

Junior & Senior Kix Attendance Agreement

At your level of dance it is expressly important that we have good attendance at class and performances. Dance is a team sport and if you miss a week of skills and choreography, it affects the entire team. Therefore, we will have the following policy:

- **If you are absent two out of three classes** before any performance, you will not be allowed to perform at that event.
- **Your parent is required to call me** if you will be absent from class or a performance. If I am not notified, I will call the parent to make sure they are aware of your absence.
- **Excused absences include:**
 - **Medical (severe illness or injury) or Family Emergencies**
 - **If you have a conflict** you cannot avoid, such as you have a basketball game, volleyball game, gymnastics meet, etc. I will excuse that **a limited number of times**, but you must inform me in advance. If this occurs too often, it will be unexcused
 - **If there is a large event** that will cause the majority of the group to be absent, such as a band/choir concert or the like, please inform me well in advance.
- **Unexcused absences include,** but are not limited to: work, out of town, couldn't find a ride, forgot, etc.
 - **If class is rescheduled** due to a large event as described above, or weather etc., you are still required to be at the rescheduled class. For rescheduled classes, I will make some exceptions for work and that type of thing, but simply forgetting, or being unable to get a ride etc. will be unexcused.
- **If you reach three unexcused absences** you will sit out the next performance regardless of what it is. If it is a competition, you will not be refunded your competition fees.
- **If you skip class, by that I mean your parent thinks you are at class, and you are not,** you will sit out the next performance. If you do this more than once, you will be off the team.
- **Expected Behavior:** If a dancer is being disruptive at class, I will sit them out. If this happens more than once I will call the parent. If I am repeatedly telling the class to quiet down and/or pay attention, I will end the class early and send the kids home. Classes ended early because of discipline will not be made up.

I am SO EXCITED about our season, and glad to have each and every one of you in class. This policy is in place for the benefit of the team. Please speak with me if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you for joining Just For Kix!!

Jess Karsch-Strassburg, Just For Kix Program Director

I have read the above statement and agree to abide by it.

Dancer's Signature Date

Parent's Signature Date

Please return by the second night of class