

BALLET

Beginner ballet	45 min weekly
Pre-Primary/Primary/Gr.1 ballet	1hr. weekly
Grade 2 & 3 ballet	2 hrs. weekly
Grade 4 ballet	2 1/2 hrs. weekly
Combination Class Tap & Ballet	1 hr. 15min. weekly
Pre-Primary/Primary/Level 1 Tap	45 min. weekly
Level 2 & Level 3 Tap	1 hr. weekly
Hip Hop	1 hr. weekly
Beg/Int Tumble	1 hr. weekly
Lyrical Jazz	1 hr. weekly
Grade 3 ballet w/Pointe	3 hrs. weekly

TUITION

10% family discount for 2nd child's tuition
20% discount for each additional child's tuition

WEEKLY HOURS/MONTHLY TUITION

3/4.....	\$ 40.00	4.5.....	\$180.00
1.....	\$ 40.00	4 3/4...	\$190.00
1 1/4...	\$ 45.00	5.....	\$200.00
1.5.....	\$ 60.00	5 1/4...	\$210.00
1 3/4...	\$ 70.00	5.5.....	\$220.00
2.....	\$ 80.00	5 3/4...	\$230.00
2 1/4...	\$ 90.00	6.....	\$240.00
2.5.....	\$ 100.00	6 1/4...	\$250.00
2 3/4...	\$ 110.00	6.5.....	\$260.00
3.....	\$ 120.00	6 3/4...	\$270.00
3 1/4....	\$ 130.00	7.....	\$280.00
3.5.....	\$ 140.00	7 1/4...	\$290.00
3 3/4...	\$ 150.00	7.5.....	\$300.00
4.....	\$ 160.00	7 3/4...	\$310.00
4 1/4...	\$ 170.00	8.....	\$320.00

MORE DISCOUNTS

Elective Classes Taken With Ballet

—25% off elective class

Elective Classes Taken With More Than 2hrs. Of Ballet

—50% off elective class

Without Ballet—no discount given; use time chart above

2009/2010 Schedule

Beginning Ballet

Tuesday 6:15-7:00 (age 3) 45 min—RED

Saturday 9:30-10:15 (age 3) 45 min—RED

Pre-Primary/Primary

Friday 5:30-6:30 (ages 6-8) 60 min

Grade 1

Tuesday —5:15-6:15 (ages 8-9) 60 min

Grade 2

Monday 5:30-6:30 & Thursday 4:30-5:30—1 hr. 2x/week

Grade 3

Tuesday 7:00-8:00 & Thursday 7:30-8:30 —1 hr. 2x/week

Grade 4

Prerequisite: must pass Grade 3 (ages 12-adult)

Combination of Ballet and Tap

Monday 6:30-7:45 (ages 4-6) 45-ballet/30 tap PINK

Saturday 10:15-11:30 (ages 4-6) 45-ballet/30 tap PINK

Tap

Pre-primary/Primary (ages 6-8) Friday 6:30-7:15 45 min.

Level 1 (ages 8-9) Tuesday 4:30-5:15 45 min.

Level 2 (ages 9-11) Monday 4:30-5:30 60 min.

Level 3 (ages 11—adult) Thursday 6:30-7:30 60 min.

Hip-Hop

Elem. Hip Hop (ages 8-11) . – Fri 4:30-5:30 60min

Tumbling

Beg (ages 3-8) Wed 6:00-7:00 60min.

Inter (ages 9-adult) Wed 7:00-8:00 60min.

Lyrical-Jazz*

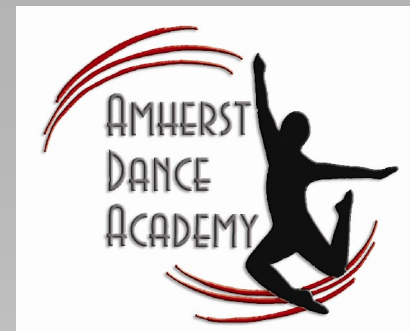
Beginning. (ages 6-12) Mon 7:45-8:45 60min.

Pointe*

Inter Pointe (Prerequisite: prior pointe experience)

Tuesday 8:00-8:45 45min.

*Ballet required



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“Making dance fun for all ages”

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2009/2010

OPEN HOUSE

August 20,21 4:00—7:00p.m.

Tuition

Tuition is due on the first class of each month, (late fee applies of \$10 after the 10th of the month). Some months have 5 weeks, some 3; however, tuition is divided into the following payment plans with no extra payment plan charge:

- 1) Pay in full at registration..... 10% discount
- 2) Two payments Sept 10/Jan 10.....5% discount
- 3) Nine monthly payments Sept 10–May 10....no discount

- August—annual registration
- September—first monthly payment due by first day of class; late after the 10th.
- October
- November
- December (full month tuition still due)
- January—second payment for “two payment plan” due by first class in January; late after January 15.
- February + exam classes if recommended (age 6 and above)
- March + ballet exam fee
- April
- May - full monthly tuition due before first dress rehearsal. \$10 late fee applies once dress rehearsals have begun.

Unless special circumstances exist, if you miss a full month, your monthly tuition is still due (as tuition is for the year's course). Cancelled classes may be made up during the course of the semester.

A 30 day written notice is required if you wish to change or drop your class.

2009 Christmas Recital

December 12 at 2:00p.m.

Sweet Briar College

Babcock Auditorium

(Tentative information and is liable to change)

Ballet Yearly Costs

- Yearly registration fee of \$45, with \$20 for each additional child
- Monthly tuition (depending on your payment plan choice)
- One free recital ticket per dancer with additional tickets available for sale at \$6/advance or \$8/door
- One free DVD/dancer with additional for sale at \$15/each
- Exam preparation classes if recommended *
- Exam registration fee:

Beginners:	\$18	Grade 4:	\$40
Pre-Primary:	\$21	Level 5:	\$45
Grade 1:	\$24	Level 6:	\$50
Grade 2:	\$32	Level 7:	\$60
Grade 3:	\$35	Level 8:	\$70

*Extra weekly exam classes (usually on Saturdays), for 4-6 weeks prior to examination. Price is \$30 through Grade 4.

Holidays

- Labor Day—Monday, September 7
- Thanksgiving—November 26,27,28
- Christmas Break—December 20–January 3
- Spring Break—April 5-9

Check our website and watch the newsletters for updated information.

<http://www.amherstdanceacademy.com>

Dress Code

Is there a new dress code for regular class?

Students enrolled in the red or pink class, still have a colored leotard for their class dress code. All the other ballet classes will be participating in exams, so to help you out financially, class dress code will be the same as for exams. You won't have to purchase anything additional for exams. Ballet class: Black, tank-style leotard; pink ballet tights, pink ballet shoes. Tap, Hip-hop, Lyrical, and Tumbling class: Leotard and tights - no specific color! Dance shorts and dance capris are acceptable over a leotard. No T-shirts/sweatshirts.

STUDIO POLICIES

At Amherst Dance Academy we strive to provide a professional environment that enables the dancers to be instructed by high quality instructors and have fun at the same time. To maintain this working environment, it is very important to abide by the policies so we can continue to provide this service to you.

- Abide by the class dress code at all times (tights, leotard, shoes, etc..) If items have been forgotten, new items may be purchased or you may borrow items from another dancer if available.
- Hair is to be secured off of the face and neck before class begins.
- No gum, food, or drink in dance rooms.
- No street shoes on the dance floor
- If you are late, please come in when there is a pause in the music to not interrupt the instruction.
- Be on time to pick up your dancer and call if you are running late.
- No videos allowed during parent observation week.

Upon arrival, no dancer may leave the building under any circumstances without a parent/legal guardian.

Apprentice Teacher Training

Ballet Teacher Training is available to full time students at no additional cost. Candidates must assist in classes, graduating through various levels of dance, as well as different levels of responsibility under the guidance of the directors. This process ensures thorough teacher training and certification.

Trainee Teachers—grade school students

Apprentice Teachers—High School Diploma