



Academy of Movement, LLC Information for the 2008 -2009 School Year

Philosophy: *Learning to Move with Confidence*

The Academy of Movement classes are designed to foster self-confidence through instruction that not only teaches movement, but also teaches creativity and helps to build character among the students. All students are encouraged to challenge themselves and as a result will experience success through their movement classes. Additionally, all Academy of Movement classes will allow each student to reach new levels of physical fitness, thus helping to improve the overall health of our students.

The Academy of Movement also offers fun and rewarding performance opportunities for all students. These performances allow the students and the AOM directors and faculty to give back to our community. And they also allow each student to experience the exhilaration of performing for others in a non-competitive environment.

Registration Fee: \$20.00 (paid once per year)

Enrollment is accepted throughout the session and tuition will be prorated.

Semester Tuition: (16 Weeks of Instruction)

1 30 minute class per week	\$115.00
2 30 minute classes per week	\$160.00
1 55 minute class per week	\$160.00
2 55 minute classes per week	\$288.00
3 55 minute classes per week	\$432.00
Unlimited classes	\$485.00

10% Sibling Discount of 2nd child

Tuition and registration fee are due in full upon registration.

Fall Semester Calendar:

September 8– January 16

No class on Nov. 25- Dec. 1; Dec. 21-Jan 4

Winter Fest Rehearsals: Week of Jan. 18th

WinterFest Dinner and Dancing!!: Tentative Date: Jan. 24

Spring Semester Calendar:

January 26 – May 22

No class on Feb. 16, Spring Break: No class: April 7-13

SpringFling Rehearsals: Week of June 1st

SpringFling: Performance show at AppleDumpling Fest in early June

Guest Teachers/Master Classes:

A number of exciting guest teachers and master classes are planned for each semester. Watch for postings at the Academy of Movement.

Attendance:

Be on Time! Students are expected to arrive 10 minutes prior to class time and to be in the studio and ready to work when class begins. Students are required to attend all classes for which they are enrolled. Students with minor injuries should attend and observe. Parents should notify the office in advance regarding illnesses or injuries.

Dress Code:

Disney Dance I & II: Leotard, tights, pink ballet slippers and hair neatly tied back

Jazzy Hip-Hoppers I & II: Leotard or fitted shirt, tights or dance pants, hair pulled back, black jazz shoes ...NOT Jazz Sneakers

Intermediate, Advanced & Elite Hip-Hop: Form fitted tank/shirt, dance pants, hair pulled back, black Jazz Sneakers

Cheer-Dance and Princess Power: Shorts, shirt or tank, hair pulled back and sneakers

Take 2, Radio Disney, Boppin' Broadway: Leotard or fitted shirt, tights, or dance pants, black jazz shoes

Lyrical: Leotard, dance skirt, tights, ballet slippers

Safety and Security:

The Academy can look after the children's safety only on actual premises; therefore, we request that children be accompanied into the building to the entrance of AOM and should be retrieved in a similar fashion. Children are not permitted to leave the building, unless authorized to do so in writing by their parents. Students should be picked up promptly after classes and rehearsals and not left to wait. Please be aware of scheduled dismissal times and collect children promptly after classes..

Student Etiquette:

Every student is expected to behave in a disciplined, responsible, and courteous manner when on the AOM premises and other performing venues. Students are expected to be polite to each other as well as the Directors, faculty, staff, and parents. Rude or aggressive behavior will not be tolerated. Any use of offensive language, drugs, alcohol, or tobacco products will result in dismissal without refund.

Parent Observation: This will occur 2 times within each semester, parents will be notified of observation days in advance.

AOM ALL-STARS:

Please check table in AOM Waiting Room for any upcoming performances: You must always sign up for All-Star Performances on the sheets posted on the table. Please pass on any performance opportunities to AOM directors. Uniform and payment info. Is located on registration form. All-Star Performances is AOM's way of giving back to the community while providing students the experience and joy of performing for others.

Questions& Concerns:

Please do not hesitate to contact us directly regarding any concerns you may have, including philosophy, instruction, instructors, choreography, music selection, dress code, etc We want your studio experience here at AOM to be second to none. Enjoy the dance!