

# THE DANCE CONSERVATORY

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## WELCOME BACK!

Dear Parents and Students,  
A very Happy New Year to you all!

We are so pleased to be back in the studio doing what we love after a much needed break. Your support and understanding during our closures, reopening and Zoom classes was so greatly appreciated as we know how difficult it has been for everyone. We have our fingers crossed that we can continue amid the current numbers. This new year calls for us to remain strong, stay safe and continue to strive for our excellence in dance for 2021!!



## Continuing to follow Covid-19 Guidelines

The Dance Conservatory team continues to keep up with the ever changing guidelines from Vancouver Coastal Health and Worksafe BC. Below, once again, are the **MANDATORY RULES** for all students and staff to follow when they arrive at the studio to satisfy protocols and inspectors expectations.

**One way path:** Enter through the building front entrance and exit back stairwell to our parking area **Mandatory masks:** Wearing masks/face coverings indoors is now mandatory in all indoor public spaces in BC. **Hand sanitizing:** Upon entry and exit. We have hand sanitizing stations inside the studio, foyer & lounge. **Student Lounge & Foyer;** Stay on designated X's **Please bring your own towel:** Bring one if you want to minimize your contact with the floor. **Social Distancing:** We have followed all Worksafe's protocols and added boxes marked for dancing within. Teachers will try to have choreography that is spatially friendly. Please as a student watch your spacing when taking turns (waiting or dancing in groups). And after your day, please exit as soon as possible and **avoid socializing.**

## 2021 COMPETITION & FESTIVAL NEWS

Please note the following changes.

Be prepared for more of these events to go virtual. A day will be announced to film solos and groups at the studio in the coming weeks.

**CHILLIWACK- (Virtual)** February 12-19 Chilliwack

**DANCE POWER-** February 23-28 Burnaby

**YAGP-** April 2-4 Calgary

**CORE-** April 8-11 West Vancouver

**SURREY FESTIVAL of DANCE-(Virtual)** -April 6-28 Surrey

**SYNERGY-April 19-25 Burnaby (JAZZ & LYRICAL GROUPS)**

**ALLEGRO-SYNERGY-May 4-5 New West**

**SYNERGY-May 6-10 North Vancouver (BALLET & CONTEMPORARY /MODERN GROUPS)**



## HOLIDAY CALENDAR 2021

FEBRUARY 15 Family Day

MARCH 15-26 March Break

APRIL 2-5 Easter Break

MAY 24 Victoria Day

JUNE 29 Last Day of School

## PROTOCOLS for STUDENTS

Warmup Attire: Form fitting leggings/pants, leg warmers and sweaters in black, white, grey or purple **only**

Hair: Ballet, Contemporary- bun with hairnet and pins, no wisps/ Jazz, Modern, Conditioning- neat ponytail

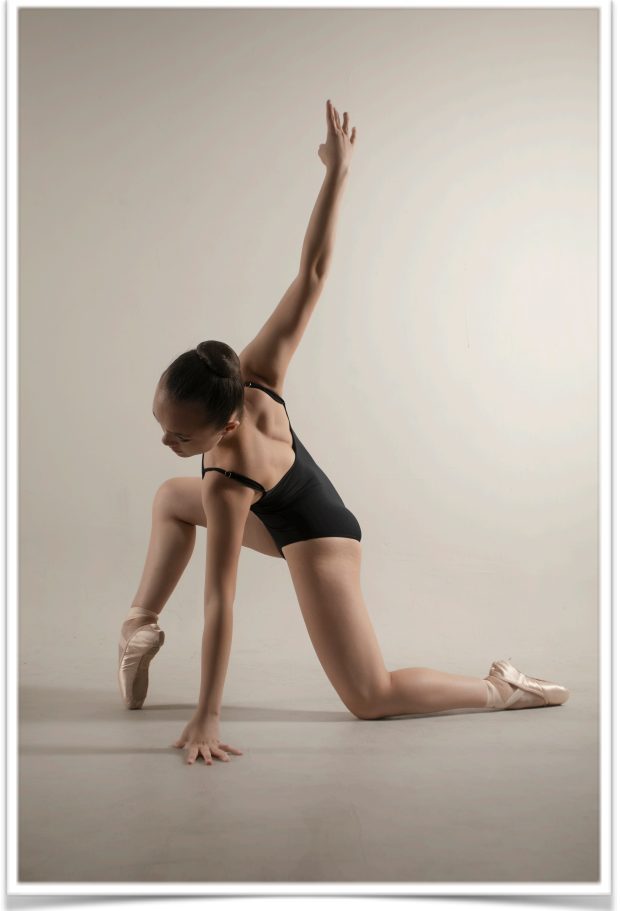
Shoes: Please no holes in ballet shoes and keep them clean/ pancaked pointe shoes for performances/ no safety pins holding ribbons & elastics

Masks: At all times except eating

Distancing: As much as possible both in and out of classes

Pick up after yourself: Please pick up your garbage and take it home

Keep the Student Lounge Tidy!!



**PLEASE BRING BACK YOUR CHRISTMAS VIDEO COSTUMES  
THIS WEEK IF YOU WILL NOT BE  
USING THEM FOR  
COMPETITIONS**



**And let Jacki Blair know if you  
interested in ordering a Lululemon  
team jacket with our logo on it. We  
recommend having one for  
competitions.**

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The Dance Conservatory is a Non-Profit dance studio run by The Western Canada Dance Society. With your generous support through our fundraising efforts, we hope to continue our mandate to provide children with the highest standard of dance training and performance opportunities. LOOK FOR OUR UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS including Purdy's for Easter, a Coffee fundraiser and more surprises for Valentines'Day!!



**Paste this address into your browser for the latest studio schedule;**

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