



Linda D'Amico's Academy of Dance
2022-2023 Policy Agreement
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Thank you for choosing Linda D'Amico's Academy of Dance for your child's dance education! From our adorable Pre-K and Kinder ballerinas, to our beautiful recreational Terpsichoreans, our new Performance Team, to our fierce national award-winning competitors now boasting the name, The Dance Project, we pride ourselves on sharing the love of dance as our number one priority! We believe: if you can dream it, you can become it!

Before joining us for our most exciting 46th season, please read over our terms and conditions, sign, and return the contract the first week of classes!

I) Registration and Tuition

Our full season, September 8, 2022 through June 10, 2023

Registration and September session fees are due upon registration

Please see fee schedule under important downloads on our website www.lindadance.com

II) Announcements, Academy closings, and Updates

It is imperative that you check your email on a regular basis for updates regarding announcements, payments, academy closings, etc. Email is our main way of communicating with our dance community. If there is inclement weather or if the academy must close for any reason, an email will be sent out right away and we will also update our voicemail. We are also on FACEBOOK and INSTAGRAM where we announce our updates as well as other exciting announcements and adventures that our dancers go on!

No credit will be given for inclement weather/emergency closings. Makeup classes will be available and encouraged.

Facebook: www.facebook.com/ldadancers

Instagram: @ldadancers

III) Recital and Rehearsals

The end of every dance season is always concluded with our year-end recital. Recital is mandatory. This year our recital is scheduled to be on Saturday, June 10, 2023. Combo classes and Triplet classes will be assigned to one performance. We will confirm with you by February the performance in which your child's classes will perform.

Along with recital, dancers will be required to attend our in-studio run thru (tentatively scheduled, Wednesday, May 24). The in-studio run through is NOT a dress rehearsal. Students will wear regular dance clothes. Students will also be required to attend our full-dress rehearsal located at West Milford High School (tentatively scheduled, Thursday, June 1). This is a FULL-DRESS REHEARSAL meaning that costumes, makeup, and hair are required to be done as practice for the real show! This is so that there are no surprises the day of the show so that everyone feels as prepared as they can!

IV) Costumes

Costumes for recital will be ordered in December. They can run between \$85 - \$100 per costume. A deposit of \$70 is due for each recital class in November. Triplets and Combo classes will order "2 in 1" costumes. This means that you will only order one costume that will come with a ballet tutu, a tap skirt, and a jazz piece(s) if participating! Costume deposit and Costume balance deadlines will be announced via email.

V) Tuition, Missed Classes, and Makeups

Tuition is due on the 1ST OF EACH MONTH. A strict \$10.00 late charge will be implemented on all payments received after the second week of each session. Tuition remains the same each session, regardless of scheduled holidays or cancelled classes due to weather conditions. Anyone with missed tuition payments of one session or more will not be allowed to participate in class until past dues are resolved. We do not give refunds for missed classes although we offer and encourage make up classes! Ask the office for our recommended make up classes for your dancer!

VI) Dress code

JEANS ARE NEVER ACCEPTABLE TO WEAR IN ANY DANCE CLASSES

Dancers will be asked to sit out of class if they attend in jeans. Proper attire for each genre is listed as follows:

Combo classes – ballet/tap and ballet/tap/jazz:

Please wear leotard and tights with hair pulled back cleanly off their face. Pink ballet shoes, black tap shoes, and tan jazz booties are required if applicable.

Acro and Acro/Jazz Funk Combo classes:

Please wear leotard with shorts or tight fitting clothing. Please pull hair back away from face on a ponytail.

Acro/Jazz Funk classes will also need jazz boot with socks.

ALL Ballet/Pointe classes:

Please wear leotard and tights with hair pulled back in a bun. We do not have color restrictions for leotards. Tights may be ballet pink, black or tan. Capezio Juliet style 2027 is the recommended ballet shoe. Dancers will not be allowed to take class in socks. Ballet skirts and skintight shorts are acceptable. Tight sweaters and leg warmers are acceptable in the cold winter months for ballet barre warmup; however, they must be removed after barre commences or at the instructor's discretion.

Lyrical, Contemporary, Jazz, Hip Hop, Jazz Funk, Tap classes:

Please come in clothing that is easy to move in with the proper shoes for your designated class. Please do not wear baggy clothing that will hide the lines of your body! Tight shirts, tight shorts, and leggings are acceptable. Please pull your hair all the way back out of your face.

Capezio style EJ2 caramel jazz boot is recommended for jazz class.

VII) Scheduled closing

Thanksgiving – Wednesday, November 23 thru Sunday, November 27

Winter Break – Friday, December 23 thru Monday, January 2

Spring Break – Friday, April 7 thru Sunday, April 16

Memorial Weekend – Saturday, May 27 thru Monday, May 29

I, _____ parent/guardian of _____
agree to the terms and conditions listed above. I understand that I am agreeing to participate as a student of Linda D'Amico's Academy of Dance. *

SOCIAL MEDIA WAVER

I agree to having my child's photo used for advertising on the studio's social media including FACEBOOK and INSTAGRAM.

(Please circle one.) **YES** **NO**

Parent/Guardian Signature _____