



# Summer Dance Program for Youth

ArtsWestchester's Summer Dance Program is for Westchester County residents 7-12 years old. This program will teach various dance styles, from ballet to modern to jazz - no prior experience is needed.

The program will run Monday-Friday from 9 A.M. to 12 P.M. during the following weeks: July 15th -19th, July 22nd-26th, and August 5th-9th.

The program will occur at ArtsWestchester's building at 31 Mamaroneck Avenue, White Plains, NY 10601.

This program is **FREE**, but registration is **REQUIRED**. Space is limited. If you completed your online registration and can no longer attend the program, please contact [jmendez@artswestchester.org](mailto:jmendez@artswestchester.org) at *least* 72 hours in advance of the class start date, in order to offer the spot to another interested student on the wait-list.

***\*Please return this completed form via email to [jmendez@artswestchester.org](mailto:jmendez@artswestchester.org), or bring in-person at 31 Mamaroneck Avenue, White Plains, NY 10601, PRIOR to the first day of class!\****

## STUDENT DETAILS

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Numbers (where you can be contacted)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Type:  Home  Work  Cell

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Type:  Home  Work  Cell

Parent Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

## EMERGENCY CONTACT

In case we are unable to reach you, or in case of emergency, you give the following person permission to take responsibility for your child, including pick up, if necessary:

Main Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child:  Parent/legal guardian  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Phone numbers 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Type:  Home  Work  Cell

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Type:  Home  Work  Cell

## MEDICAL INFORMATION

Does your child have any medical conditions we should know about: \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Is there anything else that you think we should know about your child?

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## CLASS POLICIES AND REGISTRATION

These policies are established to ensure the quality of the program and the safety of all persons attending class.

### Food and Drink Policy

All students should eat breakfast before each class; however, students can bring snacks and drinks so long as eating and drinking do not interfere with the learning and creative process for them or their fellow students. ALL FOOD MUST BE ALLERGY FREE. All drinks must have lids on them. Water is preferred. A spilled drink can disrupt the experience for one or more students. All students must be polite, clean up after themselves, keep the room clean, and follow instructions for disposing of food waste.

### Device Policy

Students are allowed to bring mobile phones, but they should only use them at times specified by the teacher. As a parent/legal guardian, please inform your child/student that using a mobile device to take photos, text family or friends, and access apps like Instagram, Snapchat, or other social media without the teacher's permission will lead to disciplinary action. All classroom rules and policies apply.

### Behavior Expectations

The teacher will review behavior expectations with the students in class. If a student engages in disruptive behavior that interferes with learning, distracts the teacher, or disrespects the teacher, fellow students, and their property, they will be asked to leave the class. As the parent/legal guardian, please review the behavior policy with your child/student and remind them to follow the teacher's instructions and treat others with courtesy and respect. Please understand that if your child/student fails to do so, they will not be allowed to participate in the program.

### Pick Up/ Child Release Policy

Parents/legal guardians MUST arrange for their child/student pick up within five (5) minutes of the class ending time. There are NO EXCEPTIONS. The teachers and staff cannot and will not be responsible for children when class is over. Students not picked up when the class is over will result in staff contacting your emergency contact. If your emergency contact does not respond, staff will contact Emergency Services.

Ongoing lateness to pick up your child/student may and will affect your child/student's participation in the program..

Class Attendance & Cancellation Policy

Teachers will keep accurate attendance records for their students. If your child/student happens to be sick, please do not bring them to class. Everyone's safety is of the utmost importance, and we want to avoid the spread of germs through unnecessary contact with an unwell person.

If, for any reason, we have to cancel a class, the teacher will notify parents/legal guardians by phone and/or email.

If, during the program, your child/student no longer wishes to proceed with the dance classes due to a schedule conflict or lack of interest, please notify the staff so we can properly close out the program with your child/student.

Acceptance

By signing this document, I (parent/legal guardian) agree, understand, and accept these policies. I also agree that I have reviewed all of the policies with my child/student, and they comprehend the policies and are aware of the consequences of failure to follow the rules.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Publicity Consent Waiver

I, as parent/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ grant ArtsWestchester permission for use of photographs of my child/student for future promotions of dance classes or education related programs . I understand that to revoke my consent I must provide a written request to ArtsWestchester at [jmendez@artswestchester.org](mailto:jmendez@artswestchester.org). By signing this form I agree to the terms of this consent waiver.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

This program is made possible with support from Westchester County and in partnership with Ballet des Amériques.

## About ArtsWestchester

### *OUR MISSION*

ArtsWestchester's mission is to create an equitable, vibrant and sustainable Westchester county in which the arts are integral to and integrated into every facet of life.

To learn more about us, visit <https://artswestchester.org/>.