

Tuition

Summer tuition is due at the time of registration. Principle Dance accepts cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, and Discover.

Registration Fee: An annual \$25 registration fee will be charged per immediate family. Summer '17 students returning in the fall will not owe the fee for 2017/2018 registration.

Returned Checks: A \$25 fee will be applied to all returned checks.

Punch cards: May not be used for workshops or intensives. Shared with immediate family members only. Non-refundable, non-transferable. Class schedule subject to change.

Policies

1. **Missed Classes:** Missed classes may be made up during the summer session if there is an alternate class with appropriate age and technical level available. **No credit or refund will be given for missed classes.** Students should ask their teacher for appropriate make up classes and times.
2. **Canceled Classes:** Principle Dance reserves the right to cancel or reschedule classes due to low enrollment and scheduling conflicts. In this case, a refund or credit will be available.
3. **Student Withdrawal:** **No refunds will be given** for student withdrawal from the summer session.
4. **Class Observation:** Parents and friends are welcome to observe all classes on the monitor in the sitting area.

Principle DANCE

*Creative, Nurturing, Professional
Since 2007*

Summer 2017

Classes start at Age 2

Ballet & Pointe

Jazz

Hip Hop

Creative Movement w/ Brain Dance

Tap (In the Fall)

Contemporary Modern (In the Fall)

Special for Summer:

4 Class Punch Cards

Family Hip Hop

Pathway Intensive

Nutcracker Workshop

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THE PRINCIPLE DANCE PHILOSOPHY

Why dance?

Dance improves quality of life through the body, mind, and spirit. It is excellent exercise, teaches patience and discipline, and cultivates an appreciation for the performing arts. Because it is fun, dance is also uplifting and reduces stress. At Principle Dance, we offer a meaningful experience for dancers of various ages and experience while balancing discipline and fun.

Why Principle Dance?

- ◆ **Our Resident Artist Program** bridges the gap between our students and the professional dance world. Each year, an esteemed choreographer mentors Pathway students and performs excellent dance for our families at our Forest Park location.
- ◆ **We provide an excellent education in dance technique.** We take our name seriously and maintain high standards of excellence. Our teachers have a dance or teaching degree and all utilize the Principle Dance curriculum. Continued innovation combined with a love of teaching and a passion for the art of dance provides a positive learning environment for students. We offer a variety of classes within 3 distinct programs specifically tailored to the interests of different types of dancers. Our carefully planned curriculum ensures continuity and progress as students advance over time. Limited class size provides students with the individual attention that they need.
- ◆ **We cultivate artists.** Dance is a performance art, and performance is the culmination of the hours spent in the studio practicing technique. This experience develops poise and self-esteem. The transition from the comfort of the studio to the magic of the stage is where artistry truly comes into play. We perform *The Nutcracker* in December and a June Recital with an original storyline.
- ◆ **We value our students' safety and well being.** Our studio is equipped with sprung floors which absorb impact and relieve stress on the ankles, knees, and spine. Our instructors teach proper anatomical alignment in order to prevent injury. Our beautiful and spacious studios allow the dancers to search for the full extent of their movement without being hindered by lack of space. Classes may always be observed on the monitors in the sitting areas.
- ◆ **Principle Dance is convenient.** We are located near the intersection of Roosevelt Rd. and Des Plaines Ave. in close proximity to Oak Park, Riverside, River Forest, and Berwyn. We have ample parking. Friendly assistance is available at our service desk during class times. We require a dress code consisting of general items that are easily accessible.

Summer Classes June 27th—July 29th

PATHWAY INTENSIVE

Tuition will be prorated for July 4th.

FAMILY CLASS CARDS

Dance a lot. Dance a little.

You decide with a

4 class family punch card.

Good for any class and every immediate family member. \$70.

(Some terms apply.)

Early Development Program

Ages 2-7 years. This program offers a fun & creative introduction to dance with a Brain Dance foundation.

Joy of Movement: (2 y.o.*)

\$75 for 5 classes. Sat. 9:00-9:30 a.m.

Parent attends w/student.

Creative Movement: (3 y.o.*)

\$77.50 for 5 classes. Tues. 4:30-5:15 p.m.,

Sat. 9:30-10:15 a.m.

Discover Dance: (4-5 y.o.*)

\$77.50 for 5 classes. Tues. 4:30-5:15 p.m.,

Sat. 11:00-11:45 a.m.

Pre-Ballet 1: (6 y.o.*)

\$77.50 for 5 classes. Tues. 5:15-6:00 p.m.,

Sat. 10:15-11:00 a.m.

*Age by September 1, 2017

The Home Program

Ages 6-18 years. This program offers a recreational approach without sacrificing quality instruction and student progress.

Family Hip Hop: (7 yrs+) Parents are free!

\$77.50 for 5 classes. Thurs. 5:15-6:00 p.m.,

Sat. 10:45-11:30 a.m.

Pre-Ballet 2: (7-8 y.o.*)

\$77.50 for 5 classes. Tues. 5:16-6:00 p.m.,

Sat. 10:00-10:45 a.m.

Ballet 1-2: (8-10 y.o.** \$80 for 5 classes.

Tues. 6:00-7:00 p.m., Sat. 11:30-12:30 p.m.

Ballet 3-4: (10+ y.o.** \$82.50 for 5 classes.

Thurs. 5:45-7:00 p.m.

Hip Hop: (experienced 10+ y.o.**)

\$80 for 5 classes. Thurs. 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Jazz 1: (6-9 y.o.** \$77.50 for 5 classes.

Thurs. 4:30-5:15 p.m., Sat. 9:15-10:00 a.m.

Jazz 2-3: (9+ y.o.** \$80 for 5 classes.

Thurs. 4:45-5:45 p.m.

Jazz 4-5: (9+ y.o.** \$66 for 4 classes.

Tues. 6:00-7:15 p.m.

**Ages are an estimation. Previous experience and skill level are also considered when determining class placement.

The Pathway Program

This program offers a challenging curriculum to serve dedicated dancers seeking an in depth experience or interested in pursuing dance professionally. A minimum of 2 ballet classes a week and permission from the director are required to participate.

Beginning Pathway Ballet/Pointe 1-2:

\$153 for 9 classes. Tues. 7:15-8:45 p.m.

with Thurs. 7:00-9:8:30 p.m.

Int./Adv. Pathway Ballet/Pointe:

\$153 for 9 classes. Tues. 7:15-8:45 p.m.

with Thurs. 7:00-9:8:30 p.m.

Nutcracker Workshop & Audition \$179

Open to levels Ballet 3 & up. Guest faculty will teach classes and adjudicate the audition. Each day includes ballet technique, ballet history, & Nutcracker choreography. Dancers will be placed within 2 levels.

Workshop: Aug. 7-11, 5:00-8:30 p.m.

Audition: Aug. 19, 2:00-5:00 p.m.

Pathway Intensive: June 12-23

Current Pathway students and those entering the Pathway Program in the Fall of 2017 are STRONGLY encouraged to attend! This intensive will build strength, artistry, and stamina while exposing dancers to new master teachers.

Dancers will take ballet/pointe, jazz, contemporary modern, dance appreciation, and repertory classes. The workshop will culminate with a costumed performance at Principle Dance on the final day.

Beginning/Intermediate Level: \$650

Intermediate/Advanced Level: \$650

Distinguished guest faculty!

Teacher names and bios coming soon.

Week 1 Schedule:

Monday-Friday 3:15-8:30 p.m.

Saturday 11:00-5:00 p.m.

Week 2 Schedule:

Monday-Thursday 3:15-8:15 p.m.

Friday 3:15 dancers arrive &

7:00 p.m. Performance