

P.A.C.E.- Program for Acceleration, Challenge, and Enrichment.

PACE provides additional means for students having the desire to maximize their potential!

PACE eligibility/Basic outline of terms and conditions.

- 1) Student must be enrolled in 2 Ballet classes as recommended by the studio in BC, C, or D Levels and at least 2 supplementary classes: Hip Hop/Jazz, Musical Theater/Jazz, Lyrical or Tap. Students in a B & BC are not eligible.
- 2) Student must be responsible and committed to enrolled classes for the term (Sep-May).
- 3) Student is held to higher standards in following policies, rules, conduct, and dress code as stated in the Student-Parent handbook.
- 4) Student must maintain attendance rate of 80-90% in each class for the enrollment term (Sep-May).
- 5) Parent, guardian, and account holder must provide the means of support necessary for student to successfully meet the conditions associated with PACE.
- 6) Student must have demonstrated favorable attendance, conduct, and account activity in the past.
- 7) Student must serve as a role model in appearance and conduct.
- 8) Student's account must enroll in AutoPay for monthly installments. (3% convenience fee applies)
- 9) Student's account must remain in a favorable status.
- 10) Prepay discounts will not apply.
- 11) Student may not drop classes after enrollment but may add classes if/when available and/or applicable.
- 12) PACE can integrate with SASP (Student Assistant Scholarship Program)
- 13) Upon acceptance into PACE, student's tuition will be based on an additional 20% discount on a pretax basis AFTER the 10% multiple class discount has been applied – also on a pretax basis. The discount only applies to the tuition associated to enrolled classes and does not apply to spring performance costs, workshops, short term classes, camps, summer classes, etc.

Acceptance into PACE is not guaranteed. Acceptance is considered official upon studio approval. Upon studio approval, applicant/student will be bound and may not withdraw. Upon acceptance, entrance, and participation, should the terms and conditions not be met as stated, the student will be dropped from the program. Terms and conditions are subject to change with 30 days notice given if/when this were to occur.

PACE Conditions explained in detail and how they will be administered:

Acceptance into PACE will require meeting conditions in two areas: 1) Attendance and 2) Compliance.

Failure to meet the conditions in EITHER of these will constitute being dropped from PACE.

1) Attendance:

1. Attendance will be figured on a percentage basis – figuring all missed class time to include total absences, late arrivals, and early dismissals FOR EACH CLASS – not on an accumulative basis. In other words, a student cannot have an 85% attendance rate in one class to compensate for the shortage in a class with 75% attendance.
2. Student's attendance rate in each class cannot fall below the minimum attendance rate in any calendar month.
3. Late arrivals and early dismissals will be figured in 15 minute increments, converted into percentages.
4. Studio closings, cancellations, or unscheduled class days will not apply towards or against attendance or absences.
5. Should a student become injured to where they cannot participate, they will be required to observe classes to have their attendance considered valid and accounted for.
6. The studio will track and monitor attendance, sending pro-active notices if/when applicable though students should track their attendance on their own to avoid getting close to a breach in the attendance requirement.
7. Student should carefully plan anticipated absences leaving cushion for illness as the studio wishes to keep transmission of illness to a bare minimum. At the studio's discretion, in the event a student shows for classes and obviously should not be there, they will not be allowed to participate and will be sent home and their absence noted accordingly.

2) Compliance to Dress Code, Conduct, Policies, & House rules.

As participant in PACE, student is expected to have higher standards with respect to dress code, conduct, policies, and house rules as stated in the handbook. Since PACE is new, it is difficult to structure specific guidelines with so many variables and no history with which to base them on. Guidelines will therefore be generalized in nature and since applicants accepted into PACE have already demonstrated compliance in these areas, it is anticipated there will be no issues. **Students will be allowed 3 infractions per enrollment term..** Infractions will be formally noted. Upon a 4th infraction, participant will be dropped from PACE, their tuition converted to full rates without discounts and account holder will be expected to pay on account accordingly. Student may not withdraw from classes and account holder will be expected to pay on account. Infractions include but are not limited to: not having proper shoes, hair not fixed properly, talking deemed excessive (after verbal warnings), showing disrespect to the instructor, bullying, vandalism, untidiness with belongings at the studio, using profanity, etc.

Terms and condition upon acceptance into PACE:

- 1) The terms and conditions of PACE as stated above will apply to the term of September 1, 2018 through June 1, 2019.
- 2) A 20% discount will be applied to student's tuition after the 10% multiple discount has been applied – both on a pretax basis.
- 3) This discount will only apply to regular class tuition – it does not apply to workshops, spring performance related costs, short term classes, adult classes, camps, workshops, summer classes, etc.
- 4) Prepay discounts will not apply.
- 5) Participant's tuition is to be paid in monthly installments via AutoPay (3% convenience fee applies).
- 6) Participant's tuition will not affect or interface with any other family member with the exception of doing combined payments on account.
- 7) Should a student's class cancel due to low enrollment or other reason, the studio will offer a suitable alternate or substitute with the expectation the student can and will accept it though there may be exceptions which will be dealt with on a case by case basis if/when this would happen. If/when applicable and as deemed appropriate, the studio would make adjustments as necessary with no penalty.
- 8) If conditions as stated are not met, the participant will be dropped from the program upon which the student's tuition will be converted to full tuition rates with no discounts on the associated account, the student may not withdraw from classes, and account holder responsible to pay on account accordingly.

TO APPLY FOR ACCEPTANCE AND PARTICIPATION IN P.A.C.E, read, sign, date, and submit via email to: info@danceballroomandstudio.com or in person by July 15.

PACE APPLICATION and AGREEMENT

I have read and understand the Student-ParentHandbook. I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions of PACE as stated above. I understand that upon approval of this application, student will be bound and may not withdraw. I also understand that upon studio approval the signatures provided below will serve as a bound agreement by all associated parties to participation and the terms and conditions associated with participation. .

Student signature & date

Parent/Guardian signature & date

Account holder signature & date

For office use only – Studio Approval Signature & date