The Blue Ridge Studio for the Performing Arts

<u>TUITION</u> 2024-25

Tuition is calculated on a seasonal basis and by the total number of hours a dancer spends in class for the entire season. It may be paid in one of three ways: monthly, by semester or with one yearly payment.

Monthly tuition payments are due the first of every month, and a <u>\$30 late fee will be charged to any</u> <u>account that is 10 days past due</u>. The seasonal tuition rate is divided into <u>9 monthly payments</u> for your convenience, and the last payment is due May 1. All accounts must be maintained in good standing, or students will not be permitted to attend class or participate in performances.

Semester payments are due as follows: ½ of the yearly tuition is due at registration, and the remaining ½ is due January 1st.

Family Discount: There is a 10% reduction in tuition for each additional family member whose tuition is of equal or lesser value.

Payments may be made by check, cash or online via credit/debit card. Payments may be dropped off at the Studio or mailed to 5 East Main Street, Berryville, VA 22611. Please go to this link if you wish to pay online with a credit card: <u>https://app.thestudiodirector.com/blueridgestudio/portal.sd</u> We do NOT store credit card numbers at The Blue Ridge Studio.

Non-refundable registration fees: \$45 per new student or \$40 per returning student is required upon registration. (*This fee is waived for families who pay the entire year's tuition in advance.*)

Costume fees are due in December and are <u>separate from tuition fees</u>. Costumes range in price from \$60 - \$80, and a separate invoice will be distributed to everyone in November.

The Spring Performance Fee is \$50 per student and is due no later than March 15. This fee includes two complimentary tickets per family, helps cover the cost of renting the venue, hiring stage technicians, additional rehearsals, set construction, advertising, printing and other expenses associated with the end-of-the-year stage productions.

There are no refunds on tuition payments, and we require written notice if a student is withdrawing from the Studio. Any classes missed due to illness, family emergencies or inclement weather may be made up, at your convenience, in alternate classes. Please see your teacher to find out what alternative classes you should take to make up for missed classes.

There will be a \$50 charge for any returned checks.

If there is a financial problem that precludes you from paying your tuition on time, we ask that you let us know so that we can make special arrangements. We are a non-profit organization, and we operate on an extremely small budget. If you would like to apply for a scholarship, please inform the office and an application will be sent to you. Your cooperation and timely payments are appreciated.

PLEASE SEE NEXT PAGE TO CALCULATE YOUR TUITION

TUITION RATES

2024-25 Season

45-minute classes that meet 1 / week: Creative Dance, Beginning Ballet, Ballet I, Hip-Hop, Tap II, Jazz II, Intermediate Tap, Broadway Dance.

1-hour classes that meet 1 / week: Adult Jazz / Tap, Choreography, Advanced Tap, Jazz / Tap I, Ballet II, Acro / Modern

1.5-hour classes that meet 1 / week: Intermediate Jazz / Modern, Advanced Jazz / Modern

Ballet III meets 1 / week for 1 hour.

Ballet IV meets 1 / week for 1.5 hours.

Ballet III / IV is a joint class that meets 1 / week for 1 hour and 15 minutes. <u>This class is a required for Ballet III</u> <u>and IV.</u>

Advanced Ballet is 1.5 hours long and meets 3 / week (total: 4.5 hrs.).

Calculate your tuition by *class hours / week / student*.

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For each additional family member whose tuition is of equal or lesser value, please deduct 10%. Registration fee(s) are waived for students whose tuition is paid in full at the beginning of the season.

CLASS HOURS / WEEK	MONTHLY PAYMENT	SEMESTER PAYMENT	YEARLY PAYMENT
45 minutes	\$95	\$427.50	\$855
1 hour	\$117	\$526.50	\$1053
1 hour 15 minutes	\$137	\$616.50	\$1233
1 hour 30 minutes	\$156	\$702	\$1404
1 hour 45 minutes	\$173	\$778.50	\$1557
2 hours	\$189	\$850.50	\$1701
2 hours 15 minutes	\$206	\$927	\$1854
2 hours 30 minutes	\$211	\$949.50	\$1899
2 hours 45 minutes	\$217	\$976.50	\$1953
3 hours	\$223	\$1003.50	\$2007
3 hours 30 minutes	\$239	\$1075.50	\$2151
4 hours	\$261	\$1174.50	\$2349
4 hours 15 minutes	\$267	\$1201.50	\$2403
4 hours 30 minutes	\$278	\$1251	\$2502
5 hours	\$295	\$1327.50	\$2655
5 hours 30 minutes	\$311	\$1399.50	\$2799
5 hrs. 45 min.	\$328	\$1476	\$2952

6 hrs.	\$335	\$1507.50	\$3015
6 hours 30 minutes	\$345	\$1553.50	\$3105
6 hours 45 minutes	\$356	\$1602	\$3204
7 hours	\$373	\$1678	\$3357
7 hours 30 minutes	\$383	\$1723.50	\$3447
8 hours	\$396	\$1782	\$3564
8 hours 30 minutes	\$411	\$1849.50	\$3699
Unlimited	\$445	\$2002.50	\$4005