

Why Dance? Why Dancemakers?

Research now substantiates that four or more years of arts training improves neuro-pathways which enhance thought processing and learning. There are direct correlations that link arts training to superior academic skills in math and reading as well as enhanced socialization skills such as communication and creative problem solving. Boys and girls who dance experience improved all-around physical health and coordination which improves their abilities in sports and creates healthy lifestyle habits which will positively impact their overall adult health.



"To be a part of a young person's life, and know you have made a difference is the most rewarding experience a teacher can have. At Dancemakers, we strive for technical excellence ... but we work for personal bests".

Cindy Turrentine - 1989

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Two Locations to Serve You!

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Program Descriptions

At Dancemakers our goal is to create the best possible learning environment for your child. We continually update and improve our curriculums and programming so that we may bring the latest in innovative "Performing Opportunities" to our students. The types of classes offered include: Ballet, Pointe, Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Hip Hop, Pre-School Dance, and Adult.

Early Childhood Development - For children 2-5 years old, this program is designed to allow each child to explore their own creativity and develop fine and gross motor coordination.

The Recreational Program - For 1st grade and up. This program is perfect for the student who is just beginning to explore the dance world, and is interested in socialization, exercise, and fun!

The Conservatory Program - For students who desire to take their training to the highest possible level! Community events, state and national competitions, and our Annual Spring Benefit Concert are some of the performing opportunities available for these dancers.

Dancemakers Performing Company - These dancers audition from the Conservatory Program and are eligible for our "Spring Gala" and Competition Program.

Four Things Every Parent Should Know Before Choosing a Dance Studio

What type of staff do you employ?

All of our teachers are adult professionals who are highly trained and qualified in their fields with industry certifications, college degrees, and/or professional dance experience.

What types of facilities do you have?

Our studios are equipped with state of the art floating floors which reduce the risk of injury, floor to ceiling mirrors, and one way viewing windows.

How are the classes structured?

Our classes are structured by the age and ability of the dancers. Student - Teacher ratios are kept low in order to insure each child receives individual attention.

What makes Dancemakers different?

With 20 years of experience we have accomplished creating a family atmosphere that encourages personal growth, and we provide superior training and professional caliber productions in which your child can "shine".



Dancemakers Mission:

*"To be a place to grow.
To grow Technically, Artistically,
Morally, and Spiritually"*



Registration & Tuition Information

There is a \$30.00 registration fee for each student, due at the time of registration. Tuition starts at \$45.00 per month and is based on the number of classes each child takes per week. Tuitions are due on the 1st of each month.

Dress Code

Dancemakers does maintain a dress code for purposes of uniformity and safety. As there is no local dance-wear outlet, as a service to our customers, we carry the various leotards, tights, and shoes that your child will need for class. For more information please ask the office staff for assistance.

Recital

Dancemakers year-end recitals are a hugely anticipated community event held in mid to late June. Recital information will be made available in October.

For more information please contact one of our office locations