



Adell's School of Dance

Me and Mini Me, Dancer Debut and Intensive Programs

First and foremost, we thank you for choosing us! We take pride in teaching the art of dance to children and are so excited to have you as part of our program! Our Me and Mini Me, Dancer Debut and Intensive classes introduce Musicality, Tap, Jazz, Ballet and Acro(Tumbling) all combined into one class per week. Dancers must be potty trained in order to take an intensive class. Dancers do not need to be potty trained in order to enroll in the Dancer Debut or Me and Mini Me classes. Below is what your dancer will need:

Shoes: Dark Tan U-Shell Tap Shoes. If you have already purchased something different, that is fine for class. The U-Shell Tap Shoes are required for our Showcase! Ballet Shoes are NOT REQUIRED however, dancers will change their shoes during class. If your child does not have ballet shoes, they are more than welcome to put their sneakers back on. Please send your dancer with a slip on/velcro sneaker if they are unable to tie their own shoes. Please label all shoes with the dancer's name.

ASD will be sizing dancers during our Open House dates. Once classes begin, we can measure your dancer the first week of dance (with the help of the parents) if shoes need to be ordered. The cost of the U-Shell Tap Shoe is \$25.00. If you plan on ordering the shoes the first week, please send \$25.00 (Cash Only) in a labeled envelope with your dancer and have them hand it to their teacher. Shoes will not be ordered until payment is made. Ballet shoes (optional) may also be sized and ordered the first week of classes. The cost of the ballet shoe is \$18.00.

Sticker Book: A book with plain paper and the dancer's name on the inside cover will work. Please decorate to your child's liking! This is one of the ways we reward the dancers for their hard work. They will need to bring this to class every week.

Attire: This is the fun part, feel free to dress your dancer as "fu-fu" or fluffy as you'd like! Please NO jeans. Leggings, shorts, leotards, tanks, tights....anything that they are comfortable moving in can be worn to class. Some of these items will be available to order during our Open House dates. Please NO gum or jewelry for their safety. Hair needs to be pulled away from their face. Masks are currently optional based on the dancer's comfort level. This may change at any time based on NYS Guidelines and requirements. We would appreciate it if all dancers wore their masks while on the mats. It is not mandatory, however it is safer for the staff while correcting and spotting the dancers.

Observing: One adult per dancer will be permitted in the studio during class time. For the Dancer Debut and Intensive classes parents will be asked to view the class from the hallway, you will not be in the classroom. If applicable, all social distancing and mask regulations must be followed. Payments will be placed in an envelope, labeled and put in the drop box. If you choose not to stay for class that is perfectly ok!

Showcase: This is our end of the year recital! All Intensive levels, Dancer Debut and Me and Mini Me classes will perform in the Showcase. Our Red Carpet Showcase is specific for our Intro to Dancers to shine on stage. This show typically is a Matinee show with an awards ceremony to follow. Dancers will also perform in one of our Evening shows. Dates will be announced as soon as they are confirmed.

Again, thank you for choosing us and we are looking forward to a wonderful season!

Miss Adell