

NANCY CHIPPENDALE'S DANCE STUDIOS

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS + OPPORTUNITIES

RECREATIONAL PROGRAM

3-19 YEARS OLD

1-DAY / WEEK

Requirements:

Recreational Program dancers attend class Sep-May, participating in the following dance styles:

- **Preschool:** Ballet, Tap
- **K/1st Grade:** Ballet, Jazz, Tap
- **2nd-12th Grade:** Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop

Recreational dancers must also participate in our annual recital which takes place in May as well as applicable recital rehearsals. Recital details communicated during the month of March.

Optional Opportunities:

Recreational Program dancers are invited to participate in the following:

- Annual Holiday Parade(s)
- Summer Programs

*PREP STEP PROGRAM

KINDER-3RD GRADE

2-DAYS / WEEK

Requirements:

Prep Step Program dancers **must** attend classes Sep-Jun and participate in the following:

- **Prep Step K/1:** Weekly Ballet, Jazz, Tap Classes
- **Prep Step 2:** Weekly Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop Classes
- Weekly Prep Step Technique classes
- Annual recital & applicable rehearsal(s)
- **Prep Step 2:** (1) Regional Competition (Details communicated in October)

Optional Opportunities:

Prep Step Program dancers are invited and encouraged to participate in the following:

- Annual Holiday Parade(s)
- NYCDA Boston Convention (Details communicated in Sep)
- Prep Step Summer Training Program
- One-Week Summer Program

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COMPETITIVE PROGRAM

3RD-12TH GRADE

2-4 DAYS / WEEK

Requirements:

Competitive Program dancers **must** attend classes Sep-Jun and participate in the following:

- Weekly Ballet, Jazz, Tap Classes (Hip Hop is optional).
- No more than six (6) absences in each class
- Annual recital and applicable rehearsal(s)
- Three (3) regional competitions typically held Feb-April (Details communicated in October)
- Local National Competitions (Drivable Locations)
- One-Week Summer Program
- Annual Holiday Parade

Optional Opportunities:

Competitive Program dancers are invited and encouraged to participate in the following:

- Weekly Technique Classes
- Additional choreography (i.e. "Formations").
- Nexstep & ATC Summer Training Programs
- NYCDA Boston Convention (Details communicated in Sep)

*NEXSTEP PROGRAM

5TH-12TH GRADE

5-7 DAYS / WEEK

Requirements:

Nexstep Program dancers **must** attend classes all year round including the following:

- Weekly technique & choreography classes.
- No more than three (4) absences in each class
- Annual recital and all applicable rehearsal(s)
- Three (3) regional competitions typically held Feb-April (Details communicated in October)
- Local National Competitions (Drivable Locations)
- One-Week Summer Program
- Nexstep & ATC Summer Training Programs
- Annual Holiday Parade
- NYCDA Boston Convention (Details communicated in Sep)

Optional Opportunities:

Nexstep Program dancers are invited to participate in the following:

- Additional Choreography, Conventions & Summer Programs

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2024-2025

