

## Academy of Dance Arts Studio Protocols for Covid-19

## Academy of Dance Arts will continue to follow the recommended TEA and CDC guidelines for schools and gyms.

- All parents are required to sign our Injury and Covid-19 Waivers on behalf of your dancer before he or she may begin classes at Academy of Dance Arts. The Waivers must be handed into ADA Staff during your dancer's first class.
- If a parent or dancer is sick or even feeling, please stay home.
- All students will be dropped off at the front door carpool lane.
- Dancer pick up will be through the front main entrance as well.
   Please be patient, as we will be coordinating exits of each class.
   If you decide to wait in the parking lot, we ask that you back your car in. Exiting the lot is challenging with drop-offs happening simultaneously.
- Students will enter the building 10 minutes before their class time (NO EARLIER).
- Students will be screened upon entry and asked to leave the studio if they show signs of illness.
- Students will take turns washing their hands in the lobby bathroom before entry into the studio halls.
- Hand sanitizer will be required upon entry into studio spaces.
- Dressing rooms/changing rooms are closed; please change before you arrive.
- The Lobby/Parent Observation area is closed until further notice.
   Only 1 parent/guardian per child under the age of 7 is allowed in the building during drop off, but must wait outside or in the parking lot during the class. Please no siblings.
- No students are allowed to congregate in-between classes in the lobby/warm-up room/or break area unless directed by a staff member. Students will remain in their classroom for the duration

- of their class time.
- The studios, including the ballet barres, carpets, and the dance floors have been fully sanitized and mopped.
- Students will have the option to wear a mask.
- ADA Instructors and staff will be screened daily.
- ADA Staff will direct students in between classes to help keep social distancing in common hallways and restrooms.
- Frequent sanitization and cleaning will be conducted by staff.
- Multiple professional janitorial cleanings will be conducted throughout the week, in addition to our staff's frequent daily cleanings.
- Students must bring your own water bottle no community water fountains.
- Bring a towel to help wipe away sweat, and sit on with your belongings.
- Bags and personal items should be brought into the studio, but will be placed apart from others.