



**Teacher: Mrs. Rodriguez**  
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**Remind YWLA Code: @ywladanc**  
**Remind Class Code:**  
**Conference: 9:18am-9:58am**

**Course Description:**

Prerequisite: Audition

The student develops knowledge and skills of dance elements and of choreographic processes and forms in a variety of dance styles.

**Year Overview:**

- **Ballet Technique-** First Nine Weeks (August 26 - October 25)
- **Hip Hop Technique-** Second Nine Weeks (October 28 - December 20)
- **Jazz Technique-** Third Nine Weeks (January 7 - March 6)
- **Contemporary/ Modern Technique-** Fourth Nine Weeks (March 9 - June 5)

**Policies and Procedures:**

- Students must be fully suited out and ready for warm up 5 min after the bell has rang.
- Dance shoes should not be worn outside of the dance room.
- There will be no food or gum permitted in the dance room
- Students should come into class fully prepared with hair properly secured and dance shoes on.

**Materials Needed:**

- YWLA Dance shirt
- Jazz Shoes or half soles
- Jazz pants

**Class Itinerary non-project days:**

- Suit out 5 minutes
- Warm up and stretching 10 minutes
- Technique 15 minutes
- Choreography 10minutes



- Suit out 5 minutes

**Tests/Projects** (subject to change due to tests, holidays, early release days, and unforeseen circumstances):

- **First 9 weeks project:** Ballet Practical and written exam
- **Second 9 weeks Project:** Hip Hop Practical and written exam
- **Third 9 weeks Project:** Jazz Practical and written exam
- **Fourth weeks Project:** Modern/ Contemporary Practical and written exam

9 weeks Exam 10%

Daily work 50%

Test-Major Assignments or Tests 40%

**School-Wide Expectations:**

Five Ps: be Prompt, Prepared, Productive, Polite, and Passionate

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**Parents and students need to sign acknowledgment of this syllabus and return it to Mrs. Rodriguez by the end of the first week of school.**

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Group Text Message**

\_\_\_ **Only include my daughter in group text**

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