

2018 Just For Kix Summer Studio Classes

We encourage all of our dancers to consider taking dance classes over the summer months. There is SO much progress made over our 9-month dance season that taking a whole summer off can be detrimental.

June Technique classes are great for dancers to hone in on specific technique and work to perfect specific skills related to jazz and kick as well as work on strengthening and flexibility.

July Technique/Style classes are designed to further develop dancer's quality of movement. We will incorporate technique training but take it to the next level by adding choreography and challenging the dancer's overall style, the way they move and the way they hear music. You can register for 1, 2 or all 3 of the July style classes and each class will focus on a different form of movement/style of dance.

Our August Bootcamp is NEW this year and will help prepare dancers who are interested in trying out for a placement jazz/kick teams (2-12th grade) and/or a placement hip hop team (6-12th grade). Dancers will be immersed in ballet, technique classes, strength and conditioning training as well as learning combos in a variety of styles by a variety of full year studio instructors as well as guest instructors that we'll be bringing in! We **HIGHLY RECOMMEND** this for all dancers planning to tryout for our placement classes on August 9th!

Placement classes are for dancers who are ready for more than a 1 hour per week recreational kick class. These classes are designed to help dancers that are serious about learning more and help to become a well-rounded dancer. Dancers develop more technique, body awareness, and style that will take them to a higher level of dance.

Unlike our recreational classes where dancers are grouped solely by their grade, placement class dancers are placed by grade AND skill level. We make this determination at our low-pressure placement testing on August 9th. Placements are important so that we can challenge dancers who are excelling at a quicker rate and on the other hand, slow down and break down technique more thoroughly for dancers as needed. This is similar to various reading/math groups at school. We want to provide the BEST education to all of our dancers.

All 2-12th grade dancers wanting to be placed into a jazz/kick placement class and all 6-12th grade dancers wanting to be placed into a hip hop class will need to attend the auditions on Thursday, August 9th. Times for each age group are listed on the back of this sheet. If your dancer cannot attend on this day, arrangements for trying out will need to be made for your dancer to tryout BEFORE Thursday, August 9th.

“What if I don't want to be placed into a class?” Placement testing is a great experience for several reasons. It prepares dancers how to go through and audition process which may be beneficial later in life whether they are trying out for a high school/college dance team or interviewing for a job. It also allows us to provide specific feedback to dancers to help set goals and know what to continue to work and improve on for the upcoming season. However, if dancers do not want to be placed they can register for our CORE jazz classes and coinciding kick class for their age (Twinkler/Wee, Dazzler/Mini, Showstopper/Middle, Diamond/Junior, Stardreamer/Senior).

2nd-3rd Grade:

Sparklers – Kick, Jazz & Ballet/Lyrical required

Twinklers – Kick & Jazz required (Ballet/lyrical recommended)

4th-5th Grade:

Starlites – Kick, Jazz, Ballet & Lyrical required

Shining Stars – Kick, Jazz, Ballet required (lyrical recommended)

Dazzlers – Jazz required and must take either kick or ballet, lyrical recommended)

6th-8th Grade:

Rising Stars – Kick, Jazz, Ballet, Lyrical required

Shooting Stars – Kick, Jazz, Ballet Required (Lyrical recommended)

Showstoppers – Jazz required and must take either kick or ballet, lyrical recommended) (6th-7th grade)

9th-12th Grade:

Starmakers – Kick, Jazz, Ballet, & Lyrical required (9-12th grade)

Stardreamers - Jazz required and must take either kick or ballet, lyrical recommended) (10-12th Grade)

Diamonds - Jazz required and must take either kick or ballet, lyrical recommended) (8-9th Grade)

Check It Out:

In addition to our summer technique classes, we are offering several other class options for PRESCHOOL-12th grade dancers!

Turn this sheet over for more details!

Placement Testing: Thursday, August 9th2nd-3rd Grade: 10:00am-11:15am4th-5th Grade: 11:15am-12:45pm6th-8th Grade: 12:45-3:45pm9th-12th Grade: 3:45-5:45pm

- Dancers should wear all black, tight fitting clothing so that we can see their body alignment. Hair should be in a bun with bangs pulled back off of the face.

- Dancers will be given a number upon arrival. Once they have auditioned, they are free to go and may not have to stay for the entire time.

| Class | Age | Dates | Times | Price |
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| JUNE • | | | | |
| Technique I | K-3rd | June 5, 12, 19, 26 | 10:30am-12:00pm | \$61.50 |
| Technique II | 4-7th | June 5, 12, 19, 26 | 12:00-2:00pm | \$82 |
| Technique III | 8-12th | June 12, 14, 19, 21 | 2:00-4:00pm | \$82 |
| Preschool Camp: Moana | 2-7 years | June 23rd | 9:30-11:30am | \$25 |
| Beg/Int Ballet | 2-12th | June 7, 14, 21, 28 | 10:00am-11:30am (4-5:30pm on the 28th) | \$61.50 |
| Int/Adv Ballet | 5-12th | June 8, 15, 22, 29 | 11:30am-1:00pm (5:30-7:00pm on the 28th) | \$61.50 |
| Dance Camp | K-4th | June 27-29 | 9:00-3:00pm | \$115 |

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| JULY • | | | | |
| Dance Camp | 4-9th | July 12th-14th | 9:00-3:00pm | \$115 |
| Preschool Special Session | 2-5 years | July 10, 17, 24, 31 | 5:30-6:15pm | \$41 |
| July Technique/Style Classes (register individually) | K-12th | July 12, 19, 26 | 4:30-6:30pm | \$20/class |
| Midnight Madness | 6-12th | July 20th | 10:00pm-12:00am | \$20 |
| Beg/Int Ballet | 2-12th | July 10, 17, 24, 31 | 4:00-5:30pm | \$61.50 |
| Int/Adv Ballet | 5-12th | July 10, 17, 24, 31 | 5:30-7:00pm | \$61.50 |

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| AUGUST • | | | | |
| Beg/Int Ballet | 2-12th | Aug 13, 15, 27, 29 | 10:30-12:00pm | \$61.50 |
| Int/Adv Ballet | 5-12th | Aug 13, 15, 27, 29 | 12:00-1:30pm | \$61.50 |
| Preschool Camp: My Little Pony | 2-7 years | Aug 11th | 9:30-11:30am | \$25 |
| August Bootcamp (Audition prep) | 2-12th | Aug 6-8th | 1:00pm-5:00pm | TBD |
| Placement Class Auditions | 2-12th | Aug 9th | See Above | FREE |
| Midnight Madness | 6-12th | Aug 17th | 10:00pm-12:00am | \$20 |

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| Mandatory Choreography Dates for Placement Classes • | | | | |
| Sparklers | 2nd-3rd | Aug 20, 21, 22 | 9:45am-12:45pm | \$92.25 |
| Starlites | 4th-5th | Aug 20, 21, 22 | 9:45am-12:45pm | \$92.25 |
| Rising Stars | 6th-8th | Aug 20, 21, 22 | 12:45pm-3:45pm | \$92.25 |
| Starmakers | 9th-12th | Aug 20, 21, 22 | 12:45pm-3:45pm | \$92.25 |
| August Ballet | 2nd-12th | Aug 13, 15, 27, 29 | 9:00am-10:30am | \$61.50 |
| Hip Hop Production | 2-12th | Sept. 4, 6 | TBD | FREE |

