

Casa Dance Studio Purple Level Registration Form: 2019-20

Please return with non-refundable \$40 per student member fee to: Casa Dance Studio, 258 Glassboro Rd, Woodbury Heights, NJ 08097

Student Name: _____ Age: _____ Birthday: _____

Guardian A Name & Relationship: _____

Guardian B Name & Relationship: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Guardian A Cell # _____ Guardian B Cell #: _____

Are there any custody issues or restraining orders this studio needs to be aware of? (If yes, please explain):

Does your child have any allergies or medical conditions this studio needs to be aware of? (If yes, please explain):

Guardian A Email: _____ Guardian B Email: _____

Purple Level classes may start as early as 4pm.

Please Circle Classes

Ballet /Jazz (Required) Ballet Technique (Recommended) Conditioning(Recommended)

Tap Hip Hop Polynesian Musical Theater

Modern(Must have teacher's recommendation) Acro

Will your dancer be participating in our December Family Holiday Show? Please Circle **YES** **NO**

Credit Card Information – Billing Address – Leave blank if it is the same as above

(Please only give **Credit** Card Information, Debit Cards are not acceptable to keep on file)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Credit Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ CVC _____

Parental/Guardian Signature _____

*By signing here you acknowledge that you have read and understand the ***information below*

***Credit cards on file will be charged the 15th of every month for tuition and costume payment plan unless payment has been received before then. Class Fees are based on a Session total NOT the number of classes in a month. There are no refunds or pro-rating for missed classes. Missed classes can be made up. If you attend more than one class there are no refunds if you do not continue. Charges will continue unless you notify CDS in writing by email or mail that you will not be returning. Charges will be stopped beginning the month after receipt of the withdrawal notification. We accept credit/debit card, PayPal, cash, check and Money orders.

Participation in dance classes is at your own risk. We take pictures and video during class and events. By registering at CDS you agree to allow you or your child's photos/videos to be used for advertising purposes. If you do not want your photos/videos used please notify Casa Dance Studio by email. By filling out this registration form you acknowledge agreement to all above terms & conditions.

Medical Release/Release of Liability Waiver Form

I, _____, the parent/guardian of _____, acknowledge that participation in dance is potentially dangerous and there is an inherent risk of injury involved. In allowing my child to participate in Casa Dance Studio's activities, I hereby assume all the risks associated with the performing arts. I understand the importance of myself and my child following the instructions and rules set by their instructor(s), and I agree to release Casa Dance Studio and its employees of any and all liability which may arise as a result of my child's participation in activities at Casa Dance Studio and at events sponsored by Casa Dance Studio, including but not limited to: -Classes -Shows-Competitions -Parties

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Release Form for Photography and Videography **

I, the undersigned, give permission for Casa Dance Studio to use video footage and / or photographs of my child/ward, _____ . This usage may include (but is not exclusive to) displaying publicly, distributing, or publishing, photographs, and/or video of my child for use in materials that include, but may not be limited to: -printed materials (eg -brochures and newsletters)-online and offline advertising and promotion-videos and digital images such for use on Social Media. By signing this form, I acknowledge that I am giving unrestricted permission for my child's image to be used in print, video, and digital media. I agree that these images may be used by Casa Dance Studio for a variety of purposes and that these images maybe used without further notification. I do understand that any identifying information including surname and location will not be used in conjunction with any video or digital images.

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

If you do not give permission please sign here _____

**If your child is a foster child or the subject of a custody battle check here _____

2019-20 Dance Season at Casa Dance!

Hello and Welcome to Casa Dance Studio!

It's time to register for the 2019-20 Dance Season. We are expecting to have a packed Fall schedule, so whether you are a returning family or new to Casa Dance we are looking forward to seeing you in September!

Please read all of the info below and then send in your registration! You may register online, by mail or in person.

Classes are assigned by age first but may be adjusted once you attend class. Purple, Turquoise, Coral, Red, Gray, and Black levels are by audition and teacher recommendation only.

Classes & Events will begin Monday Sept 9, 2019 and will continue through June 2020.

You have a PURPLE LEVEL dancer.

This level is for dancers 6.5 years or older who meet the skill, class, and competition requirements. Dancers in Purple level must take Ballet & Jazz classes and either a Ballet Technique class or a Conditioning class. Dancers have the opportunity to take Acro, Gymnastics, Musical Theater, Tap, Hip Hop, Ballet Technique, Conditioning, Modern**, and/or Polynesian classes.

**Dancers interested in Modern must be 8 years old unless recommended by teacher. No dancers younger than 7 may participate in Modern.

Each class will be held once a week.

PURPLE LEVEL Requirements.

Dancers in this level are required to take a minimum of one Ballet/Jazz class and either a Ballet Technique class or a Conditioning class. Dancers in this level are required to attend the Royal Dance Competition with two dances and may, in addition, attend any other competitions if the entire class is able to attend. Dancers in this level must attend class regularly. They cannot miss any more than one class a month unless they have a doctor's note or have make up classes scheduled. If injured, dancers must still attend their choreography classes, watch, and take notes. Dancers that miss dance for any reason may be required to take private lessons to catch up or make up required class time. These lessons are \$38 per half hour.

Ways to register:

- Register & pay non-refundable members fee online at www.casadancestudio.com - How to Join Us.
- Fill out a Registration form and mail to Casa Dance Studio, 258 Glassboro Rd, Woodbury Heights, NJ 08097 along with a check for the non-refundable members fee.
- Come to the studio and register and pay the non-refundable members fee in person.
- Call us at 856-845-5788 to register by phone then bring cash, check, credit/debit card payment to the studio. Please note that until the non-refundable members fee is paid your registration is not complete.

As of Aug 18th, you may pick your classes and pay online or look at the schedule and email us the classes you want and pay in the studio or just come in to the studio and do it all at the same time. Please remember you will not be enrolled in a class until you pay the members fee. September class fees are due your first class or before. Dancers may not start classes until the Acknowledgement Form, the Payment Agreement Form, and the Release Forms are all signed.

Have a Dance-Filled Day!

Miss Anne & Miss Thaya and all the teachers and staff at Casa Dance Studio

DRESS CODE

Dancers in Purple Level have a dress code. Female Purple level dancers must wear a black leotard, fitted camisole/tank or crop top in any style with solid dark purple shorts (lavender shorts not permitted) with pink or tan convertible or stirrup tights. Male dancers must wear black dance shirt and dark purple shorts or a dark purple shirt with black shorts. Dancers must have their hair secured back. The first week of every month dancers may do Freestyle Fashion week. Dancers can wear any color they dance outfit they wish but cannot wear solid dance shorts in an upper level color (Turquoise, Coral, Red, Gray, or Black Cherry).

DRESS CODE applies to ALL classes even lower level classes, Acro classes, and Musical Theater classes.

If you have any questions, please **ASK**. You can reach us by email, casadancestudio@gmail.com, by phone 856-845-5788 or text 856-993-2458.

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES

At Casa Dance we encourage everyone to perform. All of our classes (except technique only classes) learn routines to perform in shows throughout the year, in the Holiday Family Shows, and in the end of season Recital. We start our students out with holiday performances in December at local nursing homes and benefit shows. Mark your calendars for November 30, December 7, 14 & 21! We do more nursing home and community shows in the spring with the recital dances and then the big Recital. We have 4-5 separate shows over a weekend in June. Purple Level dancers who are in one class will only be in one recital. Dancers in multiple dances may be in more than one show. We do try to limit the number of shows each dancer is in. While tickets do have to be purchased by parents, family members, and/or friends to see the recital, the student does not have to buy a ticket.

RECITAL

We will be having our recitals over a weekend in June TBD. Recital Date will be out by October. Information on the show in which your dancer will be performing will be available by the end of March. We will be holding a Front/Second Row Raffle to benefit our Scholarship Fund during April. On April 30th winners will be announced and will be able to pick their seats for their family members. On May 5th our ticket sales will go live. You will be sent a link so you can pick your seats. All dancers are required to pay a \$55 Recital Fee which includes a digital video download of Recital, digital access to ALL of your dancer's photos (taken by two different photographers), dancer's entrance to ALL recital shows, ability for parents to take their own photos and videos (from their seat, cameras at eye level), the limited edition recital t-shirt, digital access to the recital program and access to flash sale ticket prices. Ask about our premium recital package bundle for additional discounts and recital items.

PAYMENTS

To enroll with Casa Dance Studio, you must pay the non-refundable members fee to secure your dancer's spot in his/her class and to ensure your rates throughout the 2019-20 dance season.

ALL families must have a current **credit** card that expires **after** July 2020 on file in their Studio Online Account, debit cards will not be accepted as the main card on your account without a signed consent. Payments are due the first week of each month and are considered on time if paid by the 10th of every month. We accept cash, money orders or checks. Debit/Credit card payments are available in the studio or online through your account or through PayPal. You may also set up automatic payment through your studio online account with us. Automatic payments are to be applied to credit cards only, debit cards are not acceptable for our Automatic Payment Program. Automatic payments will be done by the 11th of every month.

Any payments not received by the 10th of the month will be automatically charged to your credit card on file by the 11th*. Any accounts with credit cards that are declined or out of date will receive late fees and returned card processing fees if your balance is not paid by 8pm on the 11th. *

Please note that cards may be run up through the 15th depending on Holidays, weekends, and events

Please see Class Fees page for details and price information.

Fundraising is available to help you raise money to pay for your fees. Please help yourself by participating. We will be offering many fundraisers throughout the year. (See the partial list below)

CREDIT FUNDRAISERS

Pizza, Pies, Krispy Kreme Donuts, Flower Bulbs, and more!

CLASS FEES

Class Fees are based on a **total for the season.**

Payments are due by the 10th of each month September thru May depending on your payment choice. Credit cards will be run on the 11th of every month and no later than the 15th for any past due items including costumes, shoes, competition fees**, etc. There is NO June payment. Dancers will receive a minimum of 35 weeks of classes/events.

You may choose to pay your SEASON fee in the below ways.

1. MONTHLY: The SEASON total is divided into NINE (9) equal monthly payments. The monthly payments are **NOT** dependent on the number of weeks in each month.

2. THREE EQUAL INSTALLMENTS: Pay 1/3 of Season cost in September, 1/3 in January, & 1/3 in March **Receive a 1% discount if paying by cash ONLY

3. PAY BI-SEASONALLY: pay 50% of total season cost in September & 50% in January*** Receive a 2% discount on your season tuition if paying by Cash ONLY

4. PAY IN FULL: Pay the entire season cost in September. ****Receive a 3% discount on your season tuition if paying by Cash ONLY

Please note that there are no refunds or pro rating for missed classes. If you miss a class, please speak with your instructor for the best time and day to make up the missed class.

We accept cash, money orders or checks. Debit/Credit card payments are available in the studio or online through your account or through PayPal using payments.casadance@gmail.com.

Purple Level Monthly Class Fees

Members Fee \$40.00 per student - Members Fee is non-refundable and ensures dancer's spot in class, capped tuition rate, recital package rate, discounted dance wear, clothing, tights, shoes, costume prices, access to premium recital package, discounted recital tickets.

- Dancers receive 1 pair of Purple shorts, 1 pair of class tights, and one leotard upon payment of Members Fee **and** September's tuition.
- Purple Level dancers pay per month September-May. Please see below Chart for Pricing info
- ALL Purple level classes, required classes, and any Technique classes recommended by Teacher are included in tuition.
- Family Holiday Performances: Purple Level Dancers will be required to bring in snacks, desserts, or drinks. You will be assigned something to bring. Families will receive 2 Holiday Performance Tickets.
- Awards Banquet: Purple Level Dancers will be required to bring in an item. You will be assigned something to bring.

Purple Level Costume Payment Plan

- Purple Level Dance Families will be given a fixed amount payment plan for costumes upon registration. Payment plans will be from September – December. We estimate \$70 per dance. These prices are estimates based on last season's prices & may have to be adjusted. We will do our best have costumes come as close or below these prices if possible.
- You may choose at any time to pay off the full costume amount but must pay the payment plan until costumes are fully paid off.
- August - \$100 competition commitment fee & first costume payment due
- September - Elevate Convention Fee**only for those attending the convention & second costume payment due
- October - third costume payment due
- November - fourth & final costume payment due
- December - Believe competition fee due **Only for dancers competing at Believe
- January - Royal Dance Competition Fee due
- February - World Class Dance Experience Competition Fee due **Only for dancers competing at WCDE
- End of March - Imagine Dance Challenge Fees Due **only for dancers wishing to participate in WDC who did not receive a Golden Ticket at Believe
- June – World Dance Championship Rehearsal Fee & Competition fee Due **Only for those who received a Golden Ticket

**** Returning Students for your LOYALTY to Casa Dance Studio receive a discounted price**

**** Any student who has been with Casa Dance Studio for THREE or more CONSECUTIVE years.**

If you have a student in a more advanced Level (Turquoise, Coral, Red, Gray, Black) please see their Welcome Packet for Price

All capped pricing will be based off of the MOST ADVANCED Sibling

	Purple Level	Purple Level**
Single Student	\$205 per month	\$182 per month
Two Student Sibling/Parent	\$275 per month	\$247 per month
Three Student Sibling/Parent	\$345 per month	\$312 per month
Four Student Sibling/Parent	\$415 per month	\$382 per month

World Dance Championships

We will be attending Believe with group dances interested in going to the World Dance Championships.

Dancers interested in competing at WDC must fill out the below form acknowledging the understanding of the requirements & fees. Please understand that IF your dancer's group gets chosen for WDC it is not like a regular competition. There are dancers from all over the world and only the best at each regional is chosen. Agreeing to compete in the hopes of receiving a Golden Ticket to WDC means committing to additional summer practices that may be on weekends, being there for your team, taking the required classes, and paying the required fees on time.

Based on previous years WDC will be approximately \$75 per dancer per dance. This event is usually held the last week of July or the first week of August at the Meadowlands Exposition Center.

Dancers Interested in WDC must be available for Believe Dance Competition as well as Imagine Dance Challenge in May (dancers will only compete here if they do not receive a Golden Ticket at Believe)

Are you interested in the possibility of competing at World Dance Championships in 2020?

If yes, do you understand & accept that there is a \$30 per dancer per dance Worlds Rehearsal fee? Please note this fee is to pay your rehearsing teacher(s) for the time they give.

If yes, do you understand and accept that Worlds practices are scheduled on Friday evening & Saturday mornings in July leading up to the Championship and they are MANDATORY?**

**We will do our best to switch the rehearsal times to weekdays, but there are multiple people involved (your dancer, his/her teammates, the teachers, the studio space) and thus multiple schedules with which to contend. If weekday rehearsals cannot be scheduled your dancer will be obligated to the Friday/Saturday rehearsals. Dance parents may NOT ask other dance parents to rearrange their schedules. If any dance parent does this, that dancer's schedule will not be considered.