



# Information Packet

## 2021-2022

**Our Mission:** Teaching dance in a Christ-centered environment.

**Our Vision:** We will equip dancers with basic to advance dance fundamentals. We will build a foundation of dance technique with an emphasis on a Christ-like heart. We will use our abilities to serve our church and our community. Our ministry will seek the Lord's guidance.

# Chosen Dance Policies and Procedures

**How to Register:** Class schedule, registration forms and pricing available at the Family Life Center (FLC) front desk, or by email request. Class placement is based on age and level of experience. It is important that every dancer be placed in the class they can learn and grow the most. **Registration is not available for year-round classes after February 1, 2022.**

**Holidays:** We will coordinate our holiday schedule with the Alachua County School's holiday schedule. Sometimes we may need to cancel classes due to events out of our control. We will let you know of cancellations as soon as possible! If there is not public school, we will not be having class.

**Commitment Policies:** If a child needs to miss class for an extended period of time (injury, illness, etc), please let us know and we will try to accommodate. **Parents/Guardians are responsible for payments as long as their child is enrolled at Chosen.** If a parent/guardian wishes their child to drop a class, they must submit in writing (letter or email) to Chosen Staff. **You are responsible for payments until we have received a drop letter.**

**Payment Policies:** Tuition is on a monthly basis, but parents/guardians may pay tuition in advance (multiple months or the entire year). Tuition is due by the first class of each month. **Payments are to be given to a Chosen staff member.** A receipt is available upon request. Payments can be made either by cash or check. **Checks must be made payable to Westside Baptist Church. A \$10 late fee is charged for monthly payments if not paid by the 15th of each month.**

**Communication Procedures:** Our primary bases of communication is through email. We will also post on our Facebook page for general announcements. For any questions or concerns, you can always contact us at [chosendanceministrywbc@gmail.com](mailto:chosendanceministrywbc@gmail.com) or [mfairfield@westsidebaptist.org](mailto:mfairfield@westsidebaptist.org).

**Missing Class:** We do not reduce prices if a child misses class. Dancers are welcome to make-up the missed class. The make-up class can be a different style, as long as it is on an equivalent level. Again, if a child needs to miss class for an extended period of time (injury, illness, etc), please let us know and we will try to accommodate.

**Ministry Outreach Opportunities:** Our ministry seeks to not only glorify God through dance, but to share His love to others. We will schedule performances within the different worship services at Westside and the community. We will select classes for each community performance. **Not all classes will perform at the same community performance.** There may be extra rehearsals a few weeks prior to these performances. Please make sure your dancer can commit to the rehearsal(s) and performance.

**Dress Code:** The dress code will be strictly enforced. It is important that we are able to see a dancer's body alignment and posture. Therefore, they need to always be in dress code. **Dress code for each class is as follows:**

**Ballet:** Solid color leotard, dance tights, pink ballet shoes, hair in bun or ponytail (ballet skirt optional)

**Jazz/Hip Hop/Acro:** Solid color leotard, dance convertible tights, hair in bun or ponytail (dance shorts or leggings optional)

**Tap:** Solid color leotard, dance convertible tights, tap shoes, hair in bun or ponytail (dance shorts or leggings optional)

**Recital:** We will have our annual recital in Spring of 2021. This will allow the dancers to show what they have been working on throughout the year. Each class will perform at least one dance in the recital.

**Recital: Costumes:** Costumes for the recital will be purchased by the dancer(s) parent/guardian. Students will be able to keep these costumes. **Costume costs will be shared via handout/email before payment is due. We cannot order a costume if we do not receive your payment.** The costumes are shipped to Westside and will be distributed to each child before the recital.

# Chosen Class Schedule

## Fall 2021 - Spring 2022

### **Monday:**

- 3:30-4:00pm ~ Pre-Ballet (2-3 years old)
- 4:00-4:45pm ~ Beginning Ballet (4-6 years old)
- 4:45-5:30pm ~ Intermediate Ballet (7-9 years old)
- 6:30-7:30pm ~ Advanced Jazz (10+ years old)

### **Tuesday:**

- 4:45-5:30pm ~ Beginning Ballet (4-6 years old)
- 5:30-6:15pm ~ Intermediate Ballet (7-9 years old)
- 6:15-7:00pm ~ Intermediate Jazz (7-9 years old)

### **Thursday:**

- 4:00-4:30pm ~ Pre-Ballet/Jazz (2-3 years old)
- 4:30-5:15pm ~ Beginning Ballet/Jazz (4-6 years old)
- 5:15-6:15pm ~ Intermediate Ballet/Jazz (7-9 years old)
- 6:15-7:15pm ~ Advanced Ballet (10+ years old)
- 7:15-8:00pm ~ Advanced Pointe (Teacher Recommendation)

### **Saturday:**

- 9:00-9:30am ~ Pre-Ballet (2-3 years old)
- 9:30-10:15am ~ Beginning Ballet (4-6 years old)
- 10:15-11:00am ~ Intermediate Ballet (7-9 years old)

## **Chosen Class Holidays**

**We will follow a schedule based on the SBAC Calendar**

Thursday, November 11 ~ Veterans Day

Monday, November 22 – Saturday, November 27 ~ Thanksgiving Break

Monday, December 12 – Saturday, January 3 ~ Christmas Break

Saturday, January 15 – Monday, January 17 ~ MLK Jr. Day

Saturday, February 19 – Monday, February 21 ~ President's Day

Monday, March 21 – Saturday, March 26 ~ Spring Break

**Recital Dates & Last Day of Class TBA**

## **Tuition:**

### **Based on Total Weekly Class Time per Family**

30 minutes: \$30/month

45 minutes: \$35/month

60 minutes: \$40/month

75 minutes: \$45/month

90 minutes: \$50/month

105 minutes: \$55/month

120 minutes: \$60/month

\$5 Discount for members of Westside Baptist Church

\$5 Discount for siblings



# Chosen Dance Ministry Registration

Office Use Only - Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Registration Information:

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Relation: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/Medical Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please list each class that your dancer will participate in:

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I, \_\_\_\_\_, as a parent of a child participating in a WBC Sports or Recreation Program, do hereby release, acquit, hold harmless, and forever discharge WBC, its agents, agencies, servants, employees, and all persons, natural or corporate, in privity, with them or any of them from any and all claims or causes of action of any kind whatsoever; including, but not limited to, actions, suits, and/or claims from any bodily injuries, death, or property damage which may be sustained by \_\_\_\_\_, my child, while participating in activity, including travel to and from such activities, not resulting from intentional torturous act or act of agent, servant, or employee of WBC. It is acknowledged that the decision to engage in the above activities is entered into freely, and that WBC, its agents, agencies, servants, and employees have not influenced the decision to engage in such activities.

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Parent / Guardian Signature

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Date