

**2021/2022 WDC Rocky Mountain House Dance Season**  
**\*updated with new info and schedule- please read carefully\***

Hello! We are excited to release our tentative fall schedule below. We have set up registration online for you to register for the classes you would like with no leveling. Once all dancers are registered in their desired classes, we will group students according to age, ability and experience. From there, we will send out an email detailing which level/classes your child is in closer to the beginning of the season. The more people that register now, the earlier this can be finalized. Doing our scheduling this way ensures as little changes to the final schedule as possible as well as amazing classes for the season.

**1. How to register:** You can now register and reserve your spot for your 2021/2022 season classes here: <https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/westland>

**2. What's NEW:**

- Level 1 competitive classes will now be attending festivals only and will run for a duration of 45 minutes. This program is the perfect stepping stone from our Final Steps class into our competitive program.
- ***What does this mean and who is this for?:*** These classes are for students ages 5.5-7.5 who are in their first 2 years of competitive dance. Dancers will be introduced to Dance Festivals within central Alberta only, meaning dancers will perform on stage and receive their very own award of completion.
- The difference between a **Festival** and a **Competition** is dancers perform onstage for their very own award of completion for being brave and working hard, rather than being judged against other groups like what you would see at a competition.
- This is an incredible way to introduce young dancers and first time competitive dance parents to the world of competitive dance without the intimidation factor of competing against others.
- Festivals will be local to central Alberta only (Red Deer, Olds etc.)
- Level 1 Festival program classes do not need any prerequisites. You can register in any discipline you would like.

Prerequisites for Competitive classes Level 2+ have changed.

- Lyrical - Must be registered in Ballet OR Jazz.
- Acro-dance - Must be registered in Ballet OR Jazz OR Hip Hop
- Variety/Musical Theatre - No prerequisites

**3. Tuition payment and Schedule:** Payment upon registration will be registration fee and PREF fee only. First tuition payment will automatically be withdrawn on Sept 6th, 2021. From that date forward, tuition payments will come out on the 1st of each month.

**12-WEEK** (Includes christmas performance)**\*START WEEK OF SEPT 20th, does not include yearly \$25+tax registration fee/family**

Length of class 12 wk sessions	Price per class	Total payment (includes GST) *Payment made in full at time of registration
30min*	\$11.50/class	\$144.90
45min*	\$16.50/class	\$207.90
30min Aerial*	\$12.50/class	\$157.50
45min Aerial*	\$17.50/class	\$220.50

**RECREATIONAL****\*START WEEK OF SEPT 6TH, \*\*Based on approx 32 classes - Sept 6th to May 14th**

Length of class	Price per class	costume	Choreography	Total (Includes GST) *estimated total*	Monthly payments (Includes GST)
30min (32 wks)	10.50/class (\$336.00)	\$100.00	\$10.00	\$446.00 \$22.30gst	*done monthly by how many classes per month
45min (32 wks)	15.50/class (\$496.00)	\$100.00	\$10.00	\$606.00 \$30.30gst	*done monthly by how many classes per month
1 hour adult dance (32 wks)	\$12.50/class (\$400.00)	(Will be decided at a later date IF class wishes to perform)	\$10.00	\$410.00 \$20.50gst	*done monthly by how many classes per month

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**FESTIVAL AND COMPETITIVE****\*START WEEK OF SEPT 6TH, \*\*Based on approx 32 classes - Sept 6th to May 14th**

Length of class	Price per class*	costume	Choreography	Competition	Total (Includes GST)	Monthly payments (Includes GST)
45min (level 1 festival classes)	15.50/class (\$496/32 wks)	\$100.00	\$10.00	\$100.00 (3 festivals)	\$706.00 \$35.30gst	*done monthly by how many classes per month
75/min (level 2,3,4,5)	21.50/class (\$688/32wks)	\$100.00	\$10.00	\$130.00 (3 Competitions)	\$933.00 \$46.65gst	*done monthly by how many classes per month

***Tuition payment structure example: Your child takes four weeks of a 30 minute class this month, we will process \$10.50(Plus gst) X 4 for this month.***

***\*Tuition will be charged for the current month on the first day of said month. If by chance the studio closes down due to covid 19, illness, weather or whatever it may be, we will have a make up class scheduled on a later date. If we are unable to schedule a make up class for missed dates, we will credit your account to use towards future tuition or refund you for that class.***

***If a payment has declined or not been paid by the 15th of the month, we reserve the right to run the card on the account on the 15th. If the card is still declined or alternate payment has not been discussed, a \$25+gst/student fee will be added to your account.***

***At this time we only accept Auto-Pay via credit card through our parent portal. We hope to offer more payment options in the future.***

**4. Extra fees Payment Schedule:** For our 2021/2022 season we will be doing scheduled payments for our extra fees. These are in addition to your monthly tuition fees.

Payment due date	Fee	Price (includes GST)
Upon Registration	Registration fee	\$26.25/family
Upon Registration <i>*not applicable to fall 12 week students*</i>	PREF Fee <i>*Prop/Recital/Events/Facility fee*</i>	\$52.50/student
October 15, 2021	Competition fee <i>*Festival and Competitive students only</i>	\$105.00 class - festival \$136.50/class - competitive
November 15, 2021 <i>*not applicable to fall 12 week students*</i>	Costume fee	\$105.00/class
February 1, 2022 <i>*not applicable to fall 12 week students*</i>	Choreography fee	\$10.50/class

**Competition fees:**

\$100 +tax/class if you are a new festival student.

\$130 +tax/class if you are a new competitive student.

Competition credits will be used this season for currently enrolled students. Pricing has increased for Competitions for the 2021/2022 Seasons. Dancers with Credit from Competitions for 2019/2020 Dance Season will owe \$30.00 for Competition fees.

**PREF Fees (PROPS, RECITALS, EVENTS, FACILITY):** This fee goes towards upkeep of Christmas costumes, hall rental for Christmas concert rehearsal, all competitive and recreational rehearsals, event decor, hiring extra crews for shows and events, props and prop construction, show organization, music editing, year end awards, videographers, photographers and general upkeep.

**Costume Fees:** \$100 +tax/class. There may be additional costume fees for some costumes as we have not yet seen pricing for 2022 from costumes companies. We will try our very best to remain at \$100 +tax/class. ***Any increase in costume pricing/replacement costumes/alterations/modifications needed will be the financial responsibility of the student.***

**Choreography fees:** \$10 +tax/routine

### **5. 12 Week sessions:**

Class start date will be the week of September 20th. Our 12-week students will participate in our annual Christmas Recital. Please see pricing above. 12-week classes pay an annual registration fee/family of \$25.00+tax. Additional payment fees do not apply. Registration is open now.

You can now register and reserve your spot for your 2021 12-week classes here:

<https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/westland>

### **6. Required dancewear/Stat holidays/competition dates/covid protocol/etc:**

Before the beginning of the season we will send out a parent handbook with everything you need to know for the season. We are busy working on this now and hope to have it to you soon.

### **7. Dance attire order form:**

This season we are doing a dance attire bundle for you, with proper tights, bodysuit, shorts/skirt all bundled into one package! (If you placed a bundle with the first order there is no need to order/fill out this form again.) The order deadline for this bundle is September 12th. You will receive your dance attire by our proper attire deadline- October 15th.

\*Please note, proper dance shoes will not be bundled in this package. You can purchase dance shoes at June's Fantasy Costumes in Red Deer.

Order your Proper dance attire here:

<https://forms.gle/EvgVrPLQcFQ3TYwv8>

Order deadline: September 12, 2021

### **8. Solos/duets/extra work**

An application for solos/duets/extra work will go out in September once classes have begun.

### **9. Share the Joy of Dance Scholarship Application:**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: August 15th, 2021**

Exciting news from the Board of Directors at Rocky 'Dreams' Dance School Society

The board of Rocky Dreams Dance School Society is passionate about dance and we want to support dancers in our community. We recognize it has been a difficult year with the health and economic impacts of COVID 19. Our hope is to financially help our former students to continue their dance training and help them share the joy of dance with others.

We will be awarding 5 scholarships. Each successful applicant will receive \$250 to help pay for enrollment in group dance classes, plus Westland Dance Co. will receive some funds to help make improvements that will benefit all your dance classmates too.

Eligibility:

All of the following conditions must be met to be eligible:

- 18 years of age or younger.
- Must be a former student of Rocky Dreams Dance School
- Must be a current student of another dance studio or will be enrolling with a dance studio in the 2021 calendar year
- Must reside within Clearwater County

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**To apply for the "Share the Joy of Dance Scholarship" Program click here:**

<https://forms.gle/P4VoS6uj3wkgviTb7>

We are happy to help should you have any questions. Please inquire at

[westlanddanceco@gmail.com](mailto:westlanddanceco@gmail.com)

- Alyssa and Vickie

## 2021/2022 \*TENTATIVE\* FALL SCHEDULE

**12 WEEK-----RECREATIONAL-----FESTIVAL-----COMPETITIVE-----**

*\*A Few classes not yet placed on schedule, for example Level 2 Lyrical\**

Monday 1	Monday 2	Tuesday 1	Tuesday 2	Wednesday 1	Wednesday 2	Thursday 1	Thursday 2
4:00-4:30 12 WEEK FIRST/ SECOND STEPS	4:05-4:35 FIRST STEPS	3:50-4:20 12 WEEK AERIAL MINI		3:50-4:35 12 WEEK JUNIOR COMBO	4:00-5:15 LEVEL 2 HIP HOP		4:00-4:30 TINY TAPPERS
4:35-5:05 A. SECOND STEPS	4:40-5:10 B. SECOND STEPS	4:30-5:00 TINY TUMBLERS	4:00-4:45 LEVEL 1 BALLET	4:35-5:20 LEVEL 1 JAZZ			4:30-5:15 JUNIOR COMBO
5:10-5:40 FINAL STEPS	5:10-5:55 LEVEL 1 VARIETY/M T	5:00-5:45 LEVEL 1 ACRO	4:45-5:15 12 WEEK MINI COMBO	5:20-6:35 LEVEL 3 LYRICAL	5:15-6:30 Level 2/3 ACRO	4:45-6:00 Level 2 JAZZ	5:15-6:00 LEVEL 1/2 TAP
5:55-6:40 LEVEL 1 HIP HIP	5:55-7:10 Level 3/4 TAP	5:45-6:30 12 WEEK ALL BOYS PARKOUR		6:35-7:50 LEVEL 4 LYRICAL	6:30-7:45 LEVEL 3 HIP HOP	6:00-7:15 Level 3 JAZZ	6:00-7:15 Level 2 BALLET
	7:10-8:25 LEVEL 2 VARIETY/M T	6:30-7:15 12 WEEK AERIAL ELEMENTS		7:50-9:05 LEVEL 4 ACRO	7:45-9:00 LEVEL 4 HIP HOP	7:15-8:30 LEVEL 4 JAZZ	7:15-8:30 Level 3 BALLET
	8:25-9:25 ADULT DANCE	7:15-8:00 12 WEEK AERIAL FUSION					8:30-9:45 Level 4 BALLET
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