

## MusicalArts Dance Classes

**Ballet/Tap Combos:** All of our B/T combo classes are designed for new dancers, to get an introduction to dance in an age appropriate setting. Classes are structured to allow an engaging experience, where dancers can truly learn a love for dance in a safe, fun, nurturing, and creative environment. As classes progress throughout the year, we begin to strengthen the routine and organization of a typical dance lesson.

**Ballet/Tap I: 3-4 yrs**

**Ballet/Tap II: 4-5 yrs**

**Ballet/Tap III: 5-6 yrs**

**Creative Movement: 2+** This class is for those ready to move, but not quite ready for a full lesson! Students will learn a very basic class routine, get a feel for the dance space, and participate in fun and engaging movement activities!

**Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combos:** These classes are designed for the dancer who wants to try a little bit of everything. Each week will spend time with each discipline, focusing equal time. *Intro* level is a great start for those who have some previous experience in ballet, tap or jazz. *Continuing* level is for those who have completed BTJ Intro.

**Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo 8+:** This class is for older students who want to try a dance class for the first time. It will begin with the basics/foundation in each discipline, allowing students with no experience to begin lessons in dance in an age appropriate setting.

**Foundations of Ballet:** This class is offered for new students who are interested in ballet only. The beginning of our ballet program, this class offers more structure, intensives, and discipline in the art of ballet.

**Beginning Ballet:** Following foundations, students will continue their ballet education with beginning ballet, meeting once a week.

**Intermediate Ballet:** The third level in our ballet program, students meet twice a week. Instructor recommendation/placement.

**Advanced Ballet:** The final level in our ballet program, students meet twice a week and class is accompanied by a live pianist.

**Pointe/PrePointe:** Instructor recommendation only, students will practice pointe following advanced ballet, twice a week.

**Company/Company Jr:** Invitation only class, designed to challenge students and increase skill, while gaining further opportunities to perform. Company is an important step for students, challenging them both creatively and technically. It allows a time for camaraderie, and sets the bar higher for growing dancers.

**Leaps and Turns:** This 45 minute strengthening class focuses solely on executing leaps and turns, with warm up exercises, core building and across the floor exercises.

**Hip Hop:** Hip hop is an energetic street/commercial style of dance, set to hip hop and/or pop music.

**Aerial:** Learn the art of fabric dancing and movement! Class placement beyond intro by instructors. Aerial conditioning as an additional class strongly recommended, not required.

**Teen Dance:** 13+ Teen dance is for the beginner dancer in their teens. Ballet, jazz and musical theatre based dance, taught at an introductory level for students interested in multiple genres.

**Adult Tap/Ballet:** 18+ This class is for the adult who used to dance, is dancing for the first time, or is just looking for a new hobby! Strengthen coordination, flexibility, core muscles and more in either of these classes offered once a week.