

DANCE SOUTH STUDIO RULES

1. SIGN IN/SIGN OUT POLICY: All students must be signed in when they arrive at Dance South, and must be signed out before they leave. All students ages 11-up may sign themselves in and out, but children ages 10-under must be accompanied by an adult. This helps us to ensure their safety, and allows us to make sure they receive their monthly newsletters, handouts, etc.

2. OUTSIDE & INSIDE STUDIO: In order to ensure the safety of all students, we respectfully request that all students remain inside the building until their parent/chaperone arrives. Students and/or siblings must not play/linger outside the building or parking lots at any time regardless of age unless accompanied by an adult. Please encourage your child(ren) to follow this rule to ensure their safety. Dance South cannot be held responsible for their safety if the rules are not followed.

In addition, we respectfully request that students not be allowed to run, or "roughhouse" inside the building. Please encourage your children to walk in the building and to use "inside voices" at all times. Due to slick floors, do not wear tap or clog shoes outside of your dance class.

3. RETAIL SHOP: This area is only for parents wishing to shop for performance wear/shoes/tights, etc. A student or child must be accompanied by an adult at all times in the retail shop. Eating, drinking, or playing is not allowed. You may use the restroom located in the retail shop for trying on clothing. Please do not remove any tags. Only items being purchased may be removed from the retail shop and taken to the window to check out. Please respect this store as you would any other.

4. OFFICE: We spend our very limited office time working on class lessons, scheduling events, ordering retail items, updating accounts, planning, and returning messages, so please be mindful and respectful of our time. If you need to meet with a Dance South staff member, please call and schedule an appointment for a time outside of regular class times.

5. FOYER: We respectfully ask that parents and students keep this area quiet and clean at all times. We strive to keep an inviting atmosphere for everyone so please respect this area and refrain from eating or drinking, talking loudly, and allowing children to climb on the furniture. This area is the first thing that newcomers see upon entering and we only have one first chance to make a good first impression.

6. KITCHEN/DRESSING ROOM: These are the only two areas of the studio that eating and drinking are allowed. Please encourage your child(ren) to throw away their trash in the receptacles available. If food or drink is spilled, please encourage your child(ren) to promptly clean the spill as it invites ants and bugs to invade the property. No food or drink is allowed in lockers unless it is in an airtight container.

7. BATHROOMS: Please discuss with your child/ren the importance of bathroom etiquette. Please be mindful of the amount of paper products/soap used and that all trash is to be thrown into disposal provided. Sanitary products must be wrapped and placed in the covered disposal provided.

8. LOST & FOUND: Please discuss with your child the importance of keeping up with their belongings. Please come in and check our "Lost and Found" section at least twice per month to see if any items belong to your child(ren). Items left over 30 days are donated to local charities. Dance shoes will be placed in our used bin in the retail shop for sale.

GENERAL COMMENTS: Please discuss with your child(ren) the importance of taking care of their studio/gym. If they see trash on the floor, please take the time to pick it up and throw it away. If they have snacks/drinks please discard the wrappers/containers. We have a cleaning service that comes on the weekend, but during the week, we cannot possibly maintain this facility without your child(ren)'s attention and assistance to these matters.

NOTE: THESE PREMISES ARE PROTECTED AT ALL TIMES BY VIDEO/AUDIO SURVEILLANCE AND ANYONE CAUSING MALICIOUS DAMAGE TO OUR PROPERTY AND/OR SHOPLIFTING SHALL BE PROSECUTED.

THANK YOU, ALLYSON SHERER, OWNER