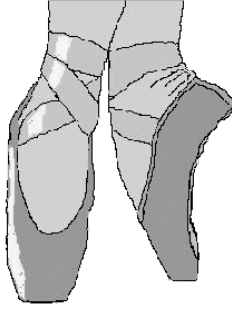


# The Dance Academy



**AT THE  
CHILDREN'S SCHOOL**

**LORNA DIAMOND, DIRECTOR**

## Dear Parents and Students,

Enclosed is the class schedule. Classes begin Wednesday, September 7th. All classes are subject to change. If you have any questions, please e-mail me at [danceacademy@san.rr.com](mailto:danceacademy@san.rr.com), text 619-851-5053 or call 858-458-1783.

I will be out of town from August 6 to August 27, and I will do my best to respond while I'm away.

Please register by emailing your completed registration form and signed Covid waiver to [danceacademy@san.rr.com](mailto:danceacademy@san.rr.com) or mail it to:

The Dance Academy at TCS  
2225 Torrey Pines Lane, La Jolla CA 92037.

See you soon,  
Lorna

## Weekly Ballet Class Requirements

The following requirements are stipulated in order that students maintain the standard of their class level:

- Pre-Ballet, Pre-Primary, Ballet I, Ballet II & Ballet III students: one class once per week
- Ballet IV & V students: two classes per week (for improving technique and building strength)
- Ballet VI students: three classes per week
- Pointe: All students must attend **two** technique classes in addition to their Pointe class

### Ballet

Pre-Ballet - Pre-School:	Ages 3 & 4
Pre-Primary - Pre-K:	From age 4
Primary - Kindergarten:	From age 5
Ballet I through Ballet VI:	Students will be placed in the class appropriate to their dance experience and ability
Pointe: with teacher's permission	

### Jazz, Tap & Contemporary

Jazz & Tap I:	From age 5 - 7
Jazz & Tap II	From age 7
Jazz V - VI:	With teacher's permission
Tap	With teacher's permission
Contemporary I:	From age 9
Contemporary II & III:	With teacher's permission

## Dance Classes for Preschoolers and Pre-Kindergarteners

**Pre-Ballet (ages 3 & 4 in Preschool), Pre-Primary (From 5 or in Pre-K)**

*Pre-Ballet and Pre-Primary* introduces children to the FUNdamentals of ballet technique. Using music and imagination, the child learns correct body placement and how to develop their feet and legs for ballet. This is achieved in a relaxed atmosphere filled with fun and enjoyment. TCS Pre-School Students will be picked up and returned to their classrooms. TCS Pre-K students will be picked up at their classrooms. Parents can collect them after class at the auditorium. They will dance in their regular clothes. Only bring dance shoes.

## 2022/2023 Calendar

September 7	Classes Begin
November 23-25	Thanksgiving (no class)
December 17 & 18	Nutcracker
December 19 - 30	Winter Vacation (no class)
January 3	Classes Begin
April 6	Great Artists Finale (no class)
May 29	Memorial Day (no class)
June 9	Classes End
June 10 & 11	Spring Performances

## Classroom Attire

**Pre-Ballet, Pre-Primary:** Light pink leotard, pink tights, pink ballet slippers, and a short pink chiffon skirt.

**Primary through Ballet VI:** Black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet slippers and pointe shoes, when assigned.

**Jazz and Tap:** Black leotard, jazz pants or shorts, jazz or tap shoes.

**Boys:** Black tights or shorts with a white t-shirt, black or white ballet shoes.

**Contemporary:** Black leotard and footless black tights, no shoes.

**ALL STUDENTS:** Hair must be neatly secured off the neck and face (long hair in buns).

**NO SWEATERS, SWEATSHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, JEWELRY OR GUM ALLOWED IN CLASS.**

## Payment Options

We offer the following payment options: credit card, cash or check. Please fill out the form on the back of the student registration form for credit card payment. **All tuition checks must be made payable to The Children's School** and are due the first week of the month. If you have any questions, please contact Lorna.

## Class Make-Up Policy

There are no credits or refunds for missed classes. To get the most benefit from their training, students should attend all of their regular scheduled classes. We understand that an occasional class may be missed due to illness or emergencies. While we cannot guarantee that there will be a class for make-ups, we will allow unavoidable absences to be made up in a class of an appropriate level for the student. Please check to see if there is space in the class.

### Faculty

**Lorna Diamond**

Ballet

**Donna Flournoy**

Jazz

**Lucia Macagno**

Tap

**Alyssa Kinnear**

Ballet, Jazz, Tap

**Cheyenne Bauman**

Contemporary, Jazz

### Monthly Tuition Schedule

Annual Registration Fee \$25  
for all non-Children's School students

Classes Per Week	Tuition
1	\$78
2	\$148
3	\$210
4	\$264
5	\$305
Unlimited (per student)	\$340
Adult Card (8 classes)	\$130
Beginning Pointe	\$50
Single Class	\$20

### PLEASE NOTE:

The Protocols and Waiver letter must be signed by both parents and received before students can participate in class.

For the safety of our students, the school gate will be locked. We will send you a gate code when we receive your registration.

### Nutcracker News

**Nutcracker is planned for  
December 17 & 18.**

**All ballet students from age 5  
may participate. More details  
to follow...**