

2024/25 DANCE CURRICULUM - PRE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM

For students interested in comprehensive dance training leading to a potential career in performance or teaching. Acceptance into the program is by recommendation or audition only and is based on the student's physical & artistic suitability together with their commitment and dedication to dance. Students study Classical Ballet, Pointe, Exam Work, Jazz, Contemporary, Tap, Musical Theatre, Hip Hop and AcroDance under the guidance of highly qualified and accomplished teachers. Students must attend a minimum of 6.5 hours per week of compulsory classes in ballet, pointe, jazz & contemporary.

Curriculum also includes extra rehearsals, workshops, performances, summer programming, classical ballet examinations, and cultural and dance related outings. WSD encourages all PPP students to take additional classes over and above program requirements. To facilitate this, all additional classes for PPP students receive a discount. **Recommended number of Classes for each Division:** 6 - 10 classes per week.

	CLASS/LEVEL	DAY	TIME
ELEMENTARY LEVEL			
	Ballet / Level 8 Exam	Wednesday Thursday	5:00 - 6:30 pm 5:30 - 6:30 pm
	Pointe B	Wednesday Thursday	7:30 - 8:30 pm 6:30 - 7:30 pm
	Jazz M	Monday Thursday Monday	8:30 - 9:30 pm
	Contemporary		7:30 - 8:30 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm
INTERMEDIATE LEVEL			
	Ballet Ballet / Elem. Exam Pointe Jazz	Wednesday Thursday Thursday Monday Wednesday	8:30 - 10:00 pm 6:30 - 7:30 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm
	Contemporary	Monday	8:30 - 9:30 pm
ADVANCED LEVEL			
	Ballet Ballet / Inter. Exam Pointe Jazz Contemporary	Wednesday Thursday Thursday Monday Wednesday Monday	8:30 - 10:00 pm 8:30 - 10:00 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm 8:30 - 9:30 pm

*All Tap, Musical Theatre, Hip Hop & AcroDance classes are by Individual Assessment