AIMS & OBJECTIVES

Grayce DeWitt Dance Studio continues to offer quality dance instruction. All instructors are professionally trained and belong to various dance organizations. All instructors have a love for the art form and want to share the joy of dance with children and adults. Our philosophy is to teach in a relaxed atmosphere that is appropriate for learning.

ENROLLMENT

You are considered enrolled at the school and responsible for tuition until you notify the school for withdrawal - **IN WRITING** - **on an official GDDS withdrawal form**. This is a school regulation and must be received 2 weeks prior to the next billing cycle. **Tuition charges are based on enrollment not attendance**.

STAY INFORMED

Parents/Students should check the bulletin board, www.graycedewittdancestudio.com, Facebook or Instagram and our HOT SHOE NEWS email each month for updates and information.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

Call the studio for a recorded message or check our Facebook or Instagram for closing information.

MISSED CLASSES

The studio appreciates a telephone call when a student is ill or unable to attend a class, at which time a make-up class may be scheduled.

TUITION

Tuition is based on enrollment, not attendance.

Dance fees begin September 15th and end on May 15th. For your convenience tuition is divided into 9 monthly installments. Monthly payments: Online auto draft from your checking account or Debit Card. Credit card: Visa, MasterCard, or Discover. Discounts available for payment of Full Tuition or Semester Tuition. There are no refunds for missed or dropped classes. RETURN CHECK CHARGE IS \$25.00

DRESS CODE

Ballet & Lyrical: Leotard, tights or a skirt. Pink ballet shoes for girls/black for boys. Hair in a bun or braid away from face and neck. Boys: Solid color shirt and pants or shorts. Jazz & Tap: Leotard, tank shirt or jazz pants. Tan laceless Jazz shoes for Jazz.

TAP Tan ribbon - tie tap for 3 to 5 year Preschool class.

TAP Tan lace up oxford for dancers 6 and up in combo class.

Hip Hop: Jazz or cargo pants with fitted tank shirt. Hip Hop boots, Jazz sneakers or tan jazz shoes - NO tennis shoes. Hair in ponytail or braid.

Our dress code is designed to encourage unity and discipline among our students. DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD IN A T-SHIRT AND SHORTS.

Write student's name on all personal items of clothing, shoes, dance bags, etc. The studio is not responsible for stolen or misplaced items.

CLASS RATES

- *Registration is \$65.00 per student
- *45 minutes per week is \$55.00 per month
- *1 hour per week is \$60.00 per month
- *1 ½ hours per week is \$70.00 per month
- *2 hours per week is \$80.00 per month
- *2 1/4 hours per week is \$85.00 per month
- *2 ½ hours per week is \$90.00 per month
- *3 hours per week is \$105.00 per month
- * 3 ½ hours per weeks is \$115.00 per month
- *4 hours per week is \$125.00 per month
- *4 ½ hours per week is \$130.00 per month
- *5 hours per week is \$135.00 per month
- *5 ½ hours per week is \$145.00 per month
- *Families receive a 10% discount.
- * Male students receive a 50% discount for dance classes

COSTUMES

A \$75.00 deposit will hold your order until the balance is paid in full by November 30th. This balance of the costume fee includes a recital T-shirt, tights and all accessories.

SPRING PERFORMANCE 2017

Thursday May 24th & Friday, May 25th Alma Performing Arts Center @ 7:00pm Reserved Seat Tickets \$10.00

Tech Rehearsal: Monday, May 21rd (ALL STUDENTS)

Dress Rehearsal: Tuesday, May 22nd & Wednesday, May 23rd @ Time: 6:00 p.m.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 2017

September 5: First Day of Studio Class
October 15: Costume Deposit Due \$75.00
November 22 to 26: Studio Closed for Thanksgiving
November 30: Costume Balance Due
December 20: Winter Break Begins

2018

January 3: Classes Resume March 19 to 25: Closed for Spring Break May 21 to 25: Recital Week

OTHER

October 1-March 30: Sign up for awards
November 1: Recital Performance Schedule Posted
January 1 - March 31: Spell Check Program
April 5: Deadline for Picture Award CD
April 15: Emailing Recital Information