

Parents - What You Need to Know

2026-2027 Dance Season (Sunday, Aug 2, 2026- Saturday, May 15, 2027)



Dates for Your Calendar

- Classes Begin – Sunday, August 2, 2026
- AUDITION for The Nutcracker (ages 5+) Ballet – Saturday, August 15th - time TBA
- Labor Day – Monday, September 7, 2026 (no children's classes)
- Fall Break– Monday, October 12, 2026- Friday, October 16, 2026 (no children's classes)
- Bring a Friend Week – Sunday, Oct 25, 2026- Saturday, Oct 31, 2026
- Parent Observation Week- Saturday, Nov 14, 2026- Thursday, Nov 19, 2026
- Thanksgiving – Monday, November 23, 2026- Sunday, November 29, 2026 (no children's classes)
- Winter Performance (ALL ages 10+ classes), ALL Youth Company, & Main Cast – December 13, 2026
- Winter Break – Friday, December 18, 2026- Monday, January 4, 2027 (no children's classes)
- Classes Resume –Tuesday, January 5, 2027
- February Break – Monday, February 15, 2027 (no children's classes)
- Picture Days: Friday, March 19, 2027 -Sunday, March 21, 2027
- Spring Break – Sunday, April 4, 2027-Saturday, April 10, 2027 (no children's classes)
- Dress Rehearsal and Performance – Saturday, May 8 – Sunday, May 9, 2027
- Saturday, May 15, 2027 - Last Day of Dance before summer season begins

Winter Performance – Sunday, December 13, 2026 for Ages 10+ classes, Youth Company, Main Cast


Spring - End of the Year Performance. Every class participates in the end of the year performance, except for ages 10+ ballet classes that are technique classes (non-performance sections). Class performance times and schedules are on the [Parent Portal](#). The performance fee of \$185 includes your child's 1st costume. If your child **cannot** perform, please let us know. If your child performs in more than 1 class, there is an additional costume fee of \$85 per additional costume. If dancer's change their schedule after Jan 23rd, you will incur an additional costume fee of \$85 for the new costume. **The deadline to pay the performance fee is November 6, 2026. In order to perform, all accounts must be in good standing, and the 10th and final tuition payment run on April 15th MUST be paid in order to perform.**

Uniforms: Please schedule a uniform fitting appointment. Your child is required to wear their uniform to class each week. **The TADA [Uniform Guide is here](#). TADA cannot accommodate uniform fittings on the first day of class. Schedule your uniform fitting 2-3 weeks BEFORE your first class.**

Hair: For all dance classes, hair must be neatly pulled back in a bun (Ballet) or a ponytail (Hip-Hop, Jazz, Musical Theater, Tap, and Contemporary).

Expected Behavior in Class and in the Studios

- All students are expected to respect their teachers and peers, use kind and respectful words, and conduct themselves in an orderly fashion.
- If a student verbally or physically bullies another individual, this is grounds for immediate expulsion and there will be no tuition refunded.
- TADA reserves the right to limit student participation for not adhering to uniform/attire for class and behavior perceived inappropriate.

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- Parents are not allowed to accompany their children into the dance studios. Parents are required to wait outside of the studios.

Please let us know...

- If your child has any special needs or physical/mental disabilities. The better we understand your child, the better we will be able to guide them in learning dance, and we welcome EVERYONE at TADA.
- If you would like to review your child's progress or if you have any concerns, please let the Director know and we will be happy to schedule a meeting to review.
- Any meeting scheduled will have the Director present. This will assist in ensuring clear communication and that all of us are working together to address the concern.

Tuition and Payment Information:

- All children's classes require enrollment for the full season, but don't worry...
- If your child does not enjoy their dance class and you would like to cancel, a 30-day written notice of cancellation is required.
- At the time of registration, tuition can be paid in full or tuition can be paid monthly. In order to secure your dancer's spot in the class, the 1st tuition payment and the registration fee must be paid.
- If you opt for tuition payments, your credit card on file will be charged on the 1st each month. The final tuition payment for the season will be charged on April 15th. In April, you will be charged on April 1st **and** April 15th (instead of May 1st).
- Tuition is not prorated based on the number of weeks in a month. For example, months with 5 weeks or months with 3 weeks have the same monthly charge.
- Families with more than 1 child will receive a 5% discount on the 2nd child's tuition.
- Tuition costs cover classes only, and there is an additional charge for performance fees, performance tickets, costume fees, and dance portraits.
- The parent or guardian who registers a student also assumes responsibility for making all associated payments. This policy helps us ensure clear communication and avoids any potential misunderstandings regarding payment obligations.
- There is a \$50 registration fee required per year.
- Registration fees, tuition, and performance fees are non-refundable.
- If your child misses a class, tuition will not be pro-rated or refunded.
- TADA is not responsible for lost or stolen property in the building or anywhere on the premises.
- If your child has excessive absences leading up to the Spring performance, they may not be able to perform, and the performance fee will not be refunded.
- If TADA must close for health reasons, classes will be immediately transitioned to online. Tuition payments will remain the same.

Make-Ups: Because we limit the number of students enrolled in each class, we are not able to accommodate make-up classes for any missed classes. Refunds will not be given due to missed classes.

What if it snows or something else happens where there might be a possibility of classes being canceled?
TADA will likely cancel classes when Fulton or DeKalb County Schools close due to inclement weather. If you are unsure, it's best to check our website, Facebook, or Instagram page.