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Registration Form 2020-2021

Student Name:_____ **Age:**_____**Grade:**_____ **Date of Birth:**_____

Parent/Guardian(1):_____ **Phone:**_____

Parent/Guardian(2):_____ **Phone:**_____

Address:_____

City, State:_____**Zip:**_____

Email:_____**Student Mobile:**_____**Student Email:**_____

Day/Time	Class Technique	Cost
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----------TUITION----------

Total Tuition: **$**_____
(Scholarship): %_____**$(**_____**)**

(Ensemble Deposit): **$(**_____**)**

Ensemble Fee: **$**_____
(Scholarship): %_____$(_____)

Solo/Small Group Fee: $_____
Scholarship): %_____$(_____)

Registration Fee**: $25** (per family)

Total Due: **$**_____

(Payment/Deposit): **$(**_____**)**

Balance Due: $_____

2021-2021 DANCE CLASS TUITION & FEES

-45 minute class - $700/year
-1 hour class - $750/year
-1 ½ hour class - $800/year
-2 hour class - $875/year
-Registration fee- $25/family

Costume/Performance Fees

****To be charged at the time of audition****

Nutcracker Fee: $250 (Ensembles Excluded)
Secret Garden Fee: TBD
Recital Fee: TBD

Tuition: All students and parents must fill out and sign a registration form/payment agreement on the reverse side of this paper. All students sign up for dance on a yearly basis (September – June), and understand the financial obligations. You have the month of September to withdraw from dance classes and receive a refund, less the costume fee and fees for the classes already taken. The dancer, their parent or guardian are responsible for paying any collection or legal fees related to the uncollected tuition fees. Checks returned for insufficient funds are subject to a $45 additional fee. Late Fee, Transfer Fee, Processing Fees of $40 per month will be assessed to all indicated accounts.

Performance Fees: Any and all performance fees for the 2020-2021 ballet season will be billed as soon as performances are announced. Payment of these fees must be made in a timely manner. Any late payment of performance fees will put your dancer in jeopardy of not being able to participate.

Class Placement and Leveling: Dancers will be placed in class leveled by the NMYB faculty. New students will be asked to take a placement or evaluation class prior to class assignment. You may request a private evaluation. The month of September will be used to evaluate and place new students accordingly.

Class Changes: The faculty reserves the right to place or move students according to technical ability throughout the year.

Free Trial Class: A free trial class may be granted at the discretion of the instructor.

Inclement Weather Policy: In the event of inclement weather, the Norwalk Metropolitan Youth Ballet will follow the decision of the Norwalk Public Schools. Should Norwalk Public Schools close or have an early dismissal, NMYB will cancel classes for that evening. NMYB will also consider the dancers and faculty who must travel from other towns when making the decision to close in the face of hazardous weather. The most current information about inclement weather closures will be sent by email and also be available on our Facebook page, https://www.facebook.com/norwalkmetropolitanyouthballet. Please be sure to 'like' and 'follow' us on Facebook for all of the latest NMYB news.

Pandemic Policy: In the event of a global pandemic and we are forced to close the studio for live instruction, all classes will be moved to Zoom. Information about our health and safety procedures will be provided to you prior to registration. By registering your dancer in the 2020-2021 ballet season, you acknowledge that you have read, understand and agree to our procedures. Subscribe to our email list and tune in to our Facebook page for up to the minute NMYB news.

Liability: NMYB, its faculty, instructors and staff hereinafter referred to as NMYB, is not responsible for personal injury or lost property before, during or after class. Students and parents/guardians release claims of liability and hold NMYB harmless while studying dance or performing at NMYB or at any of its venues. NMYB considers this registration form as full disclosure and information to its students and parents/guardians that we are not responsible for students once they leave class/instruction, even if the student remains at our facility. Parents and/or guardians assume complete responsibility and liability for students' transportation to and from class and the manner in which that occurs. There is always a faculty member on the premises during the scheduled class time. Students may interrupt class for advice and/or questions related to health issues, accidents or pick-up and drop-off issues. NMYB is not responsible for decisions made by students and/or their parents/guardians. Signature of this registration form is considered full release of liability and acknowledgement of all of the above.

2020-2021 Calendar: Classes will begin on Monday, September 14, 2020 and end on Thursday, May 27, 2021. Be sure to make a note of our scheduled holidays and closures outlined on this form as well as the Master Calendar.

Make-up Classes: It is the student's responsibility to make up classes, which are missed due to personal conflicts or illness. Classes cancelled in conjunction with inclement weather will not be made up. Classes cancelled due to faculty illness/conflicts will be rescheduled and made up. Missed classes will not be monetarily reimbursed.

Dress Code:

Girls: black leotards of your choice, pink seamed footed tights, pink ballet shoes, hair must be in a bun, no jewelry with the exception of stud earrings, and no wrapped skirts. ***Boys:*** white or black fitted shirt, black or gray footed tights or bicycle shorts, dance belts, and black ballet shoes or while ballet socks and white shoes.

Ensemble Placement: By audition/invitation only.

Performance Participation and Casting Agreement: It is the policy of NMYB that the faculty will cast all NMYB performances with the technical ability and developmental appropriateness of each dancer in mind. The faculty always has the dancer's best interests at heart. Parents are welcome to open a dialogue with the NMYB faculty at any time should concerns arise.

NMYB Calendar 2020-2021

First day of 2020-2021 Ballet SeasonMonday, September 14

We are closed on:
Yom Kippur: September 28
Columbus Day: October 12
Halloween: October 31
Election Day: Nov. 3
Thanksgiving Break: Nov. 23-28
Winter Recess: Dec. 21-Jan. 3
Martin Luther King Day: Jan. 18
President's Day: February 15
March Recess: March 15-20
Spring Recess: April 2-4

Performances/Competitions:
-Nutcracker Audition: TBD

-Nutcracker Tech Week: TBD

-Nutcracker Dress Rehearsal: TBD

-Nutcracker Performance: TBD

- Ensemble Showcase: TBD

-YAGP Philadelphia Semi Final: November 6-8

- YAGP New York Semi Final: February 4-7

-Recital Tech Week: TBD

-Recital Dress Rehearsal: TBD

-Recital: TBD

Season Ends-Thursday, May 27, 2021

We always err on the side of caution when deciding on inclement weather closures. We reserve the option to move classes to the zoom platform rather than canceling them all together due to inclement weather. Inclement weather closures will be announced on NMYB social media pages as well as by email.

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