**Mindy’s Dance Center**

**2021-2022 MDC Dance Company Audition & Prep Class Information**

**Audition Prep Classes - June 21st, 22nd, 23rd / Auditions - Saturday, June 26th**

To reserve your child’s spot at auditions, please submit an audition form, medical treatment form, 2 copies of their birth certificate, and pay the required audition fee of $40.00 prior to the or the day of June 27th. Returning members, please turn in your Dance Company Handbooks.  Audition Prep classes are $95.00 per child (no pro-rating or discounts) and will be processed the 1st day of prep classes on autopay.

**Audition Information**

Auditions will take place at Mindy’s Dance Center. Please check in 15 minutes prior to your audition time. Please bring the appropriate shoes for each style of dance (jazz, ballet, lyrical). Ladies will wear black booty shorts with black sports bra or a black leotard, and a low bun. Gentlemen will wear black pants with solid black colored shirt, with hair out of their face. No loose fitting clothing please. An audition is equivalent to a performance, so please look and perform your best.

Students will audition based on their age as of January 1st, 2022. Dancers ages 8 and under will be considered minis for auditions. Dancers ages 9-11 will be considered juniors for auditions. Dancers ages 12-14 will be considered teens for auditions. Dancers ages 15 and older will be considered seniors for audition.***The group a dancer auditions with is not necessarily the group they will be placed in for technique training or for routine placement. Teachers will make these decisions based on skills mastered, among other qualities listed below.***

When completing the audition form, please consider the number of routines your child will audition for. If your child is selected for a routine you have indicated on the audition form, you will be expected to commit to those routines. There will be 100% charge of the choreography fee for any dropped routine(s) after the second rehearsal.

**We consider several different things before placing students in routines. Some of this criteria includes their commitment and dedication to dance, their work ethic, their technical ability, their attitude, their attendance history, their performance personality, their fitness, and their age.**

Audition results will be displayed by July 3rd at Mindy’s Dance Center after 5:00 pm. A mandatory parent meeting will be held at a date TBD. There will be a $100 competition deposit due at the time of the parent meeting.

**We look forward to meeting you all, and are so excited to start the 2021-2022 dance season!**

Audition Prep Schedule - Monday, June 21, Tuesday, June 22, Wednesday, June 23

**Students attending intensives need to come stretched and ready to dance.**

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| **Time** | **Studio A** | **Studio B** | **Studio C** |
| 4:30-5:00 | Senior Jazz *with Miss Mindy* | Teen Lyrical*With Miss Elizabeth* |  |
| 5:00-5:30 | Teen Lyrical/Contemporary*with Miss Elizabeth* | Teen Ballet*with Miss Paula* |  |
| 5:30-6:00 | Teen Jazz*with Miss Mindy* | Senior Ballet*with Miss Paula* |  |
| 6:00-6:30 | Mini Jazz*with Miss Mindy* | Junior Ballet*with Miss Paula* |  |
| 6:30-7:00 | Mini Ballet*with Miss Paula* | Junior Lyrical*with Miss Elizabeth* |  |
| 7:00-7:30 | Junior Jazz*with Miss Mindy* | Mini Lyrical*with Miss Elizabeth* |  |

**Audition Schedule - Saturday, June 26th**

**Students auditioning need to come stretched and ready to dance.**

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| **Dancer’s Age** | **Check In Time** | **Audition Time** |
| 8 and under (Minis) | 8:45 | 9:00-9:45 |
| 9-11 (Juniors) | 9:30 | 9:45-10:30 |
| 12-14 (Teens) | 10:15 | 10:30-11:15 |
| 15 and up (Seniors) | 11:00 | 11:15-12:00 |