

# School-Age Dance Class Descriptions & Apparel

**Ballet (Beg., Int., & Adv.)- Ages: 7 & up.** Class length: 55 min. This class includes barre work, across the floor work, and center work. It involves the five basic positions of feet and arms, along with various turns, jumps, etc. Students will be placed in the appropriate level by the instructor and according to ability.

Attire: black tank leotard, pink tights, alignment belt, and pink ballet shoes,  
Total: \$48.00 (+ \$3.36 tax)= \$51.36

**Lyrical (Beg., Int., & Adv.)- Ages: 7 & up.** Class length: 55 min. Children must be enrolled in a ballet class. Lyrical class is a soft, flowing form of dance combining ballet, jazz, modern, emotion, and imagination. Lyrical is a newer form of dance that is becoming more popular because of its stage appeal and soothing quality. Students will be placed in the appropriate level by the instructor and according to ability.

Attire: black tank leotard, any wrap skirt, flesh tights, and Pendini sandals. Black tank leotard is required from Patti's  
Total: \$17.00 (+ \$1.19 tax)= \$18.19

**Pointe (Adv.)-** Class length: 55 min. These classes are for advanced dancers. Students are placed in this pointe class by invitation of instructor only. **Teacher Approval Only**

Attire: black tank leotard, pink tights, and two tutus  
Total: \$67.25 (+\$4.71 tax)= \$71.96 and Pink Pointe shoes bought elsewhere

**Jazz (Beg., Int., & Adv.)- Ages: 7 & up.** Class length: 55 min. A warm up is included, progressions across the floor, and combinations in the center of the room. The students focus on body movement, character development, and isolations using today's popular modern steps. Students will be placed in the appropriate level by the instructor and according to ability.

Attire: black tank leotard, black dance boxers, and black split sole Gore boot  
Total: \$64.24 (+\$4.50 tax)= \$68.74

**Tap (Beg., Int., & Adv.)- Ages: 7 & up.** Class length: 55 min. Students begin the class with warm ups at the barre and then move onto steps and combinations across the floor as well as in the center of the floor. This class focuses on tap technique and combinations largely incorporating memory, rhythm, combinations, and timing. Students will be placed in the appropriate level by the instructor and according to ability.

Attire: black tank leotard, black dance boxers, and black Gore tap boot  
Total: \$83.99 (+ \$5.88 tax)= \$89.87 Int. and Adv. need high-heeled taps purchased elsewhere.

**Ballet/Gym- Ages: 5-8 yrs.** Class Length: 55 min. Breakdown: 30 min. dance, 25 min. gymnastics. In the dance portion, the students begin with stretches, go on to barre work, and center work. Students will begin to put combinations together and perform progressions across the floor, concluding the lesson with a song. For gymnastics, the children tumble in the dancing school and then may go to equipment in the gym at different times. This includes bars, beam, floor, and trampolines.

Attire: black tank leotard, pink tights, pink skirt, pink ballet shoes, and white gymnastic shoes  
Total: \$73.75 (+ \$5.16 tax)= \$78.91

**Ballet/Tap/Jazz- Ages: 4-8 yrs.** Class Length: 55 min. Breakdown: 20 min. ballet, 20 min. jazz, 15 min. tap. This class gives students a combination of 3 types of dance. A ballet warm up, barre work, and center. Jazz progressions and basic tap are included.

Attire: black tank leotard, pink tights, pink skirt, pink ballet shoes, black tap shoes and tap ties  
Total: \$76.50 (+\$5.36 tax)= \$81.86

**Ballet/Tap/Gym- Ages: 3 -8 yr. olds.** Class Length: 55 min. Breakdown: 15 min. ballet, 15 min. tap, and 25 min. gymnastics. This class gives the students a combination of two types of dance, as well as gymnastics. The children begin with ballet that includes warm up, ballet technique at the barre, and center work. The tap section includes rhythm, basic tap steps, and combinations. The gymnastics portion will take place in the main gym. The gym activities will include floor, uneven bars, balance beam, and trampoline.

Attire: black tank leotard, pink tights, pink skirt, pink ballet shoes, white gymnastics shoes, tap shoes, and tap ties  
Total: \$94.25 (+\$6.60 tax)= \$100.85

**Tap/Jazz- Ages: 4-8 yr. olds.** Class Length: 55 min. Breakdown: 30 min. jazz, 25 min. tap. This class gives students a combination of 2 types of dance. The class includes a warm up. Then proceeds to the jazz portion of the class where children learn jazz progressions, technique including positions, coordination, and develop their sense of rhythm. The second half of the class will learn basic tap steps, tap technique, and a variety of tap combinations.

Attire: black tank leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes, black tap shoes and tap ties  
Total: \$63.25 (+ \$4.43 tax)= \$67.68

**Jazznastics- Ages: 6-8 yrs.** Class Length: 55 min. This class is a combination of jazz and gymnastics. During the Jazz portion of this class your child will do a warm up, learn progressions across the dance floor, and learn various combinations using the center of the room. In gymnastics your child will tumble on the spring floor and Tumbler Trak. They will learn skills on the balance beam and uneven bars and a variety of jumps on the in-ground trampoline.

Attire: Black tank leotard, black dance shorts, black jazz shoes, and white gymnastics shoes  
Total: \$72.49 (+5.74 tax)= 78.23

**Hip Hop (Beg., Int., & Adv.) and Contemporary Hip Hop (Int./Adv.)- Ages 6 and up.** Class length: 55 min. This class incorporates basic jazz techniques, with popular music and the latest dance moves. Added in are isolations, rhythmic counts, and lots of fun. The instructor combines all of these elements to create a fun form of jazz dancing.

Attire: Comfortable clothing and clean tennis shoes.

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