WEEKLY STUDIO DANCE SCHEDULE: WINTER & SPRING SESSION, 2025

KEA DANCE CENTER

Holidays/vacation breaks:

-Feb break: 16th - 23rd -April Break: 21st - 27th

JAN 6TH - MAR 9TH | MAR 17TH - MAY 11TH: 16 WEEKS E: HELLO@KEADANCECENTER.COM | W: KEADANCECENTER.COM MON THU TUE WFD SAT **Kids Foundations Spring Registration due by Mar 6th, 2025** Contemporary, Modern, Jazz Techniques & Style 9:30 - 10:30am Teachers: Bella, Pearl & CeCe Kids Hip Hop: Int/Adv Teen/Adult Modern Kids Hip Hop bodyART & Teen FACT 1 4:00 - 5:00pm Beg/Adv Beg Bea/Adv Bea Flex/Strength Training Beg/Adv Beg *This class is more advanced. 10:45 - 11:45am All Levels/Ages Teachers: Bella, Pearl & CeCe see Sat class for beg/adv beg or 4:00 - 5:30pm 4:00 - 5:00pm 4:00 - 5:00pm ask Kea before signing up! **Teen Contemp Teen Contemporary Teen Hip Hop** Teen FACT 2: *Tip: KIDS! Start here if Beg/Adv Beg Int/Adv Int/Beg Adv **Crew Foundations** you're age 7-11 and are All Levels skills and intermediate new to dance or have 5:05 - 6:05pm 5:45 - 7:00pm classical technique training only danced for one or *This is a combo class, dancers two years at the studio! 5:15 - 6:15pm *This is a combo class, dancers who want contemporary must who want contemporary must 5:05 - 6:15pm also take FACT on Mon. also take FACT on Mon or Thurs **Teen Hip Hop Choreo Teen Jazz Teen Jazz** Int/Adv Int/Adv Beg/Adv Beg 6:20 - 7:20pm 6:30 - 7:30pm All registration must be 6:15 - 7:15pm *This is a combo class, dancers paid in full before your who want Int Hip Hop must also *Must audition for this class first class. take Hip Hop Foundations Studio Closures: No Dance On Fridays and **Adult Hip Hop** Sundays All Levels

7:30 - 8:30pm

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<u>SPRING SESSION SCHEDULE:</u> <u>Performance Season</u>

ALL REGISTRATION FOR THE SPRING SHOW SESSION IS DUE BY MARCH 6TH!

Studio closed March 10th - 16th for show planning and preparation:

SPRING SESSION: March 17th - May 11th: REGISTRATION DUE: THURS. MARCH 6th

- Studio closed: Mar 10th 16th: NO DANCE SHOW PLANNING WEEK FOR TEACHERS
- WEEK 1: Mar 17th 23rd
- WEEK 2: Mar 24th 30th
- WEEK 3: Mar 31st 6th
- WEEK 4: Apr 7th 13th
- WEEK 5: Apr 14th 20th

"NO "REGULAR" DANCE CLASSES: Apr 21st - 27th for spring break, BUT Teen rehearsals <u>WILL</u> take place on stage!

- WEEK 6: Apr 28th May 4th (LAST WEEK IN STUDIO)
- Week 7: May 5th 11th (SHOW WEEK ON STAGE!)

GRIT & GRACE VIII STUDIO SHOWCASE

Camden Opera House

Fri May 9th, 7pm | Sat May 10th, 7pm Sun May 11th, 2pm

YOUR SPRING SHOW CHECKLIST:

STEP 1) Register for classes for the Spring Show Session: Due March 6th (do this either online or at the studio in person)

 This includes registration for the Teen Casting & Show Intensive March 16th (see below)

STEP 2) Register for Teen Casting & Show Intensive: Sunday March 16th, 12:00 - 4:00pm:

All teen dancers wishing to perform in the spring show need to "sign up" for this intensive by registering for classes on time by March 6th and pay their performance fee:

- Dancers who did not participate in the December fundraisers must pay their performance fee of \$100.00. This is added onto your registration that is due by March 6th. This is in addition to your class registration.
- Dancers who did participate in either the cold plunge or the December show fundraisers in 2024, you only pay for your classes via the website or in person at the studio and you do not pay the additional \$100.00. You still attend the workshop on March 16th.

Once you are fully registered for classes AND this intensive, your name is put on the cast list and you are expected to attend the Teen Casting & Show Intensive on the 16th to prepare for the spring performance.

MAKE UP PLAN FOR VARIOUS HOLIDAY CANCELLATIONS:

The registration schedule has accounted for holiday cancellations and has already been factored into make-up days around other varying holidays and school breaks.

INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATIONS:

If classes are canceled due to snow days, we make up classes on school vacation breaks, a short 1-2 day period, or occasional weekends.

• DROP IN POLICY:

Any student wishing to "drop in" to a dance class, must have prepaid for the class and filled out the online liability waiver.

Students/parents must give payment to teacher directly for the class (\$22 kids/\$25 teens/adults) PRIOR to class. You can not take a class if you have not paid.

• REFUNDS & CREDITS:

We do not provide refunds for classes registered both online or in person. You can receive a credit for dollar amount paid to use as you'd like within a calendar year from your purchase.

• Outstanding payments: Payment for services should be paid before any lesson or class is taken, however if a payment is late it must be completed the month of the service received (or within 30 days). After that, a 5% fee of the amount due will be added on each week the payment is outstanding until paid in full.

DRESS CODE: WE ARE A BODY POSITIVE STUDIO!

We have a strong policy against dancers wearing belly shirts or any clothing that is revealing or sexualizes the individual. We are a wholesome dance studio and teach our students about self-respect and letting the dance speak for itself, not subscribing to the toxic and unfortunate standard of dress and movement that is rampant in today's mainstream dance world that teaches young girls and boys to dress and dance in a way that is toxic and unhealthy. All of our teens are representatives to the younger generation of girls and boys who are just starting dance and learn about their bodies and movement. Our dancers are asked to choose to present and carry themselves in a way that is appropriate and healthy for the young dancers to look up to, follow and learn from. This is the responsibility of teens and adults everywhere and we take it very seriously at this studio.

MISSING CLASS FOR YOUR OWN REASONS/SICKNESS:

We do not refund classes or give credits if you miss class. We can appreciate life being unexpected, getting sick, school events and sports, however we are not able to accommodate those conflicts with our own studio plans.

This is what we are able to do to accommodate your missed class:

- You can use a missed class credit to drop into any of the various classes offered at the studio to make up for your class missed in that same session.
- Class credits cannot be applied to private lessons, performance fees, dance camps, workshops, merchandise, or any other services that must be purchased at the studio.
- Missed class credit cannot be carried over into a new session.

With our variety of class options in our weekly schedule, it is easy to find a class on a day you are not already signed up for to supplement this missed hour and try something new, especially our self-care and wellness classes that support whole-body attention and care.

COMPETITION AND JUDGEMENT FREE ZONE!

We do not participate in any competitions, both outside of the studio or in the studio. We are one big dance family and everyone is welcome to join and dance at whatever level they are at, honoring their own goals and ambitions with dance. There is enough competition in the world, enough pressure from social media to meet unrealistic standards that are false and unfortunately accepted in this world. It is up to us, one dancer and one class at a time, to bring in the age of love, support, camaraderie and a healthy outlook on self improvement and goal setting that is both encouraging and achievable, verses toxic and unrealistic. Please join us in our dance family of dance love and magic, you are very welcome with us!

GET IN THE LOOP!

- Join our mailing list: go here ---> https://view.flodesk.com/pages/6309fb3c2812b898e99a8ea9

 Enter your name and email to get put on our mailing list. This is so you can stay current on all studio notices, schedule updates, weather, cancellations etc: either use this link or go online and scroll to bottom of any page on our website.
- Follow us on facebook and Instagram @keadancecenter to see the latest from the studio and any studio and performance videos we share including student highlights and events!

PACK YOUR DANCE BAG: Downloadable Freebie!

- Look online under the class description for the class you have signed up for to see the dress code for each class.
- Download my freebie! To view what I put in my dance bag to be prepared for self-care and training: USE THIS LINK, fill in your name and email and you'll get a free downloadable pdf that has tons of info for dancers:) Have fun! https://view.flodesk.com/pages/6395436c88aca7e15696b02e

SHOW UP AND DANCE!

- Always bring a positive attitude and BE PRESENT. Our best can change day to day, but showing up ready to learn, move, and put 100% effort in, to your best ability, is the best way to attend class.
- We are a competition and judgement free studio and are here to make your dance journey amazing and fabulous! We expect all dancers to show respect to their teacher and fellow dancers by being present when they are in class to make the most out of their hour. So simply show up, learn a lot, make friends, get strong and express yourself, and always....HAVE FUN!
- Make sure you have the "full season dates" page from this packet and the schedule on your fridge to keep track of any studio closures due to holidays and our other studio dates like winter show season sign ups and more.

Q: I don't know what class I want to take, can I talk to the teacher about it?

A: YES! Both myself and some of our seasoned dancers will be at the studio on the open house to answer questions about classes. It is a busy day, so generally this day is reserved to register people. If you want more than 5 minutes of discussion, I recommend viewing the previous page to see my "dancer consult and season planning booking options".

Q: Can I wait until the first week of classes to sign up?

A: Sorry, but we require all dancers to be signed up ahead of time so we can plan on attendance in class.

Q: How do I know what level of class to sign up for?

A: I am happy to help place you, and generally, if you have no experience or 1 year of experience, you will be in our beginner or advanced beginner classes. If you have been dancing with me for a while, you will most likely be ready for our more intermediate classes, though you need to consult me first before signing up.

Q: Do you have extra forms at the studio? I don't have access to a printer

A: YES! On registration day you can come in and fill out the forms we provide and complete your entire registration process there.

Q: What do I wear to dance class?

A: Each class has a general dress code we ask dancers to abide by found online under each class description. For an example: for hip hop, dancers should wear BAGGY shirts and sweat pants NOT leggings, and they need indoor sneakers. Always have a hair tie and water too;)

Q: What ways can I pay?

A: You can pay by CC online, you can pay with check or cash in person.

Q: Do I get a refund if I don't like the class I signed up for or have another activity conflict?

A: We do not offer refunds, but dancers can receive a credit for the dollar amount paid and it is valid for the full calendar year. This is explained in detail on our policies page of this packet (the red form)

Q: I'm playing fall sports or am in the high school musical, can I join mid-session?

A: YES! Absolutely. However you will most likely need to take a few private lessons to catch up on material taught prior to your date of joining.

Q: What date to I need to join by in order to participate in the Spring show.

A: All dancers should be registered for the full year if they want to participate in our spring showcase. It takes 9 months to truly prepare for our performances. If you need to join late, I recommend joining no later than Thanksgiving. After new years break, we will be returning to classes and revisiting material taught in the fall. If you join in January at the very latest, you are required to sign up for 5 private lessons to try to catch up and expected to put in your own time to learn from other dancers as well. Dancers can not participate in the Spring show if they sign up past January.

Q: Can I still take classes if I don't want to be in the spring show.

A: YES! Once we hit our January show season kick off, all classes will be primarily focused on the show performance. So you can dance from the fall until the end of January and then join us again after the show for summer camps.

DROP IN CLASS RATES

Teen/Adult classes:

\$25.00 per class

Kids classes:

\$22.00 per class

Single Private Lesson Rates

Solo Privates:

45 min: \$90.00

1 hour: \$120.00

<u>Multi-Student Private Lessons</u> <u>& Small Groups</u>

Duet privates (2 students):

\$150.00 per hour

Trio/Quad Private (3-4 students)

\$200.00 per hour

Private group (5 or more):

\$250.00 per hour