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Studio Etiquette & Policies

STUDENTS, PARENTS, TEACHERS and STAFF ARE EXPECTED TO CONDUCT THEMSELVES WITH RESPECT FOR EACH OTHER and FOR THE ACADEMY AT ALL TIMES. A cooperative environment is essential for learning.

PUNCTUAL & CONSISTENT ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED of all LABA students.

Students who arrive late for class may be asked to sit and watch.

Contact the Front Desk as soon as possible when you know your child will be absent from class.

Contact the Front Desk before attending a make-up class.

APPROPRIATE ATTIRE MUST BE WORN TO CLASS. Hair for ballet must be in a bun, shoes should be properly fitted and safe for dance with student dressed in proper dance attire for class. Students who are not properly dressed may be asked to leave the class. No jewelry other than stud earrings permitted in any class. When leaving the studio premises, students must have appropriate cover-up or warm-ups. Students may not be outside of the studio premises in their dance attire.

DO NOT BRING VALUABLES. LABA is not responsible for lost or stolen goods. Lost & found is donated to Goodwill monthly.

THE STUDIO IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR STUDENTS WHO LEAVE THE PREMISES. Children must be supervised when entering or leaving the building.

FOOD should be eaten in the designated area only and is not permitted in the dance studios. Only water and sports drinks are permitted in the dance studios. NO GUM & NO POPCORN permitted on the premises.

STUDENTS & PARENTS are expected to pick up after themselves.

LABA TEACHERS WILL MAKE DECISIONS AS TO THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL FOR EACH STUDENT and will consult with the Director and inform the parents if a change is appropriate.

POINTE: Students will only be **considered** for pre-pointe if they are at least eleven (11) years old, are attending at least three (3) ballet classes per week, and show sufficient strength and control.

TEAM MEMBERSHIP & SOLOS: Team membership, solos or other groups are by invitation of the Directors only.

CONFERENCES: The Directors will be happy to arrange a conference at the request of a student or parent. Please do not conference with teachers during or between classes.

LOS ANGELES BALLET ACADEMY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE SERVICE TO ANYONE FOR ANY REASON.

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