Celestial Stars Arts Academy

Front and back must be filled out completely and signed to be accepted

Student Information:

Name______ Birth Date______ Yr. of Dance_____ Name______ Birth Date______ Yr. of Dance_____ Level Classes Name Birth Date Yr. of Dance Level Classes Parent Name(s) Home Phone_____ Cell Phone Student Phone Mailing Address_____ Student Email Fees: Registration \$35 per student or \$55 per family (Due Today): Revue Fee (per student) \$50 x = \$ Costume fee \$75 or \$65 per student, per class x =\$ (50% deposit due today, balance due Jan 15): Total Due Today: Costume Balance Due Jan 15 (when payment is not made by the due date, the costume will not be ordered and participation in the revue becomes as an understudy only): Monthly Tuition (Due first day of each month Aug-May) Payment: Payment accepted by Cash, Check, Credit/Debit, Paypal, or Venmo I agree to pay my tuition in full by the 1st day of every month, August 2021-May 2022. I understand I will be charged an additional \$25 late fee for payments made after the 5th of each month. I agree to have a credit card on file and it will be charged as a backup payment on the 6th of the month when a payment is not made by the 5th and it will include the \$25 late fee. Name on Card_____ Card # Exp. Date 3 digit security code Signature

Studio Policies and Procedures:

Payment of Fees —Tuition is based on a 10 month schedule, August-May. Students who enroll late will have a prorated draft for the first month only. Overdue balances will be charged 10% for every month the balance goes unpaid. Student's will not be allowed to participate in lessons if balances are over one month late.

Bank Check Policy – If your check is dishonored or returned for any reason, you will be charged a processing fee of \$30.

Registration – All new and returning students must complete the registration form before beginning class. The registration fee is non-refundable and is due at the time of registration.

Revue – There will be a revue at the end of the school year. Performance plays a necessary role in the dance experience. Each student is required to purchase a costume for the performance for each dance. These fees are to be paid in full or with a 50% deposit at the time of registration. Balances are due Jan 15. Revue fees include a certificate/trophy and 4 tickets per family. Students with any overdue balances at the end of the year will not receive their costumes and not be able to participate in the performance. If a student is injured or otherwise unable to perform, they are expected to participate by helping backstage. There will be required tights, shoes, earrings, make-up and hairstyles for the performances.

Refunds – Registration fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. Revue fees are non-refundable after Jan 1, 2022 and non-transferable.

Costume fees are non-refundable after Jan 1, 2022 and non-transferable. No refunds are made for missed classes. No refunds or transfers are given for payments made in full for the year or semester. No refunds will be given to any student who drops out of lessons for any reason or whose contract is terminated by the school.

Withdrawals – A one month notice is needed to withdraw from lessons or bills will acquire. The notice must be made in person within the first 7 days of the final month. The withdrawal form must be completed and signed at the time of notice. No withdrawals will be accepted after Feb. 1.

Cancellation – The school has the right to cancel a student's contract at any time if the student and/or his/her parent(s) fail to follow the rules and regulations and/or conduct themselves in a way that is deemed unacceptable to the studio environment.

Illness – If you have a fever please stay home. By registering, you are acknowledging that an inherent risk of exposure to Covid-19 exists in any public place where people are present. By attending, you on behalf of your children, voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to Covid-19 and agree not to hold Celestial Stars Arts Academy, Celestial Stars Performing Arts, the owner, directors, or staff "liable for any illness or injury".

Attendance and Missed Lessons – Consistent attendance is required for the student to retain what is learned and to build muscle memory. If a student is going to miss a lesson, please notify the studio. If you miss a class, you may make it up by taking any other class at a comparable level. If a student has an injury or illness that requires significant absence, notify the studio and adjustments will be made, but students will need to be present to take notes during classes and rehearsals if their illness and/or injury will not affect the other students. If excessive lessons are missed the student may be removed from choreography and or dances. If lessons must be canceled due to extreme weather or events beyond our control, the missed lessons will be scheduled at a date designated by the teacher. No refunds for lessons missed due to these reasons will be given. It is your responsibility to be aware of rehearsals and performances and know that it is not acceptable to miss unless it is a significant event such as a wedding or death in the family.

Leveling – The level in which each student enters is at the sole discretion of the director. The students who take the suggested classes for their level will progress through the program in a timely manner. Students who take the minimum number of lessons will likely spend more time in each level.

Etiquette – The dress code is strictly enforced. Repeated failure to wear the required attire will result with the student sitting out the class and rehearsals. Dancers who are late distract the teacher and other students. Always try to be on time. Dancers who are more than 15 minutes late will not participate, but will watch and take notes; they are not properly warmed up and risk injury.

Parent Participation – You must come inside and check the bulletin for important information as well as be familiar with important dates and deadlines, additionally; the e-mail address you provide should be checked often as information is sent via e-mail. Sitting in class is prohibited. Parents are asked to remind their children daily to stretch as well as practice anything new learned and/or choreography. In order to teach your children the importance of teamwork and commitment, it is imperative that we have your full support. Negative emails, gossip, or talk about dancers other than your own is unacceptable. The teacher's decisions regarding choreography and placement are final.

Substitutes – A qualified substitute teacher may be provided if the regular teacher is ill or otherwise unable to teach.

Care of Students – The school is not responsible for providing before or after class care for the students. Parents with students under the age of 5 must remain at the school during lesson times. Students are not to be left at the school for excessive time periods.

Photo release – Photographs and/or video may be taken during lessons, rehearsals, and performances. These images are used on the school's website, facebook page, and in promotional materials. Names of children are not used without parental permission.

Injuries – Parents, legal guardians of minors, students and adult students waive the right to any legal action for any injury sustained on school property resulting from normal class activity or any other activity conducted by the students before, during or after class time.

Consultation – The director has an extensive professional training background and any question that arises should be addressed with her, as well, any outside activities including dance and sports, summer programs, master classes, performances, competitions, etc, will be brought to her attention as a consultation for her advice, expertise, and potential conflicts.

Communication with the Teacher – Teachers are not available during or between class times. You may call the studio and leave a message or write an e-mail to the studio. Do not text or call a teacher on their personal cell, fb message, etc, unless it is an emergency. Company and Christmas Angel – this contract pertains only to Celestial Stars Arts Academy. Both the Company and Christmas Angel have their own separate contracts, rules and guidelines, and fees that are payable to the non-profit organization, Celestial Stars Performing Arts.	
By signing below, you acknowledge that you have read and agree to the studio policies and procedures.	
Name	
Signature	Date
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