WELCOME TO THE

# PREMIERE DANCE PROJECT

FAMILY

# WELCOME PACKET

2018-2019



# **WE ARE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!**

Amanda and Aunica welcome you to Premiere Dance Project. Thank you for choosing Premiere as your dance home! We are thrilled to share our love and knowledge of dance with each and every one of our students.

Supplemental information to this packet can be found at www.premieredanceproject.com. In addition, if you ever have any questions, please feel free to contact us at office@preimieredanceproject.com.

We look forward to dancing with you!

Amanda and Aunica

# **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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# **OUR PROJECT**

At Premiere we strive to create an environment where dancers can develop themselves individually, physically, and artistically. We are passionate about dance education, instilling confidence, and empowering every student to achieve their goals. We believe that every goal is important and every dancer is unique. Our variety of recreational and competitive classes allow our students to individualize their training all while being a part of the Premiere family.

# **OUR VALUES**

#### **INTEGRITY**

We maintain the highest moral and ethical principles of dance training.

#### **EXCELLENCE**

We are committed to helping our dancers exceed expectations.

#### **TEAMWORK**

We value the importance of cultivating relationships that support and challenge our dancers on their journey to success.

#### **ARTISTRY**

We believe in nurturing the creativity in dancers of all ages.

# **CONTRIBUTION**

We engage in meaningful opportunities that allow our passion for dance to impact various communities.

#### **EVOLUTION**

We are dedicated to adopting innovative teaching philosophies to prepare our dancers for the demands of today's dance industry.



# **CLASSES**

Our Dance Studio offers a large variety of dance classes for all skill levels. Our experienced instructors are passionate about helping each dancer achieve their highest potential by creating a positive space for dancers of all ages and levels to express themselves. We are sure to have a class that fits your needs.

### INTRODUCTORY CLASSES | 18 mo. - 6 years

Mommy & Me Creative Concepts Discover Dance KinderCombo

#### CORE CURRICULUM | Ages 6+

Ballet, Tap, Jazz

# EXTENDED STUDY | Ages 6+ | Level I-IV

Lyrical, Contemporary, Pointe, Acro, Hip Hop, Industry Experience, Training Class, Stretch and Skill, Condition and Strength

#### PERSONAL TRAINING FOR DANCERS

Premiere instructors specialize in dance fitness with a background in athletic training, kinesiology, and anatomy. Personal dance training allows for dancers to work individually or in a small group with trainers in order to develop functional movement efficiency, strength, and endurance. Trainers focus on bilateral stability and mobility to prevent injury. This is a great way to take your dance training to the next level. Premiere welcomes any dancer to this program.



# **STUDIO POLICIES**

**DRESS CODE** | Complete, updated dress code can be found online at: https://www.premieredanceproject.com/studio-policies

**BALLET REQUIREMENT** | Ballet is required for all levels in order to enroll in any additional classes. Enrolling in Hip Hop and Acro is an exception to this rule. (i.e. - A student wanting to take a jazz, tap, or extended study class, must also enroll in Ballet. A student only wanting to take hip hop or acro is not required to enroll in ballet.)

**CLASS ATTENDANCE** | Parents, please be sure to notify the studio by phone or email if your child is sick or planning to be absent from class. It is imperative that dancers attend class regularly to continue growth. If your child is injured, they are still expected to attend class and observe. Missed classes will not be refunded.

**OBSERVATION OF CLASSES** | A viewing window is available for parents and siblings to watch. Please be respectful of studio property and others around you when in the waiting area.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER** | If the weather is questionable please expect an email confirming any changes to the class schedule. Updates will be posted on our social media.

**FEEDBACK** | Premiere values your feedback. Please let us know how we are doing by contacting us by phone or email.



# **ACCOUNTS**

**REGISTRATION FEE** | Upon fall registration, a fee of \$25 per dancer or \$45 per family is due. Registration fees are non-refundable.

**TUITION** | Monthly tuition is automatically withdrawn from your account on the 1st of every month. Please submit a direct payment form before the beginning of fall classes. If you choose to pay by check or card, you must pay semesterly or yearly.

Tuition is calculated yearly and divided into 10 equal payments. Individual dancer tuition caps at \$300 and family tuition caps at \$550. Declined transactions will result in a penalty fee.

**COSTUME PAYMENT** | There will be a \$75 costume deposit due on October 1st. On February 1st, 50% of the remaining total costume bill is due. On March 1st, the total remaining costume balance will be due in full. Costume payments are non-refundable.

**RECITAL FEE** | On February 1st, a non-refundable recital fee of \$95 per dancer or \$180 per family is due.

**SUMMER CLASSES** | Summer classes will have no registration fee, costume payment, or recital fee. Payment options for summer classes include check or card. There will be no tuition caps on summer tuition.



# **PRICING**

Up to date class pricing can be found here: https://www.premieredanceproject.com/accounts-pricing.

# **PREMIERE COMPANY**

At Premiere we offer the option of competitive dance to serious dancers. Being a part of the Company gives multiple performance and educational opportunities. Premiere Dance Company is a team and requires dedication from all of its members. We take pride in nurturing relationships between all instructors and company members by creating an atmosphere that supports growth and individuality. Company members learn about teamwork, gain lasting friendships, and create lifelong memories.

Being part of the Company is a privilege and requires an audition during the summer. Auditions for the 2018-2019 Company will be held on August 5th. Dancers are strongly encouraged to attend the Company Intensive July 30th - August 3rd.

Please inquire to obtain the Premiere Dance Company Handbook and for any other questions you might have.