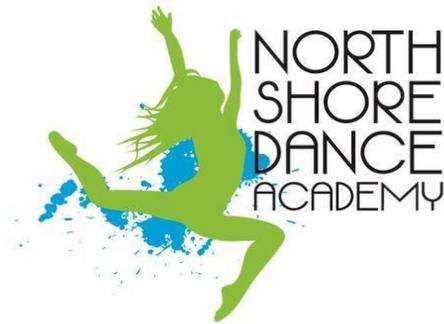


Intensive Fall Registration 2018-2019 Season

Please keep this packet for reference throughout the year



27 Garden Street Unit #2, Danvers Ma 01923
978-304-0893

northshoredanceacademy@hotmail.com for desk questions
www.northshoredanceacademy.com
info@northshoredanceacademy.com

***** Mail your Paperwork and \$30 Per child registration fee to *****
North Shore Dance Academy/Tammy Bolduc
275 Oakland Ave, Methuen, MA 01844

Or visit the studio during the following times

Drop in Registration During June and July

Tuesdays: 9:30-11:30 and 4:00-8:00

Thursdays 6:00-8:00

August times TBA

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Instagram for special offers
and announcements**

North Shore Dance Academy 2018-2019 Season Calendar

<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>
<p>September 1 –Tuition Installment #1 is withdrawn</p> <p>Classes begin on Saturday, September 8</p>	<p>October 1- Tuition Installment #2 is withdrawn</p> <p>October 15-20 Costume Measurement week</p> <p>No afternoon/evening classes on Wednesday, October 31, Halloween.</p>	<p>November 1-Tuition Installment #3 is withdrawn</p> <p>November 3. 5:00-8:00 Family Appreciation Ice cream Social</p> <p>November 5-10 Costume Payment in full is due(\$25 late fee for payments not received by November 15)</p> <p>November 16 all costumes ordered from suppliers</p> <p>No Class on Thursday Thanksgiving, November 22</p>
<u>December</u>	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>
<p>December 1-Tuition Installment #4 is withdrawn</p> <p>Wednesday, December 24 January 1 Holiday Break</p> <p>Last day of classes Saturday, December 22</p>	<p>January 1-Tuition Installment #5 is withdrawn</p> <p>Classes Resume Wednesday, January 2</p>	<p>February 1-Tuition Installment #6 is withdrawn</p> <p>February 18-23 Vacation</p>
<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>
<p>March 1-Tuition Installment #7 is withdrawn</p> <p>March 1-3 WCDE</p> <p>Summer programs announced</p>	<p>April 1-Tuition #8 is withdrawn</p> <p>April 1 Recital Tickets go on Sale (\$20)</p> <p>April 15-20 Vacation</p>	<p>May 1-Tuition #9 is Withdrawn</p> <p>Last Day of regular class, Thursday May 16</p> <p>Dress Rehearsal Dates: Saturday May 11(upon school committee approval)</p> <p>Recital dates May 18-19(4 shows total) Performing Arts campus at Lawrence High School(upon school committee approval)</p>
<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
<p>New England Dance Festival TBA</p> <p>Summer classes are available to all of our interested students at NSDA</p>	<p>Registration packets for the fall season will be available and returning student registration will begin</p>	<p>Registration is taken all summer for new students</p>

General North Shore Dance Academy Information and Mission Statement

North Shore Dance Academy prides itself on offering a quality dance education in a motivating and nurturing environment. Our goal is to provide an education to the “whole” child, not just the dancer, while fostering a “feels like home” experience for the entire family.

We hope that your experience at North Shore Dance Academy is a pleasant one that will keep you wanting to be a part of the family for a long time and will want to share your feedback with friends

Why Choose NSDA?

There are many reasons you should choose North Shore Dance Academy for your child’s dance education. Here are just a few:

- All four of our dance classrooms have closed circuit television so that parents may observe every class all year round. Our families really enjoy the opportunity to watch their children progress from week to week.
- Four classrooms are offered on all days of instruction. Many families register multiple children for classes that run at the same time making their carpool lives much easier.
- Sibling discounts are available for families with multiple children.
- Our staff prides itself on staying current with the times. Our instructors further their dance education throughout the course of each year, attending conferences, conventions and many are members of teaching organizations such as The Dance Teacher Club of Boston, Dance Masters of America and Dance Educators of America. All of this means that your children are receiving the most current dance training available to them.
- The Staff of North Shore Dance Academy cares for your children. We believe in offering a program where your child can grow as both a dancer and a person. Many of our students begin their dance training at the age of three and follow through until high school graduation and beyond. The children are learning so much more than dance technique. Call to find out more about us and how you and your child can become a member of the NSDA Family.
- North Shore Dance Academy is a member of the International Dance Entrepreneurs Association. Being a member of this organization holds studio owners accountable for providing a stellar customer service experience, respect for others as well as themselves. Members must abide by a rule of conduct and a code of ethics including but not limited to.
 1. Offering dance education with an emphasis on maintaining age-appropriate movement, music and costuming
 2. Committing to the principle of integrity in business practices, teaching and other professional activities
 3. Committed to being upfront and straightforward with clientele regarding fees and expenses related to participating in programs classes and costuming
- In May of 2018 NSDA became a Wingman for Dance studio. The mission of Wingman for Dance is to inspire dancers, regardless of age, level or skill to become helpful heroes that go above and beyond for each other. Wingman boosts children’s confidence and recognizes their unique strengths. Wingman will improve the overall vibe of our studio by creating an atmosphere of connection and belonging. We are so excited about what this means for the family members of NSDA and look forward to sharing activities that aide our students in growing to be wonderful people in and out of the classroom.

A Note from Miss Tammy:

We want you and your child's experience at NSDA to be a fantastic one. Dance Education is our specialty but we also want you as parents to be happy with the life lessons that we are helping to teach your children. They (and you) will hopefully make lifelong friends within the NSDA walls. We take our job as dance educators and role models very seriously. We appreciate your help in keeping the atmosphere at the studio positive and encouraging to everyone that walks through the doors. We appreciate your help in redirecting negative conversations within the NSDA space. Together we can raise some pretty special people, not to mention some very talented dancers. – There is something for everyone at North Shore Dance Academy

General Intensive Guidelines

Attendance: Attendance is KEY to success in any dance program. All students are expected to be in all of their assigned classes. Please do not register for other activities that directly conflict with your dance training as it stunts your progress as well as the progress of your teammates. Intensive students are allowed 6 absences a year regardless of the reason for missing. There is opportunity to make up occasional absences in other classes but other classes should not be used as a substitute for your teams registered classes. In order for us to keep our promises about the classes we are providing and protect all the students in the class we need your cooperation. Please be sure to call the studio or email the desk at northshoredanceacademy@hotmail.com to report when your child will not be in class when you call or email in their absence we will make sure that you know the possible times that the class can be made up to stay in good standing

Dress Code: Ballet classes: Black leotard, pink tights, hair in a classical bun. All other subjects require Dance clothes (no shirts, sweatpants etc). The students should not change their outfits in between classes as it cuts into their dance time. Be prepared for your entire day with your first class.

Etiquette: I would love help from students and parents in redirecting any and all negative talk in the waiting room, dressing room, classroom, social media etc. It is best not to participate or engage in negativity at all. It will be a much happier experience for everyone. We encourage dancers that are having conflicts to have conversations with each other at the start of the conflict. If a staff member sees a problem between dancers in the classroom we will diffuse it when it is noticed. We ask that parents do the same with conflict that happens outside of the classroom as well. Thank you for your cooperation on this to keep a healthy atmosphere in the dance studio and with our dancers/parents in general. Although there are many teams we are all North Shore Dance Academy and should be supportive of all members. Negative talk about team members or teachers from students or parents could result in dismissal from the program.

Competitions: WCDE will once again be a required convention competition for our intensive dancers with the exception of Peach. Students should be prepared to rehearse during February Vacation week. We will be doing two spring competitions and when those dates are set in stone we will pass them along.

Competitions and recitals are a mandatory part of a competition class. In the event that a competing student cannot fulfill a performance or competition obligation an understudy will replace them. The original student that cannot fulfill the obligation is responsible for all competition fees for the replacement and will allow the understudy to borrow the costume for the event.

Fees: I cannot express the importance of planning ahead so that your competition and convention fees reach the studio in full and on time. Please have your fees to us BY the due date. Once again we will be adding a \$25 late fee to accounts that are late.

Summer Program: This program is required the summer before for any dancer in our Intensive Program. Although 8 classes are mandatory, more are encouraged. Take advantage of as many classes as you can. The more you take, the more you grow, the more you grow, the better you get. There is a tremendous amount of reward when hard work pays off. Give yourself the opportunity to know what that feels like.

Let's all be part of a team that starts with respect, fairness and kindness. With that as our base we cannot go wrong.

Intensive Program Class Requirements and Fees

INTENSIVE STUDENT FAMILY CAP: \$420 per month

<p><u>Peach Team</u> Thursday 3:30-4:15 Ballet (Miss Melissa) Thursday 4:15-5:00 Tap (Miss Melissa) Friday 5:30-6:30 Jazz (Miss Kristen)</p> <p>Core requirement Tuition: \$135/month 2 ½ hours</p> <p>Bloch Tan U-Buckle Tap, Bloch Tan Jazz shoes, pink ballet slippers</p>	<p><u>Ruby Team</u> Tuesday 4:30-5:30 Jazz (Miss Ali) Tuesday 5:30-6:30 Ballet (Miss Lisa GC) Wednesday 4:30-5:30 Jazz(Miss Melissa) Friday 5:30-6:30 Tap (Miss Melissa) Friday 6:30-7:30 Ballet (Miss Kristen)</p> <p>Core requirement tuition: \$210/month 5 hours</p> <p>Bloch Tan U-Buckle Tap, Bloch Tan Jazz shoes, pink ballet slippers</p>	<p><u>Rose Team</u> Monday 5:30-6:30 Lyrical (Miss Melissa) Monday 6:30-7:30 Jazz(Miss Nikki) Wednesday 5:30-6:30 Ballet (Miss Charlene) Wednesday 6:30-7:30 Jazz (Miss Melissa) Thursday 5:00-6:00 Ballet (Miss Nikki) Thursday 6:00-7:00 Tap (Miss Joanna)</p> <p>Core Requirement tuition: \$235/month 6 hours</p> <p>Bloch Tan U-Buckle Tap, Bloch Tan Jazz shoes, pink ballet slippers</p>
<p><u>Teal Team</u> Tuesday 4:30-5:30 Jazz (Miss Krissy) Tuesday 5:30-6:30 Ballet (Miss Lauren A) Wednesday 5:30-6:30 Jazz(Miss Melissa) Wednesday 6:30-7:30 Ballet (Miss Charlene) Thursday 4:30-5:30 Lyrical (Miss Ali) Thursday 5:30-6:30 Tap (Miss Melissa)</p> <p>Core requirement tuition: \$235/month 6 hours</p> <p>Bloch Tan U-Buckle Tap, Bloch Tan Jazz shoes, pink ballet slippers</p>	<p><u>Mini Company (formerly Violet)</u> Monday 4:30-6:00 Ballet (Miss Stacie) Monday 6:00-7:00 Lyrical (Miss Lauren A) Tuesday 5:30-6:45 Jazz (Miss Ali) Tuesday 6:45-8:00 Ballet (Miss Ali) Wednesday 4:00-5:30 Jazz(Miss Joanna) Wednesday 5:30-6:30 Tap (Miss Stacie)</p> <p>Core requirement tuition: \$270/month 7 ½ hours</p> <p>Pink Ballet slippers. Other shoes determined after costumes are chosen. Wear what you have for now.</p>	<p><u>Junior Company (formerly Minis)</u> Tuesday 6:30-8:00 Ballet (Miss Lauren A) Tuesday 8:00-9:30 Jazz (Miss Lauren A) Wednesday 4-5:30 Jazz (Miss Stacie) Wednesday 5:30-7:00 Ballet (Miss Joanna) Thursday 5:00-6:00 Tap (Miss Joanna) Thursday 6:00-7:00 Lyrical (Miss Ali)</p> <p>Core Requirement tuition: \$285/month 8 hours</p> <p>Pink Ballet slippers. Other shoes determined after costumes are chosen. Wear what you have for now.</p>
<p><u>Intermediate Company (formerly Juniors)</u> Monday 6:30-8:00 Ballet (Miss Melissa) Monday 8:00-9:30 Jazz (Miss Melissa) Wednesday 7:00-8:00 Lyrical (Miss Stacie) Wednesday 8-9:30 Jazz (Miss Joanna) Thursday 7:00-8:00 Tap (Miss Joanna) Thursday 8:00-9:30 Ballet (Miss Ali)</p> <p>Core requirement tuition: \$285/month 8 hours</p> <p>Pink Ballet slippers. Other shoes determined after costumes are chosen. Wear what you have for now.</p>	<p><u>Senior (15-16) Company Formerly Intermediates</u> Monday 6:00-7:30 Jazz (Miss Stacie) Monday 7:30-8:30 Lyrical (Miss Stacie) Wednesday 7:00-8:00 Tap (Miss Joanna) Wednesday 8:00-9:30 Ballet (Miss Melissa) Thursday 6:30-8:00Ballet (Miss Melissa) Thursday 8:00-9:30 Jazz (Miss Joanna)</p> <p>Core requirement tuition: \$285/month 8 hours</p> <p>Pink Ballet slippers. Other shoes determined after costumes are chosen. Wear what you have for now.</p>	<p><u>Senior (17-18) Formerly Seniors</u> Monday 7:00-8:30 Ballet (Miss Lauren A) Monday 8:30-9:30 Lyrical (Miss Stacie) Tuesday 6:30-8:00 Ballet (Miss Lisa GC) Tuesday 8:00-9:30 Jazz (Miss Ali) Wednesday 7:00-8:00 Tap (Miss Joanna) Wednesday 8:00-9:30 Jazz (Miss Stacie)</p> <p>Core requirement tuition: \$285/month 8 hours</p> <p>Pink Ballet slippers. Other shoes determined after costumes are chosen. Wear what you have for now</p>
<p><u>OPTIONAL Classes</u> Saturday 8:30-10 Age 15-18 Pointe (Miss Lisa GC) Saturday 12:00-1:30 Age 12-14 Pointe (Miss Lisa GC) Tuesdays 3:30-4:30 Age 7-10 Comp HH(Miss Ali) Thursday 7:00-8:00 Age 10-13Comp HH(Miss Ali) Thursday 3:30-4:30 Age 13 and over(Miss Ali)Comp HH (Class is at maximum. No new students. Prior students grandfathered in for this year)</p>	<p><u>OPTIONAL: Non Performing technique enhancing classes(These classes do not participate in a recital)</u> Monday 3:30-4:30 <u>Acro</u> ages 8 and up(Miss Melissa) Friday 3:30-4:30 <u>Acro</u> ages 8 and up(Miss Melissa) Friday 4:30-5:30 <u>Stretch/strength/stamina</u> (Miss Melissa) Friday 6:30-7:00 <u>Jazz technique</u> (Miss Melissa) Friday 7:30-8:30 <u>Ballet technique</u> (Miss Kristen) Wed 3:15-4:00 <u>Tap technique</u> (Miss Joanna)</p>	<p><u>Optional class pricing: Add this amount to your core requirement tuition</u></p> <p>1 optional class \$30/month 2 optional classes \$40/month 3 optional classes \$50/month Unlimited optional classes \$60/month</p> <p>Please include the optional classes you are taking on your registration form and adjust your monthly tuition accordingly</p>

North Shore Dance Academy

Student Registration Form 2018-2019

Student's Name (First & Last): _____ Date of Birth _____ Entering Grade _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/Town: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Preferred Phone _____ Emergency Phone _____

Parents Names _____

Monthly newsletters/reminders and important information are sent via email please provide your email address below to receive all of this important information

Email address _____

Please advise us of any medical conditions that may affect the student's participation:

Agreement for Participation

I understand that dance classes may include, without limitation, dancing with props, stretching, barre work, across the floor combinations, dance routines in the center, and other related activities. I further understand that all of the activities of the dance class involve some degree of risk of strain or bodily injury. North Shore Dance Academy is not responsible for personal property that is lost or stolen. Please do not bring valuables to dance class. Teaching Dance is hands on and at times it may be necessary to touch the students to have them understand which muscles are necessary for the exercises. Often times we take photographs in class, rehearsals and recitals to be used in advertising. We never associate the names of students with the photographs to protect privacy but use these photos often. All enrolled students will be included on the end of the year cast lists.

Registration in our program implies that you understand this agreement and will support and adhere to the following NSDA policies

I agree to be responsible for reading studio correspondence and respecting deadlines, if applicable which will be provided in this packet and then by email for future months.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the enclosed packet and have discussed it with my child and that participation in this program is dependent upon the acceptance and follow through of the policies explained.

Date: _____ Parent Signature: _____

List Your Team and any optional classes you are taking here:

Monthly withdrawal amount _____ to be automatically withdrawn on the 1st of each month.

Tuition will be deducted from the account that you provide information for on the back side of this form. Tuition will not be collected at the desk. All tuition will be paid via automatic withdrawal on the 1st of each month.

Registration Fee: \$ 30 DUE NOW

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:
DATE REG: _____ REG FEE RECEIVED _____ MONTHLY TUITION _____ AUTO RECORDED _____

North Shore Dance Academy

This form is for the student or students listed here _____

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER AUTHORIZATION FORM

Please fill out either the check or credit card debit portion in full and then sign the two spaces below indicating that you understand the withdrawal policy and missed attempts policy.

For Checking account payments:

As a check signer on the account listed below I authorize North Shore Dance Academy to perform scheduled electronic funds transfer debits from my account identified below for my child's yearly tuition that will be broken down into 9 Monthly installments on the 1st of each month Starting September 1st.

I understand and authorize all of the above as evidenced by my signature below.

AUTHORIZING SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Financial Institution account "identifying information":

Enter financial institution account information into the fields provided below or attach a blank VOID check. (Preferred)

Routing Number _____ Account number _____

OR

Credit Card Authorization

I authorize North Shore Dance Academy to perform scheduled electronic funds transfer debits from my account identified below for my child's yearly tuition that will be broken down into 9 Monthly installments on the 1st of each month Starting September 1st.

Card Type: _____ Card # _____ Expiration date: _____

Cvv2 # _____ (3 digit code on the back of the card)

Signature: _____ Printed Name on the card _____

Date of enrollment: _____

OR

Paid in full Option:

I wish to forgo the monthly electronic deductions and choose to pay the year in full at this time. I understand that this paid in full option is only available during the registration period by using this method the \$30 registration fee will be waived

Parent signature _____

Withdrawal Policy Everyone should read and sign this

By authorizing these debit deductions I understand that if for any reason my child decides that they will not continue with their dance education I am responsible for notifying North Shore Dance Academy with a written 30 day notice withdrawal form. I also understand that I will be responsible for the month's tuition deduction if I fail to do so.

Parent Signature _____

Missed Attempts PolicyIMPORTANT

I know that I am responsible for letting NSDA know of any changes in my account prior to tuition being processed each month. If for any reason my account does not clear when NSDA processes my payment on the 1st of the month, I understand that I will be notified and my account will be attempted again on the 5th of the month. If after a second attempt my payment is unable to be processed I will be required to bring a payment to the desk and will be charged an additional \$25 processing/late fee.

Parent Signature _____

Please Drop off at the desk or mail to:
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