

y-dance winter 2012

Class Options

The Y-Dance program offers the following dance classes for children, teens, and adults: Ballet/Jazz Fusion, Hip Hop, and Tap. All classes are held at the YWCA, 605 N. 6th Street, Lafayette. For most classes, minimum enrollment is four students. **IMPORTANT: Measurements will be taken for recital costumes the week of January 9-12 and ordered at the week's end.** (See recital information below.) Therefore, we cannot add to our enrollment after this date. The winter session for dance classes is 15 weeks, beginning January 16 running through May 3. There will be no classes during the week of March 26-29 for spring break. See class schedule and observation dates on the back of this flier. Register by January 2 by calling 765-742-0075.

Ballet/Jazz Fusion (1-hour class for 15 weeks)

This session will focus on warm-up, flexibility, and ballet technical skills at the ballet barre and center floor, mixed with jazz movement. A recital routine will also be taught. See schedule on back for instructors.

Fusion Technique (Div. II 1 hour/Div. III 1.5 hours for 15 weeks)

A technique class is offered for dancers in Div. II and Div. III who want to focus and excel beyond the "recreational level." (IE dancers who foresee themselves on dance teams, in musical theatre, auditions, etc.) This class is required for any dancer in advanced, recommended for dancers in intermediate, and by invitation for beginning dancers.

Hip Hop (45-minute class for 15 weeks)

This class focuses on strength and conditioning exercises as a basis for hip hop stunts and tricks as well as learning technique through new choreography. A recital routine will also be taught. See schedule on back for instructors.

Tap (30-minute class for 15 weeks)

This class focuses on basic tap technique. A recital routine will also be taught. See schedule on the back for instructor.

Attire

The dress policy aids dancers in proper dance posture and technique. As a convenience to our dance families, we carry all fusion and tap dance wear except tap shoes. This attire may be ordered through Y-Dance on the first day of class. Costs are wholesale plus shipping. Dress policy:

Fusion and Tap

- *Form fitting cami top (not too low cut) any style, fabric, or color
- *Black dance shorts, black jazz pants (adults only)
- *Tights if desired (color to match skin tone)
- *Twyla shoes or black jazz shoes for fusion (TBD by class)
- *Tap shoes (Discount Dance Supply online)
- *For boys: form-fitting tank top, shorts, jazz shoes/tap shoes

Hip Hop

- *Cami top or t-shirt
- *Loose fitting shorts or sweatpants
- *Any type of gym shoe

Pre-K

- *Leotard/shirt combination (Target, Wal-Mart, etc.)
- *Ballets (Payless Shoes, Discount Dance Supply online)
- *Tights

Registration Fee and Tuition

A \$25 annual registration fee is required to take Y-Dance. Tuition for this session of 15 classes:

Fusion-\$158, Div. II Technique-\$105, Div. III Technique-\$158, Hip Hop-\$143, Tap-\$113

Tuition and fees are non-refundable.

Discounts for Multiple Classes or Multiple Children!

You are welcome to take more than one class this session. Take the 2nd class at a 15% discount. If you have multiple children living in the same household and taking Y-Dance, receive a 15% discount for the other children. Please note: the discount does not apply to the Fusion Technique classes as they are already discounted.

CLASS OPTIONS	Ballet/Jazz Fusion	Tap	Hip Hop
	Pre-K (4 years to K) Kindergarten Div. I, II, III Beginning Div. I, II, III Intermediate Div. I, II, III Advanced Div. II, III Technique Adult	Beginning (K+) Intermediate Advanced Adult	Hip Hop A (Grades 3-5) Hip Hop B (Grades 6-8)

Divisions for Ballet/Jazz Fusion

Divisions are determined by grade, age, and/or maturity:

Pre-K = 4 years to Kindergarten; Kindergarten; Division I = Grades 2-3; Division 2 = Grades 3-5; Division III = Grades 6-12; Adult = grade 12 and over.

Levels

Beginning – For new and returning students. Objectives: to introduce and gain body awareness, control, and turn out; development and mastery of age-appropriate technical skills; development of comprehension in instruction; development of memorization in learning combinations and routines.

Intermediate – For returning students by teacher recommendation. Objectives: mastery of body awareness, control, and turn out; mastery of beginning level technique with additional age-appropriate technical skills; efficient comprehension in instruction; efficient in memorization of combinations and routines; development of stage presence and presentation skills.

Advanced – For returning students by teacher invitation. Objectives: mastery of the beginning and intermediate skills listed above; develop-

Spring Break

Y-Dance classes will not meet on the week of March 26-29 due to Spring Break.

Recital

A recital will be held May 5 at the Long Center for the Performing Arts. Dress rehearsal will be the night of May 4. **IMPORTANT: dancers will be measured the January 9-12 for costumes. Please come sometime during your scheduled dance class time that week.** There is no charge for this week of costume measuring.

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January 2

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Winter 2012 Y-Dance Class Schedule - Register by January 2

Call 765-742-0075 to register. Registration is open to returning Y-Dancers beginning December 5. General public may register December 19.

Observation Dates

Adults (parents/guardians) and Y-Dance students are invited to observe during these weeks: Jan. 16-19; Feb. 6-9; Mar. 5-8; Apr. 2-5; Apr. 30-May 3.

Teachers

Lead teachers are listed below. Y-Dance Director and teacher, Deedra Newby, will assist many fusion classes as enrollment and level of difficulty dictate.

Ballet/Jazz Fusion

Teachers

<u>Pre-K</u>	Monday	January 16-April 30	1:00-2:00 pm	Deedra Newby
	Wednesday	January 18-May 2	4:30-5:50 pm	Sarah Tislow
<u>Kindergarten</u>	Tuesday	January 17-May 1	4:30-5:30 pm	Sarah Tislow
	Wednesday	January 18-May 2	5:00-6:00 pm	Emily Hussong
<u>Division I (Grades 1-2)</u>				
Beginning	Monday	January 16-April 30	5:15-6:15 pm	Allie Leineweber
	Tuesday	January 17-May 1	5:35-6:35 pm	Haley Wheeler
Intermediate	Thursday	January 19-May 3	5:15-6:15 pm	Alyna Pucka
Advanced	Thursday	January 19-May 3	6:15-7:15 pm	Amanda Welch
<u>Division II (Grades 3-5)</u>				
Beginning	Tuesday	January 17-May 1	6:40-7:40 pm	Haley Wheeler
	Wednesday	January 18-May 2	6:00-7:00 pm	Lindsay Delgado
Intermediate	Thursday	January 19-May 3	7:15-8:15 pm	Shelby Walters, Brittany Hamlin
Advanced	Wednesday	January 18-May 2	6:00-7:00 pm	Emily Hussong
Technique	Wednesday	January 18-May 2	7:00-8:00 pm	Brittany Hamlin
<u>Division III (Grades 6-12)</u>				
Beginning	Monday	January 16-April 30	6:20-7:20 pm	Allie Leineweber
Intermediate	Tuesday	January 17-May 1	4:15-5:15 pm	Brittany Hamlin
Advanced	Tuesday	January 17-May 1	5:15-6:15 pm	Brittany Hamlin
Technique	Tuesday	January 17-May 1	6:15-7:45 pm	Brittany Hamlin
<u>Adult</u>	Wednesday	January 18-May 2	8:00-9:00 pm	Deedra Newby
Tap				
Beginning	Thursday	January 19-May 3	5:00-5:30 pm	Rochelle Beasley
Intermediate	Thursday	January 19-May 3	5:35-6:05 pm	Rochelle Beasley
Advanced	Thursday	January 19-May 3	6:10-6:40 pm	Rochelle Beasley
Hip Hop				
Hip Hop A1 Beginning	Monday	January 16-April 30	5:15 - 6:00 pm	Brittany Hamlin
Hip Hop A2 Beginning	Monday	January 16-April 30	6:00 - 6:45 pm	Ali Melchi
Hip Hop A Intermediate	Monday	January 16-April 30	6:50 - 7:35 pm	Ali Melchi
Hip Hop B	Monday	January 16-April 30	7:40 - 8:25 pm	Ali Melchi