

# NORTHWEST YMCA FALL DANCE

Effective 09/03/19 - 12/21/19

MONTHLY CLASSES	AGES	TIME	MON	TU	WED	TH	FR	SA	SU
HOP SKIP JUMP (Wear comfortable clothes)	2-3	30-min			10:30A 5:45P				
WIGGLES & GIGGLES (No tap shoes needed)	3	30-min			10:00A			9:30A	
DANCE WITH ME	4-5	30-min			9:30A			10:00A	
YOUNG BEGINNER	6-7	45-min						10:30A	
BEGINNER	8-11	45-min						11:15A	
<b>ACADEMY CLASSES (ages are guidelines, placement based on skill)</b>									
CREATIVE MOVEMENT	3	30-min	9:30A		5:30P	6:00P		10:00A	
PRE-DANCE I	4-5	45-min	10:00A	10:00A	6:45P	6:30P		10:30A	
PRE-DANCE II	5-6	45-min			5:15P 6:00P	5:15P		11:15A	
LEVEL I JAZZ/TAP	6-7	60-min		5:15P		5:45P			
LEVEL II JAZZ/TAP	8-11	60-min	6:15P	5:45P					
LEVEL I BALLET	6-7	45-min		6:15P		5:00P			
LEVEL II BALLET	8-11	45-min	5:30P	5:00P					
LEVEL III JAZZ	8+	45-min	5:45P						
LEVEL III TAP	8+	45-min	5:00P						
LEVEL III BALLET	8+	45-min	6:30P						
LEVEL IV JAZZ	8+	45-min		8:15P					
LEVEL IV TAP	8+	45-min		7:30P					
LEVEL IV BALLET	8+	45-min	8:00P						
HIP HOP I	6-9	45-min		7:00P	7:30P				
HIP HOP II	10+	45-min	7:15P						
HIP HOP III	8+	45-min		7:45P					
MUSIC THEATRE LEVEL I	6-9	60 min				6:45P			
MUSIC THEATRE LEVEL II	10+	60-min		6:45P					
LYRICAL LEVEL I	8+	45-min		7:45P					

**DANCE COMPANY (AVAILABLE AT NORTH AND NORTHWEST YMCA)**Contact the Dance Director for Dance Company information: [hydi.diaz@ymcawichita.org](mailto:hydi.diaz@ymcawichita.org) or 316.260.9622 ext. 8208

**NOTE Holiday Schedules:** Classes will not take place on these dates: Sept. 1+2, Oct. 31 (after 3:00P), Nov. 28-30, Dec. 22-31\* \*Sessions impacted by this holiday meet fewer than four times this month. Fees will be prorated for the reduced class schedule.

**DANCE FEES:****Monthly Academy****\$27/month****\$35/month** 1 class/week**\$52.50/month** 2 classes/week**\$70/month** 3 classes/week

Registration Fee: \$30 per family, due at enrollment

Costume Fee: \$50 per class, due Nov. 1 2019

Available at North and Northwest

Contact director for more information

**Company****Private****\$20** per 30-min session**Semi-private****\$15** per 30-min session, per person**CLASS ATTIRE:****Monthly Classes:** Leotard, tights, pink leather ballet shoes & black tap shoes**Academy Classes:**

Creative Movement: Leotard, tights, pink leather ballet shoes

Pre-Dance I and II: Leotard, tights, pink leather ballet shoes &amp; black tap shoes

Academy I-III: Ballet: Leotard, tights, pink leather ballet shoes

Tap/Jazz: leather jazz shoes &amp; black tap shoes

Academy III-IV: pink leather ballet shoes, black tap shoes &amp; black leather jazz shoes

Hip Hop: athletic clothing and tennis shoes

Fees appear as member rates. Community participants/non-members pay an additional \$20 for eligible programs, unless otherwise indicated.

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# DANCE



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

## MONTHLY CLASSES

- Ages 2+
- One month commitment
- Classes meet once per week
- Learn fundamentals of dance, coordination and classroom etiquette in tap, jazz and ballet
- Curriculum repeats each month to reinforce skills
- Monthly progress reports are provided

## ACADEMY CLASSES

- Ages 3+
- Nine month commitment (September - May)
- Progress faster than Monthly Classes
- Learn class structure, etiquette and technique in tap, jazz, ballet, hip hop, and lyrical
- Curriculum and choreography progress monthly to advance skills and prepare for performances
- Improve strength, flexibility, coordination while building confidence and friendships
- Quarterly progress reports are provided

## DANCE COMPANY

- Ages 3+
- Yearly commitment
- Be part of a competitive team and focus on advanced skills, techniques and choreography
- Build strength, flexibility and memorization skills, while developing sportsmanship
- Dedicated dancers can compete in local, regional and national talent competitions
- Performances at Spring Recital in May and other various community events
- Auditions for competitive teams held prior to each season

## MONTHLY CLASSES

Register online or at any YMCA location

**HOP, SKIP, JUMP:** ages 2-3 | 30-minutes

This parent participation class will begin teaching motor skills and rhythm to your young dancer.

**WIGGLES AND GIGGLES:** age 3 | 30-minutes

Basic ballet technique will help develop coordination, rhythm and timing while dancing to music.

**DANCE WITH ME:** ages 4-5 | 30-minutes

Continue developing ballet technique with center and across the floor ballet combinations. Dance vocabulary and tap dance will be introduced.

**AGE-BASED LEVELS:** With three age-based levels, coordination, timing and rhythm will develop as dance routines are taught. Your dancer will learn ballet, tap and jazz techniques.

**YOUNG BEGINNER:** ages 6-7 | 45-minutes

**BEGINNER:** ages 8-11 | 45-minutes

**TEEN:** ages 12+ | 45-minutes

## ACADEMY CLASSES

Register at any YMCA location, not available online

**CREATIVE MOVEMENT:** age 3 | 30-minutes

Introduction to dance and song. Focus on basic ballet techniques, rhythm, and timing to music. Dancers will begin learning proper ballet and classroom etiquette.

**PRE-DANCE I:** ages 4-5 | 45-minutes

Includes ballet and tap. Builds on techniques learned in Creative Movement and learn dance vocabulary.

**PRE-DANCE II:** ages 5-6 | 45-minutes

Previous dance experience not required. Introduction to the dance environment of proper etiquette and vocabulary, while teaching techniques in ballet and tap.

**MUSIC THEATRE:** Level I: ages 6-9 | 60-minutes

Level II: ages 10+ | 60-minutes

Performers will be taught the three disciplines of musical theater: singing, acting and dancing.

**ACADEMY I and II:** Level I: ages 6-7 | Level II: ages 8-11

**BALLET:** 45-minutes | Focus in classical ballet structure. Dancers define poise and posture, then move to the barre for body placement, proper technique, and flexibility. These skills will then be used across the floor.

**TAP/JAZZ:** 60-minutes | Introduction to the elements of sound in tap. Across the floor and center combinations help develop coordination and rhythm. Focus on flexibility and different styles of jazz dance, such as modern and lyrical jazz.

**HIP HOP:** Level I: ages 6-9 | Level II: ages 10+ |

Level III: ages 13+ | 45-minutes

Blend urban and freestyle moves into choreography.

**ACADEMY III and IV:** ages 8+ | 45-minutes

Tap, ballet and jazz are offered as separate classes to focus on a specific discipline designed for the intermediate to advanced dancers.

**BALLET:** Commences with barre work to reinforce technical training from Levels I and II.

**JAZZ:** Contemporary jazz dance is introduced.

**TAP:** Modern and street style blend of tap.

## DANCE COMPANY

Travel and compete throughout the year. Perform at the Spring Recital in May and various community events. An audition for competitive teams is required. Contact your YMCA's Dance Director for more details.

**PRIVATE LESSONS:** ages 3+ | 30-minutes

The Y offers private/semi-private lessons tailored to individual needs and ability. Please contact your YMCA's Dance Director for more information.

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:

The Y believes that opening doors can close gaps. That's why we welcome everyone to participate in our programs and services. Confidential applications for income-based financial assistance are available at any YMCA location or online at [ymcawichita.org](http://ymcawichita.org).