

Mask Wearing Requirements (Montgomery County Mandate):

- All dancers and family members that enter our space must be wearing a mask covering their nose and mouth. We have extra disposable masks for adults and children in the front office in the case the mask was forgotten.
- A mask must be worn in all common space areas, restrooms, and studios at all times (except when eating lunch or snack.)
- The dance instructors will be in a mask while teaching all dance classes.

Virtual Access:

- Live streaming dance classes will be made available through Zoom for students who must stay at home due to health reasons of student or family members.
- Students may take all classes virtually until they are able to attend in person in the studio full-time. Please let us know if your student will be a virtual student.
- Zoom will also be available on a case by case basis offered to students whose family is in COVID quarantine. Please give us 24 hours notice in order to set up your students' Zoom links and notify the instructors. Students in quarantine will take all classes on Zoom until their quarantine is over.

Dance Studio Capacity:

- We currently do not have a capacity limit for our studio rooms or building. If required by Montgomery County, BDC will notify families of the restrictions and plans.
- Waiting areas are opened to family members. We ask to limit one person per student in the waiting areas.
- Please come dressed and ready as there is limited space in the dressing rooms. Dancers may leave their belongings in the common area along the wall if the dressing rooms are full.

Inside The Dance Rooms:

- Please continue social distancing and refrain from coming within 6 feet of each other while in the dance studio.
- Dancers must have shoes or socks on their feet at all times. No bare feet allowed.
- If dance shoes are not owned, dancers may wear socks.

Cleaning and Sanitizing:

- All high touch items will be sanitized between every dance class. This includes (but not limited to) door handles, the restroom, and the dance floors themselves.
- The restroom will be cleaned and sanitized after every dance class.
- To ensure we have sufficient cleaning time, classes may be dismissed 5 minutes early so the rooms can be sanitized before the next class enters.
- There will be hand sanitizer stations at the entrance of each dance room and also in the common areas.
- Antibacterial hand soap will be available in the restroom.
- All students must wash their hands or use hand sanitizer before entering the dance room.

Health:

- All staff members have been fully vaccinated against COVID19.
- In the event that any staff member is found ill or with symptoms they will be immediately sent home and the dance studio will be sanitized from top to bottom. This will take place before any students re-enter the facility.
- If a staff member is found ill with COVID19 or with symptoms all dance families will be notified immediately.
- We request that students not enter the building when ill with a fever, cough, runny nose or any other COVID19 symptoms. If a student falls ill at the studio, a family member will be contacted for immediate pick up. The dance studio will be sanitized from top to bottom and all classmate's family members will be contacted and made aware.
- All staff, students and family members who enter the building and find that they are COVID positive must inform the studio immediately.