

# Competition Level Outline/Requirements

## **RESERVATIONS WITH CHOREOGRAPHERS STARTS**

### **SUNDAY JUNE 26<sup>TH</sup> NO EARLIER THAN 9:00 A.M.**

Below is a list of choreographers available to work with your child for our next competition season. Please select a choreographer from the list below and contact them directly. **YOU MAY BEGIN ASKING SUNDAY JUNE 26<sup>th</sup> STARTING NO EARLIER THAN 9:00 A.M.** Reservations with a choreographer are on a first come basis. If your child is participating in a duet/trio we ask that only one representative of that routine contact the choreographer to avoid confusion. Please do not contact choreographer prior to this date asking them to hold a space. You are welcome to select any choreographer from the following list; it does not need to be your child's teacher.

Peggy, Brittany, Jeri Lynn, Herman, Alicia, Melissa, Brittany, Debbie, Tori, Meredith

#### **Performance "class" level 1**

This class is designed for younger students who are interested in strengthening their performing skills. Students will learn the importance of stage presence, musicality, technique and body placement, and teamwork through performance opportunities at two nationally recognized organizations. Our focus is on performance, NOT competition! This will be taught in a healthy, fun, and positive environment. Students will find this class to be a "tool" in helping them grow in their performance skills.

- Age 8+ years by September 1st
- Students must have completed 2 years of ballet and 1 year of jazz (the "pre" level classes for ages 2-5 do not count towards this requirement.
- Students are required to take 3 classes per week in a level recommended by their teacher. Performance class is "in addition to" this requirement. Taking one ballet and jazz class per week is part of this requirement, however it is recommended that the students take two ballet classes per week.
- Dancers at this level may perform in their Performance Class only.

#### **Performance "class" level 2**

- Ages 10+ years by September 1st
- Students must have completed 3 years of ballet and 2 years of jazz (the "pre" level classes for ages 2-5 do not count towards this requirement.
- Students are required to take 3 classes per week in a level recommended by their teacher. Performance class is "in addition to" this requirement. Taking one ballet and jazz class per week is part of this requirement, however it is recommended that the students take two ballet classes per week.
- Students at this level may choose to do a "duet or trio" along with their Performance class.
- Students at this level must have taken Performance level 1 unless you have a teacher recommendation.

#### **Performance level 3**

- Age 12+ years by September 1st
- Dancers at this level may participate with a solo, duet, or trio. Limit of 2 routines per dancer.
- Dancer's must have participated in one of our Performance classes prior unless they are a member of the Danscompany of Gainesville.
- Single Corp. level of The Danscompany of Gainesville or higher OR teacher recommendation.

