

# Michelle's School of Dance Policies and Pricing

## 2016-2017 School Year

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### Tuition:

**Dance tuition is due the first day of each class month (Sept-May). All studio billings are subject to state and local sales taxes.**

**A 5% late fee may be assessed on accounts 30 days past due.** Please make checks payable to Michelle's School of Dance.

30 minute classes: \$35.00 per month additional 30 minute classes: \$20.00 more per month

45 minute classes: \$45.00 per month additional 45 minute classes: \$25.00 more per month

60 minute classes: \$55.00 per month additional 60 minute classes: \$30.00 more per month

Summer classes and special events/seminars are billed separately and are payable at time of registration.

Competition costs (vary by competition event), competition costumes and choreography costs are payable at time of billing..

### Class information and expected conduct:

**Classes begin the week of September 12<sup>th</sup> and end with the June recital.** Please note that we do NOT charge a registration fee like many other studios, so your September tuition is due at the time of registration. This will hold your spot in class. Classes run back-to-back and the waiting rooms often are not supervised because the teachers are in class. Students dropped off by their parents are expected to conduct themselves appropriately in the waiting rooms while waiting for their class to begin.

### Recital Costume Deposit and Recital Fee:

Every registered student is expected to perform in the studio's annual recital in early June. **A \$30/recital costume deposit will be billed with the November tuition and is non-refundable.** Students are measured for their costumes in late fall and orders are placed with the various costume suppliers in January. Once final costume costs are known and billed to the studio by our suppliers, **there will be a final recital costume billing in the spring. Recital fees of \$50 are billed in the March tuition. Families with multiple dancers are billed at a maximum recital cost of \$60 for the family.**

### Inclement Weather:

Michelle's School of Dance follows the North Polk School system for **WEATHER CLOSINGS**. **If school is canceled or dismissed early due to weather, dance classes will be canceled. If there is a school delay/late start in the morning, we will still have regularly scheduled classes. I have added 1 snow day/sick day into my schedule per class.**

### Dance Attire:

**Ballet, Pointe, Pre-Pointe:** Black Leotard, Pink Tights or Tan Tights, Pink **Leather** Ballet Shoes, Hair in Bun or Ponytail. Dancers can wear black spandex dance shorts or black tank tops. Clothes must be tight fitting.

**Jazz and Tap:** Black Leotard, Pink or Tan tights, Jazz Pants or Dance Shorts (optional), **Tan** Jazz Shoes and/or **Black** Tap Shoes, Hair in Bun or Ponytail

**Hip-Hop:** Comfortable Shorts or Pants, Clean White Tennis Shoes, Hair in Ponytail

**Lyrical/Modern:** Any Color Leotard, Pink or Tan Tights, Lyrical Shoes (footundeez), Hair Pulled Back in Ponytail or Bun

**Tumbling Levels (this is just a guideline to use, start with your age group and we will move you to appropriate class from there):**

**Beginner: Must have cartwheels, working on backbends, kick overs, hand stands and front limbers;**

**Intermediate: Must have passed Beginner Level skills. Will work on front and back walkovers;**

**Advanced: Must have passed Intermediate Level skills. Will work on back handsprings and aerials.**

**I have read, understand and agree to the above Policies and Pricing for the school year. Non payment of billed costs may result in suspension of my child's dance privileges until my account is brought current. Cancellation of a class requires a 30 day written notice to the studio. I agree to accept email documents, billing and studio communication.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_