



We're excited to announce enrollment for our 2025-2026 annual session of Dance Etc. including a competition opportunity!

Dance Etc. is about...

lasting friendships, building confidence, responsibility, joy, comradery, collaborating with others, improving performance skills, respect, happiness, providing a creative outlet and fun!

If your child loves to perform, join the fun! Three age groups!



WHAT DO YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT DANCE ETC.?

- ◆ Open to students, ages 5½-18, divided by age, who are currently enrolled at the studio and have completed at least one year of dance training in ballet, tap, jazz/hip hop, jazz, or hip hop. Please note: Students who meet the age requirement but are currently in Rising Stars will become eligible for DE beginning the following season.
- ◆ Registrations will be accepted **now through September 3**. Class size is limited.
- ◆ DE payments will be processed with your automatic payment for weekly classes.
- ◆ 4 easy ways to register:
 - Our website: <https://www.collierdance.com/performances/dance-etc/>
 - Through your Parent Portal (also available in our app)
 - Over the phone
 - At the studio
- ◆ To complete registration, fill out and submit the contract by September 2
 - Return the attached contract on the back of this packet **OR**
 - Submit online: <https://www.collierdance.com/dance-etc-annual-season-contract/>
- ◆ DE will learn a jazz and/or musical theater piece throughout the season and will join CADT at local performances. Participants will perform at CADT Spring Concert, Holiday Magic, a Dance Competition, and Debra Collier's School of Dance 2026 Recitals. DE will focus on choreography only and is not intended to replace the technical training received in weekly classes.
- ◆ Rehearsals will be held as follows: *(determined by age as of Sept 1, 2025)*
 - **Dance Etc. II** (ages 5 ½ to 8): Tuesday, 5:15-6p
 - **Dance Etc.** (ages 9 - 12): Tuesday, 6-6:45p
 - **Dance Etc. Teens** (ages 12 - 18): Monday, 8:15-9:15p
- ◆ Rehearsal attire - one-piece leotard, tights, black slip-on jazz shoes, with hair secured.
- ◆ Consistent and prompt attendance is imperative.
 - **Members are limited to three absences before January 31, and three absences before the beginning of May, and any dancer exceeding this limit will be expelled from DE. Unused absences cannot be carried over. (This does not include performances.)**
 - When an absence is unavoidable, it is the dancer's responsibility to learn choreography from another member prior to the next rehearsal.
 - In order to keep the classes progressing, choreography cannot be retaught.
 - Choreography is taught at a quick pace, therefore, anyone missing either the first or the second rehearsal must notify the staff in writing or via email and arrange to learn the choreography prior to the next rehearsal.
- ◆ **All participants will receive a FREE Dance Etc. logo t-shirt as a keepsake. Wear your new Dance Etc. logo t-shirt out in the community to show your DE pride!**

PERFORMANCES

- ◆ Performances vary by season and are not guaranteed.
- ◆ At times we don't find out about a performance until the last minute. We will notify everyone as soon as possible, via email and/or text.
- ◆ If a student has a prior commitment, the absence will be excused if a written note or email is sent to the office prior to the final rehearsal before the performance.
- ◆ If an absence is unexcused, it will be counted as one of the permitted absences.
- ◆ **TO PARTICIPATE IN A PERFORMANCE, YOU MUST ATTEND THE CLASS AND DRESS REHEARSAL DIRECTLY PRECEDING IT.**
- ◆ Participation in Dance Etc. requires attendance and participation in **any or all** dress rehearsals for the annual CADT Spring Concert, Holiday Magic, Dance Competition, and Debra Collier's School of Dance 2026 Recitals AND the class preceding the dress rehearsals.

TUITION

The applicable tuition rate will be included in your automatic payments based on the payment option you have selected.

- ◆ Dance Etc. II (ages 5 ½ to 8, as of June 1):
 - Annual: \$712 Installments: \$72
- ◆ Dance Etc. (ages 9 to 12, as of June 1):
 - Annual: \$712 Installments: \$72
- ◆ Dance Etc. Teens (ages 12 to 18, as of June 1):
 - Annual: \$784 Installments: \$79

PERFORMANCE ATTIRE

- ◆ All Dance Etc. female members will need slip-on black jazz shoes (\$50-\$60*)
*Shoe price varies depending on size and style.
- ◆ Each student is required to purchase one costume that will be used for the dance competition, CADT's Annual Spring Concert, Holiday Magic and the annual recitals. Your account will be billed for the cost of the costume including tax and a new pair of tights. Boys will have a corresponding costume with black jazz shoes.
- ◆ Dancers will be given detailed instructions for hair style and make up for performances. It is important for everyone to look uniform. Matching makeup will be purchased for each member. A statement will be sent out after these items are purchased.

COMPETITION

- ◆ All DE students will participate in a dance competition.
- ◆ Competition fees will be billed to your account and a statement will be emailed. There is no admission for audience members. A statement will be sent out after these items are purchased.

DE INFO ALL IN ONE PLACE

- ◆ **NEW!** Visit our Dance Etc. Information page on our website for all things Dance Etc!
 - <https://www.collierdance.com/dance-etc-information-page/>

CONTACT US

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DANCE ETC. *Annual Session 2025-2026* _____ DE II _____ DE _____ DE Teens

Please read thoroughly, initial each section, and sign and date below. The following contract must be submitted to the office staff to complete the registration process.

_____ I have read and agree to the following:

- ◆ I understand each dancer is limited to **three** absences before January 31, and **three** absences before the beginning of May, and any dancer exceeding this limit will be expelled from DE. Unused absences cannot be carried over.
- ◆ By signing I accept responsibility for the total fee for the session regardless of attendance, including but not limited to discontinuation by expulsion.
- ◆ I understand my child is required to participate in the Dance Competition, Holiday Magic, Class Act Dance Troupe Annual Concert, and Debra Collier's School of Dance 2026 Recitals. For my child to participate in a performance, they must attend the class and dress rehearsal(s) immediately preceding the event.

Logo Shirt and Makeup:

_____ My child's performance logo shirt fits correctly _____ My child needs a/new performance logo shirt

_____ My child has performance makeup _____ My child needs performance makeup

Payment Option:

_____ I agree to pay one annual payment to be processed with the credit/debit card on file.

_____ I agree to pay ten installments to be processed with the credit/debit card on file.

Class	One Annual Payment <i>Due upon registration</i>	10 Installment Plan <i>1st due upon registration 2nd through 10th payment processed on the first of each month</i>
DE II	\$712	\$72
DE	\$712	\$72
DE Teens	\$784	\$79

Student's Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature (if under 18): _____