



We are excited to welcome you to a CentreStage Dance Studio performing team. You are definitely in the right spot for a fun-filled year of dancing, performing, making friends, gaining confidence and being part of a fabulous team! We'd like to fill you in on all the amazing things you'll be doing and the steps we need to do together to get you rockin and rollin.

Performances

We perform about once every other month and learn fun dances that are specific for each of the performances. This is one of the things that make a performing team so much fun, we are constantly learning new dances and getting ready for the next performance. When we have a little "down time", we are busy learning new skills, tricks and technique to incorporate into the next dance. We work so hard to put the performances together, to be on a performing team, we must have your commitment to the performances. We understand that things come up, but we will always plan on you attending unless we hear differently with at least 30 days advance notice. This way we can best prepare our dancers for the best performance and self-confidence building as possible. Attached is a list of our performances for the season. There are times when new performance opportunities come up and we will give you as much notice as we possibly can. There is no cost to perform unless there is a ticket cost to the venue where we are performing. For example, at the Phoenix Suns game, tickets are required for all attending, including the dancers. We always get great discounts on our CentreStage group tickets and will send out order forms in advance.

Attendance

Regular attendance is important for our dancers to feel part of their team and to guarantee that the classes move along at the pace needed to grow as dancers. We understand that things come up and ask that you notify us if your dancer needs to miss class. We hope that you put your dancers classes as a priority and help us teach our dancers the meaning of commitment when being part of a team. We try and make as much progress as we can in each class. With excessive absences, we find that dancers get behind which affects their feelings of being part of the team and confidence in knowing dances for upcoming performances. We appreciate your support and guarantee your dancer will make big strides in their skill level, while having a blast at CentreStage!

Costumes

Of course we have to put our dancers in the cutest costumes possible, since we think they are the cutest and best dancers around! Unlike other programs, where you buy a costume for one end of the year recital, we wear our costumes for every performance INCLUDING the recital. We also try to wear our costumes for 2 years and when you join, we'll let you know where we are with the current costume. Because we are a team and we perform at so many different venues, we have a few accessories that are also a mandatory part of the costume. Below is a list of the costume pieces and the price. When you join your new team, we will size you for all costume pieces needed. Payment must be received before receiving your costume.

Costume Package

- *Performing Costume (worn at all performances including recital)
- *Tan Jazz shoes (since we perform both indoors and outdoors)
- *Fishnet Capri tights
- *Hair Piece (to avoid any pre-performance arguments!)
- *Poms (just like the Suns dancers...we need poms to perform)
- *Earrings (for that extra shine!)
- *Jacket (to wear over your costume to performances)
- *Plaid Warm-up pants (to wear over your costume)
- *CS tank (for performances, or when it's too hot for a jacket)
- *Personalized bag (to put all your dance stuff in order to not lose it)

TOTAL: \$450

The same warm-ups, poms, bag, etc. are used year after year after year. You may also look for any of the above items on our used costume board, or place items for sale that your dancer may have grown out of. Feeling confident in their costume and being a member of a team helps our dancers to feel confident about their dances, performances and build self-esteem.