

NON-PERFORMANCE CLASSES are available throughout the season. These classes are an option for those students who wish not to perform in the show, or those who would like to take an extra class.

BULLETIN BOARD, located in our waiting room area, changes monthly. **You are responsible for all information located on the board.**

COMPETITION PROGRAM - Dance is a sport like any other. Students interested in competing or pursuing dance on a professional level are encouraged to develop themselves in our competition program. We will compete in four regional competitions this season. You must receive approval from a director to be part of the team. Accept the challenge!

MAKE UP CLASSES may be made up at anytime. There is no need to call for an appointment. Review the schedule, choose a convenient class offered for your age and come on in! Approved make up classes include: if you're out ill, there is a snow day or a personal religious holiday. We strongly encourage making up any classes missed to maintain the continuity of your child's dance education.

CLASS PREPAREDNESS is very important! Not only should you arrive early, but get a drink, go to the bathroom & make sure your hair is up **BEFORE CLASS STARTS!** The beginning of class is designed to warm up the body to prevent injuries. If the child has missed the warm up, the teacher may ask them to sit down and watch the class to prevent injury.

SNOW DAYS may happen! If they do, the best way to check if we're closed is tune in to WTHN channel 8 or call the studio and check our phone message machine. Makeups for these classes may be made at any time! Check your master schedule.

PERSONAL PROPERTY is not the responsibility of Back Stage Dance Center LLC. Please put the student's name on the tags of clothing, jackets, bags, in shoes, etc. There is a lost and found bin located in the student dressing room area.

COSTUMES will be ordered the first week in November, in order to assure availability of sizes and prompt arrival. Your costume payment will be spread out over three months (October, November & December). Final costume payments must be received by December 1, 2010. Costumes not paid in full will not be ordered.

DRESS CODE POLICY - Student's should be dressed properly in order to receive proper guidance from the instructor. This policy is important for the safety and education of the student. Please read carefully and contact us with any questions or concerns.

FOR ALL CLASSES:

HAIR must be up: i.e. (pony tail, braids, buns).

Short hair should be pulled up off the face as much as possible.

TIGHTS must always be worn. Tights help to warm up muscles and protect the dancers legs and feet.

LEOTARD may be whatever sleeve length the dancer is conformable in. Unitards are also acceptable.

SHOES **Jazz & Hip Hop:** Black Oxfords (any brand)

Ballet: Pink Leather Ballet Slippers (any brand)

Modern, Lyric, Acrobatics: Bare Feet

Tap: (girls age 2-7) Black Patent and Leathers with Ties (any brand)