



TAKE 5 TIMES

September 2018

Welcome To Take 5's 18th Dance Season!

Classes begin Monday, September 10th!

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Office Hours

Monday 5-9 pm
Tuesday 5-9 pm
Wednesday 5-9 pm
Thursday 5-9 pm
Saturday 9am-2pm

1st Sunday of each month 10am-2 pm

We are proud to be a member of



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International Dance Entrepreneurs Association

We are thrilled to have you dance with us this year and have made quite a few changes to better our programs. Providing your dancers with the best classes possible, in all 4 levels of programs that we offer, is our constant goal!

We hope you have a wonderful year of dance!

Safety First!

To ensure the safety of your dancers, please come into the building to drop them off and pick them up. We will not be allowing dancers to leave the building without a parent! Parents are not permitted past the wash-room hallway. In emergency cases if you need to speak with your child during class time, our office staff will be happy to assist you.



All of our invoicing is done using our online accounting program Freshbooks. This is all sent via email, so please make sure we have a valid email address on file for you! Also if you are not receiving your invoices make sure to check your junk mail file! If you need any assistance with Freshbooks, please contact one of our office staff.

There will be a \$30 fee charged to all late accounts

It's my first week! what do I do?

Please ensure you are ready for class 5 minutes prior to the start of class. We ask that you all have your dancers use the washroom before going into class! Dancers can line up at the designated spots in the hall and your teacher or assistant will come and get them at the beginning of class. All dancers will be brought back to the entry way once their classes have finished. **Please do not bring your dancers down the hall to the studio yourself.**

NEW!!! PA DAY CAMPS

Looking for something to do on a PA Day? PA Day camps for ages 3-12 is an excellent option filled with various dance styles, games, and a ton of fun!

October 22, November 16, January 18,
April 5, June 28

Dates to Remember

September 10	Dance Begins for full year programs
September 24	Dance Begins for Term (sessional) programs
Thanksgiving Monday (October 8th)	Classes Running
Halloween (October 31st)	Classes Cancelled
Christmas break	Dec 21—Jan 4
Family Day (February 18th)	Classes Cancelled
March Break	March 9-15 (Class resumes Mar 16)
Easter Sunday (April 21st)	Classes Cancelled
Easter Monday (April 22nd)	Classes Running

NEXT NEWSLETTER - END OF OCTOBER

Our season based on a 34 week schedule. Please refer to our "dates to Remember" for scheduled studio closures. There will be no make up classes for missed classes unless scheduled by the studio!

Style of the session

Ballet



Ballet is the foundation of all types of dancing. It is a great place to start if you and your dancer are unsure of what type of dance to participate in. There is a strong focus on proper technique, body alignment, terminology, and both traditional and current ballet techniques. Ballet is a beautiful and challenging form of dance that develops and enhances technique, poise, grace, & strength.

RECITAL

Towards the beginning of June We will be holding out 18th annual year end recital where all classic recreational classes will perform! Our Date and Venue will be confirmed towards the end of November. Ticket sale dates and prices will be sent out later this season.

This year all recital costume balance have been outlined for you at the time of registration. This balance will be due on March 1st, this is to be included with your 3rd term payment..



Christmas Show



Also known as our Parent viewing week! We will be inviting our classic program families to come in to the studio to see what your dancers have been learning!

We will have more details on this exciting event later in the year!

CALLING ALL CLASSIC PROGRAM DANCERS!

Please stay tuned for an exciting recital opportunity that is new this year!

Have a Question?

We would be happy to answer any question you may have. Please speak with our office staff during our office hours (listed on the ;left)

If you need to speak with your dancers teacher, please make an appointment with the office to do so. It is important your dancers full class time is spent receiving instruction in the studio!

Any Questions can also be email to us at

Office@Take5dance.com

Studio Conduct

Please Remove all outdoor shoes and place them on the shoe rack provided beside our entry doors! This goes for all visitors to our facility! Only indoor/dance shoes are permitted inside the studios

Dance class is NOT a place for gum! Please put your gum in the garbage before coming into class

There is only to be water coming into the studio to drink

There are plenty of cubbies for your bags and belongings! Please do not leave your dance bags on the floor or benches of the change room

During our colder months there will be lots of hangers to hang your coats up on!

All areas of the studio are to be kept tidy! Please throw away any garbage you may have and clean up any messes you leave behind

We are a family friendly facility! We encourage respect and positivity towards our staff and class mates at ALL TIMES!

Label, Label, Label

Make sure to label ALL of your dancer's belongings coming into the studio this includes any outdoor shoes, coats, water bottles etc. With so many kids coming in and out there are bound to be some of the same looking items that often get mixed up. If this happens the studio id not able to help you recover any swapped or missing items.

Lost and Found

Our Lost and Found is located just outside of the girls change room. Any items left behind after classes will be placed here. Our bin gets emptied once a month as it does fill up really fast. Take 5 Dance Studio is not responsible for any lost or stolen items. Please make sure your dancer's are putting all of their belongings back into their own dance bag!

What do I need to wear to my class?

Mini & Junior Jazz, Tap, Acro

can wear own dance top and shorts (nothing baggy) with proper dance shoes as per below.

Intermediate & Senior Jazz, Tap, Acro

can wear own dance top and shorts (nothing baggy) with proper dance shoes as per below.

Other Class Requirements

Mini Movers	Leggings or shorts, tank top (bare feet)
Tiny Tumblers	Leggings or shorts, tank top (bare feet)
Lyrical	Dance top & shorts (bare feet)
Contemporary	Dance top & shorts (bare feet)
Acro	Bare feet
Jazz	Black jazz shoes
Tap	Black tap shoes
Ballet	Pink ballet shoes
Hip Hop	Shorts, leggings or track pants, tank top, Indoor running shoes (no jeans)

Dancewear and shoes can be found here

Sequins Plus 1050 Simcoe St N, Oshawa

Payless Shoes Any Location

Walmart Any Location

Second Hand shoes and dance wear may be found at the following

Take 5 Dance Studio

Bearly Used Clothing 20 Broadleaf Ave #103, Whitby

Once Upon a Child 1645 Dundas St E, Whitby

Please make sure your dancer has their hair tightly secured in a ponytail (or bun for all ballet) classes)

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We would love to hear your Take 5 Stories! Please stop by our Facebook page and tell us how your experience was at our studio

Meet Our Staff

“Quality Schools are the result of quality teachers going above and beyond the call of duty”

At Take 5 we firmly believe that it all starts from the top!

Our faculty all share the same goal to set out to instill pride and confidence in every dancer that steps through our doors

Jesslyn Truax	Studio Owner/Director-BATD-Acrobatic Arts-IDEA Member Teaches classes in all levels of programming
Shannon Kemp	BATD-Acrobatic Arts-Teaches classes in Classic, Lite and Elite programming
Zoe Rosales	BATD-ADAPT-Acrobatic Arts-Teaches classes in all levels of programming
Alix Smith	Camp Director-BATD-Teaches classes in Classic and Lite programming
Shaelyn Callan	Teaches classes in our sessional programming, supply staff
Abbie Jack	BATD, Teaches classes in our Classic programming, supply staff
Sara Wood	BATD Competitive Choreographer, supply staff
Julia LeClerk	Competitive Choreographer, supply staff
Erin Watson	Office Manager
Jennifer Watson	Office Staff
Kelley Truax	Office Staff

Class Assistants

Here at Take 5 we want to ensure that every student is getting the absolute best experience in their classes. In order to help us achieve this we have a roster of experienced , dedicated , dancers enrolled in our classes assistant program. Our assistants are placed in our Classic Program classes to aid each teacher with studio tasks such as shoe changes, bathroom breaks, positioning or holding the hand of a little dancer having a rough day.

To all of our Teacher’s and Assistant: Here is to an amazing 18th dance season, we thank you, and cannot wait to start dancing with you!