



How to Register

1. Read VOSJCC/DF/DFYA **Policies and Procedures** (below), review the **Class Schedule** and determine which class(es) you are interested in registering yourself and/or your child.
2. Complete the **Student Registration/Emergency Form** and sign and date the form for yourself and/or your child. Each child or yourself will need a separate form. These forms are available on Dance Fusion Youth Academy website at www.dancefusionyouthacademy.com or can be picked up at the membership desk at **VOSJCC**, or can be picked up at **Dance Fusion Studios, 7601 E Gray Rd, Suite B, Scottsdale, AZ 85260** (from the JCC, 1 mile north on Scottsdale Rd., east on Thunderbird, S. on 76th St. to Gray).
3. Bring completed registration forms for yourself and/or your child to the membership desk at **VOSJCC**. Please call or visit the VOSJCC membership desk for questions on registration and payments. Please call Dance Fusion front desk with any questions regarding classes at **480-625-3900**.

DFYA Placement:

Youth classes are designated by age. Please register your child for classes that correspond to their age level. If your child has had prior dance training and is an intermediate or advanced student, accommodations will be made for your child's level in class. Please contact the front desk for information on how to consult with the teacher prior to your child taking class.

DFYA is a non-competitive program focused on teaching the fundamentals of dance and the use of proper technique. We are also a studio of **FUN!!** Your child may need to relearn some previously learned dance skills. Their placement in an age appropriate class as opposed to a skill level appropriate class will help the teacher understand your child's strengths and weaknesses and how to best advance their training.

DF Classes:

Adult classes are geared toward beginners and intermediate dancers focusing on technique, choreography, safety, injury prevention, Community and **FUN!!**

Adult Photographic Release and Waiver: By signing below, I give permission for photographs of myself in dance class or performances to be used in promotional material for DFYA and/or DF and or its designees in both print and web publications.

YES (signature) _____

Youth Photographic Release and Waiver is in Youth Emergency Information Form (below).



Registration 2018/2019

Date _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____

Adult or Child's Name (first and last) _____

Address _____ City _____

Zip _____ Home School (Youth only) _____

Dance Experience _____ Where _____

Referred by _____

Phone #s (area code) _____
home work cell

Email address _____

Youth only: Mother/Guardian Name _____
first last

Phone #s (area code) _____
home work cell

Email address _____

Father/Guardian Name _____
first last

Phone #s (area code) _____
home work cell

Email address _____

Youth only:

I, _____ (Parent/Guardian) of aforementioned child, have read and understood all policies and procedures, tuition policy, fees and calendar dates.

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| 1. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 2. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 3. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 4. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 5. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 6. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 7. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |
| 8. Class _____ | Day/Time _____ | Teacher _____ |

Youth Emergency Information

Please give the names of two individuals (**other than yourself**) who will assure the responsibility of your child in case of an illness or accident until you can be contacted. Please notify these individuals of these arrangements. In case of changes in this information, please notify the studio in writing.

Emergency contact #1:

Name _____ Relationship (eg. Aunt, grandparent, friend) _____

Phone # (include area code) _____
home work

Emergency contact #2:

Name _____ Relationship (eg. Aunt, grandparent, friend) _____

Phone # (include area code) _____
home work

Child's Medical Conditions (pertaining to dance) _____

Doctor's Name _____ Office phone # _____

Dance is a physical activity. We recommend you discuss with your child's doctor during their annual fall school exam the activities that your child will be participating in. Please discuss and inform the studio of any physical or emotional needs your child may have.

Although health and safety are of the utmost importance to the instructors and staff, the studio is not responsible for injury on the premises or at any DFYA or DF sponsored event.

I, the undersigned parent or guardian of the above aforementioned child, do hereby authorize officials of Dance Fusion Youth Academy (DFYA) to contact directly the persons named on this form and do authorize the named physicians to render such treatment as may be deemed necessary in an emergency, for the health of said child. Additionally, the dance studio personnel are hereby authorized to take whatever action is deemed necessary in their judgment of the health and safety of the child.

Parent(s) acknowledge that DFYA is not a baby-sitting or day care service. There may be a fee charged for any student who has to wait to be picked-up after the studio closes. All students should be instructed to wait inside the studio lobby for their rides.

Any unauthorized use of DFYA's name, images or students on the internet or personal websites will be dismissed.

I have read completely the DFYA information, policies and procedures regarding dance fees, absences, holiday observance, class procedures, studio conduct rules, questions/problems, late fees, illness, injury and dance attire information. Classes are charged on a monthly basis. No refunds or credits. Make up classes may be available. (Credit card information listed below to be automatically charged if the monthly tuition payment has not been received by the 5th of the month.)

Credit Card # _____ Expiration date _____ 3 digit code _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____ Card Zip Code _____

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YES (parent/guardian signature) _____

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Scottsdale Airpark

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frontdesk@dancefusionaz.com

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Recitals

Performances are NOT mandatory at Dance Fusion or Dance Fusion Youth Academy.

There will be opportunities for you and/or your child to participate in performances if desired. There will be an end of fall semester performance in studio and an end of year spring performance at the end of April, 2019.

If you or your child is not performing we encourage attendance at the performances to support class mates.

For Youth, parents may not be in the dance studios during classes. They may be present in classes on select weeks (one per semester) to be determined. Your child will inform you of those weeks. Of course, your child can show you what they have learned at home.

Drop Class Form

Child's Name _____

Age _____

Class Dropped _____

Date Dropped _____

Reason _____

Make-up Class Form

Child's Name _____

Age _____

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Class Missed _____

Class for Make-up _____

Date of Make-up _____

Teacher signature _____

DFYA Studio Rules

PLEASE:

Be respectful other students and teachers.

No talking or teasing other students.

NO BULLYING!!!

NO running or horseplay.

NO standing on benches or chairs. NO kicking of benches, chairs or walls.

Do NOT touch the sound system; it is for your teacher only.

NO students in the classroom without a teacher present.

Turn off the ringers on your cell phones in the dance studios. All phone calls and texting can be made from the Lobby or Library

NO food in the dance studios. Spill-proof water bottles are allowed. If you spill water in the dance studio, clean it up IMMEDIATELY.

Snacks are allowed in the equipment room. Please dispose of your trash in the equipment room.

Arrive 5 minutes before the class begins.

Adhere to dress codes for classes.

Students are to wait for your parents in the Library or Lobby. Children must not wait outside the building for their parents.

Parents are to be at the studio on time to pick up your children.

Do NOT leave your child to wait for you for more than 10 minutes after their last class. A fee of \$25 will be charged if your child is waiting for you for more than 10 minutes.

Library books are to be reserved and checked out at the front desk as any other library.

If your child gets sick or has a potty accident inside the studio, library or lobby, it is the parent or guardian's responsibility to clean it.

Address your concerns to the front desk, not to the teacher or other parents or other students.

Be supportive of your child's endeavors but do not put expectations on them. They are here to learn at their own pace with their own goals. This is NOT a competitive studio, it is an inspirational program.

I agree to the above terms _____
Parent Signature Child's Signature

Dance Fusion Youth Academy Dress Code

Class	Bodywear	Legwear	Footwear	Hair
2-4 Mommy and Me	Loose clothing	Loose pants or shorts	Sneakers	Pulled back
6-9 Ballet	Pink leotard - g White fit T-Shirt – b	Pink Tights - g Black shorts – b	Pink slippers - g Black slippers – b	Ballet bun - g Off face – b
10-13 Ballet	Black leotard - g White fit T-Shirt – b	Pink Tights - g Black shorts – b	Pink slippers Black slippers – b	Ballet bun - g Off face – b
Jazz/Contemporary	Solid black top	Solid black pants	Jazz shoes	Pulled back
Musical Theater	Solid black top	Solid black pants	Jazz shoes	Pulled back
Tap/MT Tap	Solid black top	Solid black pants	Flat Tap shoes	Pulled back
Hip Hop/Cardio Dance	Loose shirts No mid-drift	Solid black pants	Jazz shoes	Pulled back
Bollywood	Loose shirt	Leggings or skirts - g Loose pants - b	Barefoot	Pulled back
Flamenco	Black loose shirt	Black loose skirt – g Black loose pants – b	Flamenco shoes	Pulled back

Dress code rules:

No patterns or prints, stripes, patterns, logos, skirts, cut-offs, mid-drifts, spaghetti straps, sweats or baggy fitting clothes.

No gum or jewelry in class.



Youth Policies and Procedures

Classes:

Please have your child arrive 5 minutes prior to class start time dressed in the appropriate attire, shoes and hairstyle. Please do not be late for classes as class warm up time is extremely important for your child's health and safety. Attendance will not be granted if your child is over 10 minutes late, the missed class will not qualify for a make-up class.

Clothing:

Please refer to the DFYA dress code. Shoes need to fit properly, have you child fit for their dance shoes by an appropriate vendor. Do not allow your child to wear their dance shoes outside the studio.

Hygiene:

Children **MUST** be potty trained. NO children will be allowed in classes with diapers, pull-ups or training pants. If your child has an accident, the parent/guardian is responsible for cleaning the area soiled and must bring it back to the condition it was in prior to the accident. Refusal to do so by the parent/guardian will result in your child losing their spot in class and if this occurs, there will not be any refunds or pro-rated adjustments to your child's account.

Observance of Classes:

Parents are not allowed into the classroom during class times except for Mommy and Me Classes. Classes can be observed periodically, a schedule will be made available during the semester.

Before/After Class:

Students will wait in the reception area or library for class time to start. Once the class is done, students need to come back into the reception area or library to put on their street shoes and wait for their parent/guardian. If your child is taking another class, they can remain in the studio to change their shoes for the next class. **Your child is not allowed to wait outside the studio for their ride home. Don't be late picking up your child.**

Class Cancellation:

DFYA reserves the right to combine classes, change times, provide substitute or replacement teachers, and cancel or combine any class with 4 or less students.

Questions/Concerns:

Please do not engage the instructors at any time in their respective dance rooms to ask questions. If you need to speak to the teacher, please contact the studio at 480-625-3900 and leave a message. Teachers and parents can schedule a studio meeting if necessary. Please do so through the front desk staff.

Absences:

Students may make up missed classes in other comparable classes within the same month as the missed class. Missed classes are not refundable. Tuition is still due to hold the spot for your child. There are no refunds if you drop a class(es) in the middle of the month. **DFYA requests that the parent calls the studio to inform the teacher and staff of any absence, illness or problem a student may be having.** If your child has a contagious illness, or is injured please keep them out of class until they are recovered and can participate fully without risk of relapse or injury. In case of serious illness or injury, a doctor's permission note to return will be required.

Dropping/Adding Classes:

Once a student has enrolled, paid the registration fee and first month's tuition, we will permit the student to try other classes. Drop in rates will apply (see tuition policies).

Since dance fees are charged monthly, your child may drop out of a class at any time. If you paid the current month's fee and drop during the beginning or middle of the month you will not receive a refund. Your child may, however, finish the rest of the month and drop at the end of that month. If you drop classes in the middle of the month and have not paid for that month, you will be billed at your normal monthly rate for the entire month.

To ensure that you do not get billed after your child has dropped a class, please come in and fill out a Drop/Add Form or mail a letter so we may remove you from that class list and our billing records. If your child adds classes during the middle of a month, the remainder of that month will be pro-rated and the following month will be at the full rate.

Dance Fusion Youth Academy Schedule of Classes Fall 2018/Spring 2019 (16-weeks) per Semester

Studio A

Studio B

Monday:

11 am Mommy and Me (ages 2-4)
4:00 pm Ballet (ages 6-7)
5:00 pm Ballet (ages 8-11)

4:00 pm Hip Hop (ages 8-11)
5:00 pm Hip Hop (ages 6-7)

Tuesday:

6:00 pm Youth Beg/Int Tap (ages 8 - adult)
7:00 pm Cardio Dance Party (ages 12 - adult)

4:00 pm Intro to Dance (ages 4-5)
5:00 pm Contemporary (ages 8-11)

Wednesday:

**7:00 pm Bollywood Choreography (ages 10 - adult)

Thursday:

4:00 pm Ballet (ages 6-7)
5:00 pm Ballet (ages 8-11)
**8:00 pm Israeli Folk Dancing (ages 8 – adult)

4:00 pm Musical Theater Sing/Act (ages 8-12)
5:00 pm Musical Theater Dance (ages 8-12)

Friday:

3:30 pm Musical Theater Tap (ages 8-12)
**5:30 pm Flamenco (ages 6 - adult)

4:30 pm Jazz (ages 8-12)

Saturday:

11:00 am Beg/Int Ballet (ages 12 - adult)
Noon (ages 12 - adult) Hip Hop
1:00 pm (8 - adult) Hip Hop

Fall 2018 classes begin Mon. Aug. 13th, 2018 and end Sat., Dec. 15th, 2018
(weeks of October 8th and November 19th off for Holiday breaks)
Spring 2019 classes begin Mon. Jan 7th, 2019 and end Sat. May 3rd, 2019
(1 week of for Spring break in March)

In Studio recital end of December: date TBD
Spring recital at Cactus Shadows Fine Arts Center: Sunday, 4/28/19

Dance Fusion Youth Academy™ is the Valley's ONLY non-competitive Youth Dance Program that fosters an appreciation for Dance through Technique and Choreography and encourages friendships and a sense of Community. If your child wishes, performance opportunities are available.

****Register at Dance Fusion not VOSJCC for these classes.**

Dance Fusion Youth Academy Description of Classes

Philosophy:

Dance Fusion Youth Academy is a non-competitive supportive program focused on fun, fitness and educating your child in proper techniques of a variety of dance forms. Opportunity for development in several genres as well as a strong foundation in proper form and technique makes Dance Fusion Youth Academy stand apart.

Children will be encouraged to support one another and will be inspired for growth in their dance art forms with enthusiasm. We offer a community environment to your children.

There will be NO pressure to compete or perform. There will be no competitions scheduled. No child will be turned away for size, shape, ability (except if there is a discipline issue). Children that wish to perform will be given opportunities.

Our family dance program will allow families to learn and dance together in this unique family bonding experience. See family class options on our schedule page.

Classes below have been chosen for a complete dance training experience. Each genre will build on the other genres to create a well-rounded dancer.

Description of Classes:

Intro to Dance: Your child will learn the basics of movement to music as well as basic tumbling skills.

Ballet: Ballet basics and techniques will be the focus of this class. Children will be assessed for their level if they had prior training, classes are age appropriate and designed to accommodate all levels of experience and skill.

Tap: Tap basics will be taught and advanced into combinations and choreography. Technique, Rhythm, Improvisational and **Musical Theater Tap** will be introduced and explored by your child.

Contemporary: Movement basics will be taught incorporating skills learned in ballet as well as the opportunity for freedom of expression through dance. Technique and choreography will be taught.

Hip Hop: Style and grooves will be emphasized in this class which will teach your child the basics of this art form. Choreography will also be introduced.

Cardio Dance Party: High energy workout to fun Top Tunes.

Musical Theater: Singing, dancing, acting; your child can develop these well-rounded skills in our *Triple Threat Program*. They will also gain an appreciation for the classic Musical Theater productions.

Jazz: Learn the basics of this versatile dance form found in many genres of dance. Students will learn basic movements across the floor, arm and foot expressions, turns and choreography.

Bollywood Choreography: The Beautiful movements of Indian dance and culture are taught in this symbolic diverse class. Choreography for several routines are taught throughout the semester.

Flamenco: Traditional dance with live guitar is unique to Dance Fusion. Learn footwork, arm movements, posture, fans and choreography.

Mommy and Me: Enjoy learning with your child as you inspire fitness and dance as a valuable part of their lives.

All Ages Dance:

The following classes are available to you and your children as you learn together:

Hip Hop, Cardio Dance Party, Bollywood, **Israeli Folk Dance, **Flamenco

** Separate Fees Apply.