, Instagram and YouTube!

Make sure you "like" us, follow us, subscribe to us, and rate us to help spread the word of Bloom Dance Studio!

# **Photo/Video Consent:**

Throughout the course of the dance season, photos and videos of your dancer may be taken for promotional use for our social media accounts or website. We love to use pictures and videos of our own dancers instead of images found online to help spread the word about Bloom Dance Studio with familiar faces. Please sign below to give us permission (or not) to use the photos/videos of your dancer for the above purposes. Thank you!

l,	(parent or legal	guardian)
	Grant permission Deny permission	
To Bloom Dance Studio to	use the images/videos of my child,(	(Dancer's name)
Photographs and videos tak	ch use includes the display and publication of sen of my child for use of materials (brochures Bloom Dance Studio's website and social med	
Signature of Parent of	or Legal Guardian:	
	Date:	

# Bloom Dance Studio Policies:

(Please initial)

I have read the Bloom Handbook and understand its contents regarding Tuition, Late Fees, Attendance, Class Withdrawal, and all other topics mentioned in this document.	I understand that the dance season runs from September 2024 until the Recital in May/June of 2025 **If my dancer decides to
I understand that my child will be asked to observe the class if they are more than 10 minutes late	quit the classes they have registered for before the end of the season, a 4-week written notice is required. I will be kind enough to give our staff as much notice as possible before leaving I acknowledge I will not be refunded any
I understand that Bloom Dance Studio is not responsible for lost or stolen items throughout the facility	payments that have been handed in**
I understand that my student must be in full dress code including hair to participate in class	I understand Bloom Dance Studio reserves the right to refuse instruction or service to anyone who is not abiding by the Bloom Dance Studio Policies or Code of Conduct.
I understand that good class attendance is necessary for a dancer to progress, improve and advance within the studio	Conducti
	I understand that Bloom Dance Studion reserves the right to cancel/combine a class
I understand the tuition will be due the 1st of the month. A \$15 late fee will be applied to any payments handed in after the 7 <sup>th</sup> of the month and the card I have on file will be	due to lower enrollment, make changes to-the schedule. teachers, policies and/or rates at any time as they see fit.
processed by the office IF I have not sent in a payment by the 14 <sup>th</sup> of the month.	I am aware of Bloom Dance Studio's front desk hours and will make sure to handle all in-person business during these hours.
I understand that if I am 4 weeks behind on a payment, my dancer will not be allowed to participate until I have paid the past due balances. And I understand that Bloom Dance Studio reserves the right to drop a student due to non-payment.	I understand it is my responsibility to remain informed about important dates, events and information sent out and made available to me as the parent through email, social media, and the provided documents given at the time of registration.

# LIABILITY RELEASE FORM RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS Bloom Dance Studio

To whom it may concern:				
To the best of our knowledge our child whose name ishas no special allergies or medical problems except as noted below. (Use the word NONE if no medical problems Please list other medical problems, i.e., allergies, medications etc.)				
Please provide the following information:				
1. Who should we contact in the case of an emerg	gency?			
2. Relationship to child?	_			
3. Best number to reach them?				
Who is authorized to pick up your dancer:	Who is the Legal Guardian of this dancer:			
**We will NOT release any information about you relationship with the dancer without the perr				
We understand that despite the responsible may involve an element of risk. Bloom Dance Saccidents that may occur during my dancer's t Bloom Dance Studio. We, the undersigned, do all liability concerning my child during the dance	Studio is not responsible for any injuries or imme on the premises or on the property of hereby release Bloom Dance Studio from			
Signature of Derent/Logal Cuardian	Dato			