



Cameron Dancercenter

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Welcome to The Dancercenter!

Our staff is excited about working with our students. As teachers we are happy to share our love of dance and to dedicate our energies and teaching abilities to their development.

Please take a moment to acquaint yourself with our studio policies and information. These policies are intended to insure that every student receives individual attention, an opportunity to advance and to support the disciplines so vital to their success.

We are pleased you have selected the Dancercenter. We pledge ourselves to give each student a qualified program of dance.

The Dancercenter

The Dancercenter offers a complete dance program from Pre-School through Pre-Professional levels. The primary objective of each class is to instill a love of dance and technique for creative performance. This includes students seeking a career in dance or students who want to dance for personal enjoyment and/or physical fitness.

Our programs provide a loving, nurturing and positive environment. This environment is achieved through highly qualified and dedicated teachers committed to promoting self-esteem, self-confidence and positive challenges for every student. The faculty members of the Dancercenter are qualified teachers with extensive training in dance and education. The faculty prides itself on its continued education, new technique and cutting edge choreography.

The Dancercenter is home to The Danscompany of Gainesville Inc., a non profit performing group of inspired dancers. The company presents two major concerts each year: "Cinderella", a full length ballet in December and Spring Concert & "The Wiz" featuring Ballet, Jazz, Modern, Tap and Hip Hop in March. The Danscompany also has a vibrant program of community outreach providing dancers more performance opportunities. The "Chance to Dance" program offers performance and dance training to underserved children in our community.

Additional performance opportunities are provided to students through attendance at various dance competitions twice a year.

The Dancercenter offers dance teacher training through our Teacher Assistant Program. Dancers are invited to assist with classes and receive instruction from the faculty.

Students of The Dancercenter achieve independence, self-expression and self-confidence that help them in competitive situations and in future career choices.

Curriculum, Attire & Rates

Curriculum

Pre-School Program

2 ½ - 3 ½ yrs. Pre-Dance

4 - 5 yrs. Pre-Ballet, Pre-Jazz & Pre-Tap

Youth 6 - 12 yrs. (Beginning through Intermediate)

Ballet, Point, Tap, Jazz, Modern, Hip Hop and Performance

Teens through Adults (Beginning through Advanced)

Ballet, Point, Tap, Jazz, Partnering, Modern, Hip Hop and Contemporary

Class Placement — Students receive class assignments by the level which reflect their progress in dance and not their grade level in school. Class placement will be determined by the instructors and director. Students enrolling for the first time in our intermediate and advanced programs will audition for placement. Students will advance within our dance program based on the individual student's progress and skills and not that of others. In order to progress in the intermediate and advanced programs it is highly recommended that students receive at least two classes in ballet per week.

Attire

Ballet - All levels

Girls: Black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet slippers

Boys and Men: White tee shirt, black tights, white socks, black ballet slippers.

Jazz and Tap - All levels

Girls: Leotards, tights, and appropriate shoes.

Boys and Men: White tee shirt, sweat pants, or jazz pants.

Hip Hop and Boy's Classes: Street clothes and sneakers

2016-2017 Rates

Rates listed below reflect monthly tuition for classes 45 minutes to 1 hour only. Additional tuition is required for classes that are longer than 1 hour.

# of Classes per week	Pre-School Levels	Youth, Teen & Adults
1	\$55/month	\$60/month
2	\$80/month	\$92/month
3	\$100/month	\$121/month
4	\$120/month	\$141/month
5	—	\$160/month
6	—	\$176/month

**One registration fee of \$15.00 per family.*

**2nd family member receives \$5 discount on tuition.*

Studio Policies

Registration and Tuition

Registration is a reservation of a space in a class. Therefore all registration fees are non-refundable and must be paid in full prior to the first class. Registration may be made by mail or in person. Students are not considered enrolled and cannot be assured a class space until a registration card is completed and all fees are paid including the registration fee and first month's tuition. Class sizes are limited and early registration is recommended. *Only one registration fee of \$15.00 per family is required.*

Tuition is monthly and not by the lesson. Tuition is due by the first lesson of the month. It is not our policy to bill. Accounts not paid in full by the 10th of the month will be assessed a \$15.00 late fee. After 2 months delinquency student(s) will be dropped. For summer classes full payment is required at registration. There are no refunds for summer or special classes.

Delinquent Accounts - Accounts which are consistently delinquent will require payment by semester in advance or the student may be denied admission to class. Students with accounts delinquent by greater than 30 days may be denied admission to class until tuition is paid in full.

Return Check Charge - There will be a \$30.00 service charge added to a student's account for all returned checks. It is not our policy to re-deposit returned checks. Late payment could result in removal from class or scheduled event until cash payment is received.

Attendance, Absence & Withdrawal

Attendance - Regular attendance is required to develop and remain proficient in the art of dance. Absentee or poor attendance not only reflects in the negative progress of the student but also has an impact on the consistent progress and development of the class. If you or your child has a problem with class attendance please discuss it with us. We care and want dance and your experience with us to be a positive and joyous one.

Absence Non-Refund Policy - In the event of absence the studio has a non-refund policy unless the missed class is due to extended illness or injury. Class make-ups are available for absence due to illness and must be scheduled within four weeks of the missed class. Check with your teacher or office staff for available classes. Missed classes will not be used as credit towards tuition. Class make-ups must be in a discipline and class level in which the student is enrolled. Monitoring of a class will be considered a lesson and will be billed accordingly.

Withdrawal - The studio must be notified immediately in writing if a student withdraws from the studio or any class. Students are liable for payment as long as their name remains on the class rolls as they occupy a reserved space in the class.

Information

School Calendar

The studio calendar is set on a 10 month basis from September to June and in general follows the local public school's academic schedule. The studio will be open for regular classes during many academic school holidays. Each student receives on average four weeks of instruction per month. There are several months in which five lessons are provided which accounts for the classes missed during major holidays. The studio recognizes that some classes may be short a day. Students may make up missing classes if any in other equivalent classes offered at the studio.

Adults

We offer beginning through advanced classes for adults in all dance forms, and special 6-week classes. Dance is one of the best forms of exercise. Our adults gain poise, confidence, and a great appreciation of dance, while at the same time they have fun. Let us place you in a class. Join us!! You're never too old, and the right time is now!

Observation

We reserve a week and a specific time in the months of October and December for class observation. We understand your interest in what your child is doing and learning in class. The time spent with your child is very important to us. We are protective of making it a time that is enjoyable and profitable for each student. There is little time between classes so if you have a question please leaves them with the receptionist and we will call you and set a time to discuss your question.

Drop Out Prevention

Over the years we have learned that the interest level of children waivers after the newness of class has worn off. Your child may decide they would rather stay home. This is normal and should not be considered a loss of interest. Gentle encouragement is needed in both the classroom and home. Once a child has completed the first year and participated in the Annual Production both parent and child will experience a feeling of accomplishment and pride from their dance experience.

Annual Production

The Dancer Annual Production is held in June and displays a year of work and accomplishment. All students are invited to perform in the production. Participating students will require a costume for each class in which they perform. The costumes are selected by the teachers to offer the greatest value and appearance. The costumes are ordered in December and January and vary in cost. A non-refundable costume deposit of \$50.00 (Pre-School and Youth) and \$60.00 (Teens & Adults) will be required for each costume ordered. Students will be billed in October and deposits must be paid in full by November 10th. Costume Deposits not paid in full will not be ordered. A non-refundable production fee of approximately \$65.00 will be required for each student and is due by April 1st. Costumes are only released when all tuition, charges and account balances are satisfied.

Fall Beginning Level Classes 2016 - 2017

The following Beginning dance classes are offered for your child. The Child **MUST** have reached the age in parentheses by September. **Please Call The Dancer for placement in other level classes.** Please select the class and time you would like and fill it in on your registration card. Be sure to keep this copy of your classes and times for your own records.

DANCENTER - 34TH St

Pre-Dance (2-1/2 - 3-1/2 years)
____ Thursday 3:00 - 3:45
____ Saturday 9:15am - 10:00am
Pre-Ballet (4 - 5 years)
____ Tuesday 5:00 - 5:45
____ Wednesday 3:45 - 4:30
____ Thursday 3:00 - 3:45
____ Saturday 9:45am - 10:30am
Pre-Jazz (4 - 5 years)
____ Monday 2:45 - 3:30
____ Thursday 3:45 - 4:30
____ Saturday 9:00am - 9:45am
Pre-Tap (4 - 5 years)
____ Monday 3:30 - 4:15
Beginning Ballet (6 - 8 years)
____ Wednesday 3:00 - 3:45
____ Saturday 10:30am - 11:15am (6-10 yrs)
Beginning Jazz (6 - 8 years)
____ Wednesday 3:45 - 4:30
____ Saturday 11:15am - 12:00pm (6-10 yrs)
Beginning Tap (6 - 9 years)
____ Thursday 3:45 - 4:30
Beg/Int Tap (9-13)
____ Tuesday 4:15 - 5:00
Hip-Hop (6 - 10 years)
____ Thursday 3:45 - 4:30
Hip Hop Male-Street (8-12)
____ Friday 4:15 - 5:00
Hip Hop (11+)
____ Tuesday 5:00 - 5:45
Modern Beg/Int (8 - 12 years)
____ Monday 5:00 - 5:45
Beginning Ballet (9 - 12 years)
____ Thursday 5:30 - 6:30
Beginning Jazz (9 - 12 years)
____ Thursday 4:30 - 5:30
Beg/Int Ballet (Teen/Adult)
____ Monday 7:15 - 8:15
Beg/Int Jazz (Teen/Adult)
____ Monday 8:15 - 9:15
Beg/Int Tap (Teen/Adult)
____ Wednesday 7:15 - 8:00
Beg/Int Modern (Adults/Teens)
____ Wednesday 6:45 - 7:45
Performance Class (8 +)
____ Friday 4:30 - 5:30
Requirements - check with studio

DANCENTER WEST - HAILE VILLAGE

Mommy & Me (18 mo - 3)
____ Thursday 9:00am - 9:45am
Pre-Dance (2-1/2 - 3-1/2 years)
____ Monday 3:15 - 4:00
____ Thursday 9:45am - 10:30am
____ Saturday 9:00am - 9:45am
Pre-Ballet (4 - 5 years)
____ Wednesday 2:45 - 3:30
____ Thursday 3:00 - 3:45
____ Saturday 9:45am - 10:30am
Pre-Jazz (4 - 5 years)
____ Wednesday 3:30 - 4:15
____ Saturday 10:30am - 11:15am
Pre-Tap (4 - 5 years)
____ Thursday 3:45 - 4:30
Beginning Ballet (6 - 9 years)
____ Tuesday 4:00 - 4:45
____ Saturday 11:15am - 12:00
Beginning Jazz (6 - 9 years)
____ Tuesday 4:45 - 5:30
____ Saturday 12:00 - 12:45
Beginning Tap (6 - 9 years)
____ Tuesday 3:15 - 4:00
Hip Hop (7 - 10)
____ Friday 6:00 - 6:45
Beg/Int Ballet (Teen-Adult)
____ Monday 7:45 - 8:45
Beg/Int Ballet (Adult)
____ Tuesday 8:30am - 9:30am
Beg/Int Tap (Adult)
____ Wednesday 9:30am - 10:15am
Performance Class (8 +)
____ Thursday 4:30 - 5:30
Requirements - check with studio



Classes begin Tuesday, September 6, 2016

Special Dance Rates

It is our desire to provide the opportunity for our students to experience the different forms of dance; Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Contemporary, and Modern. In an effort to make it more affordable for our families, we offer special rates for adding a second and third class for a student. **One registration fee per family is charged. We also offer a \$5.00 discount on the tuition total for a second student listed on the account.**

(45 min or 1 hr class) Monthly Rate:

Pre-Dance Rate 5yr and under Monthly:

The cost for 1 class is	\$60.00	\$55.00
The cost for 2 classes is . . .	\$92.00	\$80.00
The cost for 3 classes is . . .	\$121.00	\$100.00
The cost for 4 classes is . . .	\$141.00	\$120.00
The cost for 5 classes is . . .	\$160.00	
The cost for 6 classes is . . .	\$176.00	

If you are interested in Intermediate or Advanced level classes for you or your family, please call the Dancenter at 352-371-0761 and we will be happy to assist you.

Please note that we are now offering Performance Classes!! See you there!



The Dancenter is pleased to offer classes designed for boys 8-16 years:

HIP HOP/ STREET DANCE CLASS taught by Kirk

If your boy is looking for an exciting dance class join Kirk on: Fridays 4:15 - 5:00 (6-10 years old) & Wednesdays 7:45 - 8:30 (11 - 16 years old) for a complimentary first class to learn the latest moves in Hip Hop and Street Dance!!! This will be a fun positive dance experience for the beginner or more experienced dancer.

JOIN US FOR FUN AT THE

DANCENTER

OPEN

HOUSE

- ◆ **MEET** the Teachers and Staff
- ◆ **REGISTER** for Classes
- ◆ **WATCH** Live Performances by the Danscompany of Gainesville
- ◆ **TOUR** the Studios and **MORE!**

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August 8, 2016
4:00pm - 6:30pm

DANCENTER SW
Haile Village
5211 SW 91st Terr.
Tuesday,
August 9, 2016
4:00pm-6:30pm

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

