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We would like to welcome you to Showcase Dance Centre! This information should help to get your dancer off to a great start! If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know. We are looking forward to this exciting new season with your dancer!

TUITION RATES AND FEES

Number of Hours	Monthly Tuition
30-45 min.	\$55.00
1 hour	\$60.00
1.25 hours	\$65.00
1.5 hours	\$70.00
1.75 hours	\$75.00
2 hours	\$80.00
2.25 hours	\$83.00
2.5 hours	\$86.00
2.75 hours	\$89.00
3 hours	\$92.00
3.25 hours	\$95.00
3.5 hours	\$98.00
3.75 hours	\$101.00
4 hours	\$104.00
4.25 hours	\$107.00
4.5 hours	\$110.00
4.75 hours	\$113.00
5 hours	\$116.00
5.25 hours	\$119.00
5.5 hours	\$122.00
5.75 hours	\$125.00
6 hours	\$128.00
UNLIMITED	\$131.00
Late Fee	
Late Fee	\$15.00
NSF/Returned Check Fee	
Per transaction	\$30.00
Competition Students	
add per month	\$20.00

TUITION PAYMENTS: A charge will be made at the beginning of each month within the first 6 days from the debit or credit card that will be kept on file with Showcase Dance Centre. We accept Visa, MasterCard and Discover credit cards (you can change your information on your customer portal at any time). Tuition is due by the 1st of each month. After the 10th of the month a \$15.00 late fee will be charged to your account for each month late. Whether a month has 3 weeks or 5 weeks, tuition remains the same. This includes holidays or inclement weather days. Tuition Fees are non-refundable.

CREDIT CARDS: Pay online in your Customer Portal or at the studio office:

www.showcasedance.net

CHECKS: Make out to Showcase Dance Centre with students name and what payment is for in memo line.

CALCULATING TUITION: Simply add up the number of hours to determine your monthly tuition for 10 months, (Competition students tuition is for 11 months, see competition students). Boys: 50% off tuition.

DISCOUNTS: Discounts are limited to one per family.

Sibling Discount: Student with greater number of hours is charged full tuition, each sibling after will receive a 25% tuition only discount.

Boys: 50% off tuition.

Year in Full: pay year in full to receive a 10% tuition only discount, must be paid in full by September 15th.

ADDITIONAL FEES: All fees are non-refundable

Fee	Amount	Due
Registration Fee	\$30.00	Due at registration
Recital Costume	\$85.00/costume	October 15, 2016
Competition Costume Deposits	\$90.00/costume	Aug/Sept/Oct 15th
Recital Fee	\$70.00	January 1, 2017
Competition Costume Balances	to be calculated	March 1, 2017

Registration Fee: Online registration and payment must be completed to reserve your space

Costume: Costume Deposits and Costume Balances are to be paid on time or a late fee will be applied each month late. A student that wishes to withdraw from a class after purchasing a costume may pick the costume up after the recital in June/July. Costumes not picked up will be donated. After November costume deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable.

Recital Fee: We encourage all students to perform in our end of year recital, so that they have the opportunity to display all that they have learned during the year. Any students not wishing to participate in the recital at the end of the dance season must provide a written notice that they do not wish to participate.

ABSENCES & INCLEMENT WEATHER

Missed Classes: If a student misses more than 1 class, please contact the office so that the instructor is aware of the circumstances. There are no refunds for missed classes.

Inclement Weather: In case of inclement weather, there will be a message on the studio web site/Facebook pertaining to the classes. However if you feel that it is not safe to travel during these times, we encourage that you stay home.

WAITING & LOBBY GUIDELINES

- ★ **PARKING LOT:** Please NO double parking (Double parking is where you park directly behind someone.) and NO blocking the side driveways, there is an additional parking area in the rear of the building.
- ★ **STUDENT DROP OFF:** Students should arrive to class 5 minutes early and should be prepared for class with shoes and a trip to the potty to cut down on any trips during class. Please walk your student in to make sure they get into class and to see if there is any information that you may need on the board.
- ★ **STUDENT PICK UP:** Parents must arrive on time to pick up their students. Parents must come inside to pick up their children. We will have students waiting in the hallway for parents to pick up.
- ★ **FOOD AND DRINKS:** Please keep food, drinks and gum to a minimum. You are required to clean up after eating/drinking in the studio at all times. This includes throwing away any trash, sweeping up crumbs, wiping and cleaning up any spills. Please help by doing your part to keep our studio nice and clean for you and others.
- ★ **NO HORSEPLAY:** Parents are to keep students and siblings from horsing around in the hallways. Students can hear what is going on outside the classroom and excessive noise is distracting.
- ★ **CLASSROOMS:** Students are not to be in any classroom at any time without a teacher present.
- ★ **BE KIND:** Please be kind to all fellow parents and students. We are all here for the same reasons, our children and a great dance experience.

DATES TO REMEMBER

CLASSES ARE STILL IN SESSION ON TEACHER WORKDAYS.

Dates	Importance
1st of each month	Tuition Due (calculated by # of hours)
August 8, 2016	Fall Classes Begin
Monday, September 05, 2016	CLOSED for Labor Day
October 15, 2016	Costume Deposit(s) Due [Recital-\$85.00/costume, Competition-\$90.00/costume]
October 31, 2016	CLOSED starting at 5:00pm for Halloween
November 23-November 27, 2016	CLOSED for Thanksgiving Break
December 19, 2016 - January 1, 2017	CLOSED for Winter Break
January 1, 2017	Recital Fee due \$70.00/student
January 16, 2017	CLOSED for MLK Day
March 1, 2017	Competition Costume Balance Due
April 10, 2017 - April 16, 2017	CLOSED for Spring Break
May 27, 2017	CLOSED & Mint Hill Madness Parade
May 29, 2017	CLOSED for Memorial Day
TBA	Dress Rehearsal
TBA	Recital

SCHEDULE CHANGES

WITHDRAWALS: Any student wishing to withdraw from any class must provide Showcase Dance Centre with a 30-day written notice of withdrawal. A student simply not showing up for class does not establish a withdrawal. You will be billed until written notice is provided.

COMPETITION COMPANY & PRIVATE LESSONS

SDC's competition company is an amazing group of students, ages 5 and up, who are passionate about dance and performing! SDC competition members take Jazz, Ballet/Pointe, Tap, Lyrical, Technique and Hip-Hop classes at Showcase Dance Centre and participate at Regional dance competitions along with a National finals competition during the summer. SDC competition dancers attend regional workshops, receive training from world renowned teachers, and have an overall extremely good time! All students are encouraged to audition for company classes. Please ask for additional information.

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PRIVATE LESSONS: Showcase Dance Centre offers private lessons. Please contact studio for prices and availability. Competition students taking private lessons for Solos and Duet/Trios are required to take (ASB) Advanced Stretch and Barre.

FIRST WEEK OF DANCE REMINDERS AND TIPS

- ★ The studio can be very crowded the first few weeks while everyone gets used to their new classes.
- ★ Please have all dancers use the restroom before class time, this will cut down on disruptions during class time. Potty breaks are contagious.
- ★ Combo classes (Tiny Toes, 3-4, 5-6 classes) will need their ballet shoes on when entering classes, place all other dance shoes in their dance bag to send in with them. The teachers will help each student change shoes. Please place names on all items and on the inside of each shoe.
- ★ Dancers can have apprehension the first few weeks. This is common, keep reminding your dancer that they are going to have fun. Leave as quickly as possible, and watch from the window, however they can see you through the window and sometimes out of sight out of mind is the best for getting used to the environment.
- ★ Please keep noise down outside the classrooms and don't let siblings open the doors or bang on the windows. This distracts the dancers.
- ★ If you have questions or concerns, please stop by the office at any time. We would like for your experience to be the best possible experience for you and your dancer!

CLASS SHOES, ATTIRE & RECITAL

SHOES & ATTIRE: I understand that appropriate dance shoes and dance attire are very important to the proper development of a dancer. Below you can find the correct style, color and brand of shoes along with what appropriate dance attire is required and is listed in the studio information.

Please purchase shoes and dance attire at the listed retailers listed below:

HELP SUPPORT
Your School

NEW CUSTOMERS GET
8% OFF
YOUR FIRST PURCHASE
IN STORE & ONLINE AT DISCOUNTDANCE.COM

ENTER TEACHER CODE
33110
DURING ONLINE CHECKOUT

NEW CUSTOMERS ONLY. CANNOT BE COMBINED WITH ANY OTHER OFFER.
ENTER TEACHER CODE ONLINE FOR DISCOUNT.

DISCOUNT DANCE SUPPLY

• www.discountdance.com

Drop down menu top left select Students/Find a Studio

Enter in Zip code: 28227 or Studio code: 33110

Click on Jennifer Schillo/Showcase Dance Centre

Select Your Class; here it will list class requirements such as shoes, leotard, etc.

• **LEBO'S** (in town)

7300 E. Independence Blvd. Charlotte, NC (704) 538-5000

• **MORRIS COSTUMES** (in town)

4300 Monroe Road, Charlotte, NC (704) 333-4653

- **No Jewelry other than small earrings.**
- **Hair must be secured back away from face (ponytail/bun)**

Tiny Toes Class (2.5- 3 yr. olds)

Capezio #205C Daisy Full sole Leather Ballet (Ballet Pink) or Barbette 211

Attire: Leotard (Pink) & Tights. Optional: Skirt

3-4 yr. old Combo Class

BALLET: Capezio #205C Daisy Full sole Leather Ballet (Ballet Pink) or Barbette 211 &

TAP: Capezio 3800C Mary Jane Tap (Caramel)

Attire: Leotard (Pink) & Tights. Optional: Skirt

5-6 yr. old Ballet/Tap Combo Class

BALLET: Capezio #205C Daisy Full sole Leather Ballet (Ballet Pink) or Barbette 211&

TAP: Capezio 3800C Mary Jane Tap (Caramel)

Attire: Leotard (Black) & Tights. Optional: Skirt

5-6 yr. old Jazz/Hip Hop Class

Bloch SO41 Super Jazz (Tan)

Attire: Leotard (Black) & Tights. Optional: Boy cut short

7-9 yr. old Classes

BALLET: Capezio #2033C/2033 Capezio Leather Cobra (Lt. Pink)

TAP: Capezio #CG17C/CG17 Fluid Tap (Black)

JAZZ: Bloch SO41 Super Jazz (Tan)

Attire: Leotard (Black) & Tights. Optional: Skirt/Boy cut short

Teen & Adult Classes

LYRICAL/CONTEMPORARY & JAZZ: Body Wrappers #621A Twyla II (Jazzy Tan)

Attire: Any color leotard, tights, tank tops dance shorts, leggings

TAP: Capezio #CG17C/CG17 Fluid Tap (Black)

Attire: Any color leotard, tights, tank tops, dance shorts, leggings

Advanced Ballet I, II & III & Pointe Classes

Capezio #2033C/2033 Capezio Leather Cobra (Lt. Pink)

Attire: Leotard (Black) & Tights. Optional: Skirt/Boy cut short

Hip Hop Classes

Converse low-top sneakers (Black) available for purchase at Target. Please use the shoes only for class.

Attire: T-shirt & shorts that allow movement (NO jeans)

Acrobatic Classes

SHOES: NO shoes

Attire: Any color leotard & Stirrup or Convertible tights.

Optional: Boy cut short

BOYS

BALLET: Barbette 208 Full Sole Leather Ballet or similar (Black),

TAP Capezio #CG17C/CG17Fluid Tap or similar (Black),

JAZZ Capezio EJ2C Jazz Slip On or similar (Black)

Attire: T-shirt & shorts that allow movement (NO jeans)

Competition Students

For Jazz/Lyrical class: "Turning Point 55" Pirouette shoes
Required Competition Shoes: List will be provided at later date

Fitted dancewear/leotard and tights

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CUSTOMER PORTAL Use Customer Portal to view your account, information updates and make payments.

After you are enrolled in a class you will be able to register for and use the Customer Portal. You will create a Customer Portal account by entering the email address you provided at registration time or by clicking the button that says "I don't have or don't know my password." A temporary password will then be emailed to you. Use that to log in to your account. From there you can change your password—just make sure it has a minimum of 8 characters, 1 of which must be a number.

- **RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

You are hereby informed that Showcase Dance Centre does not have insurance to cover injury incurred while on our premises or participating in activities elsewhere in association with or sponsored by Showcase Dance Centre. It is required that all dance students be covered by their own family policies and if injury occurs, it is understood that the family's own policy is your source of coverage or reimbursement. You are authorized to obtain medical services for me (or my child) should an injury occur should you in your opinion feel such services are needed, in which event I (we) agree to be financially responsible for such medical services, if the parent or other guardian cannot be immediately contacted prior to seeking such medical assistance.

Showcase Dance Centre, their (its) (her) agents, employees and instructors recommend all students obtain physical examination prior to enrollment, and we (i) acknowledge that participation in dance instruction, practice and activities involves strenuous exercise, some body contact and dangers associated with various dance routines and exercises could result in injury or physical ailment. All participants if of legal age or parents of all minor participants hereby waive, release and discharge Showcase Dance Centre, its, her or their agents, employees and instructors from any and all activities, instruction, lessons, exercises at the premises or away from premises of Showcase Dance Centre, and I further agree to indemnify and save harmless Showcase Dance Centre, its, her, their or her agents, employees and instructors for any loss or damage incurred by it, them or her arising out of any injury sustained by me or my child.

I understand and agree to the release of liability agreement.

- **PAYMENT INFORMATION**

I understand and agree that payments will be made at the beginning of each month within the first 6 days from the debit or credit card that will be kept on file with Showcase Dance Centre. We accept Visa, MasterCard and Discover credit cards. Tuition remains the same whether it is a long or short lesson month. A non-refundable registration fee and first month's tuition will be charged to your account upon enrollment. Our studio does not send out monthly statements. All tuition is non-refundable. Any attendance during a month constitutes a full month's tuition. Monthly tuition is mandatory until the studio has received a written request of withdrawal 30 days in advance.

I understand and agree to the payment and withdrawal procedures.

- **PHOTOGRAPHY RELEASE**

I hereby grant to Showcase Dance Centre II, Inc. the irrevocable and unrestricted right to use, reproduce, and publish photographs of my child for editorial, trade, advertising, or any other purpose or manner and medium. I hereby release Showcase Dance Centre and its owners and teachers from any and all claims, actions, and liability relating to its use of said photographs. All parents/guardians who do not wish their child's image or name to be used in this manner must declare so in writing and submit the signed paper to the studio office.

I understand and agree to the photography release.

- **DANCE SHOES AND ATTIRE**

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- **ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE**

I understand that submission of this online registration includes my electronic signature and that my electronic signature requires that I have read, understood, and agree to Showcase Dance Centre's guidelines and procedures and pledge to obey these rules and regulations set forth to promote orderly conduct and to protect students and others from injury. I have also read carefully the liability release, photo release, and payment information listed above, and by signing below therefore acknowledge full knowledge, acceptance, and understanding of their significance.