Expressions Academy of Dance Presents...



Dress Rehearsals

Dress Rehearsals at Expressions Academy Show #1- Monday, December 10th Show #2- Tuesday, December 11th Show #3- Wednesday, December 12th Show #4- Thursday, December 13th

Performances

Show #1- Friday, December 14th @ 6:00 pm Show #2-Saturday, December 15th pm @12:00 pm Show #3- Saturday, December 15th @ 3:00 pm Show #4- Saturday, December 15th @ 6:00 pm

Please arrive half an hour early to check in with your class parent volunteers and EAD Staff. Students should arrive in changing leotard and tights, with hair and make up done. Shoes should be in a bag with their name clearly labeled.

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Important Dates to Remember:

Dates	Reminders
October 20th	Last day to register for classes Last day to sign up for recital Last day to order changing leotard & tights Costume & Recital fees due
November 15th-17th	Pictures @ the Studio
December 10th-13th	Dress Rehearsals @ Expressions Academy
December 14th & 15th	All Wrapped Up Show @ Woodcreek High School

Tights, Shoes, Hair, and Makeup

Tights

To ensure that there are no discrepancies in color and style, tights will be available for purchase at the studio. (Note: Having a second pair of tights on hand offers students and parents a great sense of security.)

Shoes

Be sure that all shoes are cleaned prior to the recital.

If you purchase dance shoes just before the recital, please break them in (indoors) so that they are pliable and comfortable for the recital.

Hair and makeup

Students under the age of 12 are not required to wear makeup for the recital, however a little color on the cheeks and lips is recommended due to the bright stage lights.

Costumes & Recital Fee - Due October 20th

Costume Rental Fee- Due October 20th- Last Day to Register \$30- Ages 2-8 \$40- Ages 9+ ** Price is per costume/class**

We spend many hours selecting the costumes for each class. They are always ageappropriate and of the highest quality possible. Students will need one costume for each class they train in. Costume rentals include all accessories (hats, gloves, etc.)

Recital Fee- Due October 20th

The recital fee is \$50 per family. It includes a T-shirt for each dancer. The recital fee goes towards renting the facility, lighting and sound technicians and janitorial staff. The fee is \$50 for the family, not per student.

Costume and Reictal Fee payment is due by the 20th of October by cash, check or credit card. If you are enrolled in our auto pay program for tuition, **costume fees are NOT pulled** from that card unless you ask the office staff to do so.

Be Prepared

Planning

The recital isn't a one-day activity. Gather all changing leotards, tights, accessories, shoes, and makeup several days in advance so you'll know if something is missing or isn't right. Make a checklist of your child's routines, listing the costume, tights, shoes, and any accessories, and refer to it to make sure you have all your supplies before going to the theater.

Dress Rehearsal

Participation in the dress rehearsal is *mandatory*. Rehearsals will be held in our studio at Expressions Academy. The dress rehearsal allows the students to become familiar with the other children in the show, set changes, music cues and more. This will help ensure a professional show! Please arrive at least 15 minutes before your dancer's call time. Dancers will wear their dress code for class as well as their recital T Shirt.

Dress Rehearsal Times for each show- Monday- Thursday

3:30-4:30- Creative Movement, Dance Discovery

4:30-5:30- Pre Ballet, Ballet & Tap, Hip Hop Minis, Acro Minis

5:30-6:30- All Classes ages 6-9 (Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Acro, Musical Theater)

6:30-7:30- All Classes 8+ (Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Lyrical, Acro)

7:30-8:30- Adult Classes

Recital Photography, Videos, and T-Shirts

Recital photos

Class photos on will be taken 15th-17th at Expressions Academy. Dates and times are subject to change. After the group photo shoot, students may choose to have solo portraits made in any or all of their costumes. There is no obligation to purchase photos. Please arrive at least 15 minutes before your child's scheduled time since photo shoots tend to run ahead of schedule. Hair and makeup should be done as for a performance.

Recital Tickets

Ticket Policies

Tickets go on sale Monday, November 5th and cost \$10 each through Dance Recital Ticketing **online**. All studio accounts (tuition, costumes, recital fee, etc.) must be paid in full before family members may purchase recital tickets. Monday, November 5th through Saturday, November 10th, current EAD families only are able to purchase 4 tickets per show, Beginning, Monday, November 12th tickets are on open sale, first come, first serve. Get your tickets early, shows sell out quickly!

Recital Policies

Video and photography

Expressions Academy partners with the professionals of SpiceRack Productions to record our shows. DVD's and BlueRays are available for purchase. **Please note: No video or photography will be allowed at the recital.**

Auditorium rules

No eating, or drinking, is allowed in the auditorium or dressing rooms. During the recital, when the dancers are not onstage they must remain in the dressing rooms with their class moms.

Backstage

Family members and friends are not permitted backstage or in the dressing rooms during rehearsals or the recital, including and before and after the show. There is a lot of backstage activity in a limited space, and dressing rooms are private areas. Please remind your family and guests to be respectful of these areas. Those who wish to greet performers after the show or present flowers may do so in the lobby areas.

Dance Dad Performance Opportunity!

Calling all dance dads for a fun and exciting recital routine! Dazzle the audience with your super hip dance moves! This one is just Dads! It's your moment to shine!

Rehearsals:

Saturday, November 3rd 9:30-10:30 Saturday, November 10th 9:30-10:30 Saturday, December 1st 9:30-10:30

Cost: \$30- Includes 3 rehearsals and a custom Dance Dad T Shirt!

Please sign up with the front office if you are interested!