



Inspire Dance Academy's New Policies and Procedures for Safe Re-Opening on June 1, 2020

Please take a minute to read through this paper to familiarize yourself and your dancer with our new procedures. We ask that parents of younger students have a conversation with their child prior to their first dance class back discussing the new rules and expectations.

1. Before arriving to class you MUST log in to the parent portal (<https://app.jackrabbitclass.com/jr3.0/ParentPortal/Login?orgID=522687>) to read/sign a new waiver for your child(s) records at the studio.
2. DO NOT COME TO DANCE IF; your dancer is feeling ill, IN ANYWAY, fever, coughing, sneezing, runny nose, etc. DO NOT COME TO DANCE IF; A family member in the same household is ill.
3. All waiting areas and lobbies are CLOSED (EXCEPT to parents with students 4 and younger). Parents and siblings must wait in their cars instead of inside the studio. Parents of those younger than age 8 are encouraged to wait on the premises in case their dancer has separation or behavioral issues.
4. Parents MUST conduct their own health assessment of their dancer(s) prior to arriving at Inspire. This includes taking temperature and discussing all Covid-19 symptoms. Dancers may NOT enter the facility if they are exhibiting any symptoms or have been exposed to Covid-19.
5. Tuition payments will be accepted ONLINE, or you may quickly stop into the office to pay, the office is only open Monday and Tuesdays throughout summer.
6. Drop off and pick up must happen at corresponding classroom doors. If your class is in the small preschool studio you will use the main alley door, classes in the main big studio will use the door off of main street and the corner studio will use the door off elm street next to the barber shop. This will minimize hallway foot traffic. Parents must walk their dancers to the door if they are ages 8 and younger to drop off, and MUST pick up in the same manner.
7. Dancers should NOT enter the building until their exact class time. They may wait in their car outside upon arrival until their class time.
8. MASKS are optional while dancing BUT highly recommended, when doing low physical activities, such as walking in the building and stretching.
9. All employees and instructors will have their temperature checked upon arrival

10. NO dance bags will be allowed in the studio, only bring in your needed dance shoes. Dancers NEED to arrive to the studio in proper class clothes. There will be NO changing allowed in the studio. Hair MUST be pulled up into a ponytail.
11. Dancers and staff members are REQUIRED to sanitize their hands upon entering the building, and they will be asked to sanitize throughout class, as needed. There are sanitizing stations set up in the hallways and all of the classrooms.
12. There will be less usage of the preschool props throughout this time. After each class they will be thoroughly sanitized.
13. The water machines are closed and NO longer in the studio. Dancers are strongly ENCOURAGED to bring their own personal water bottles from home which they will be instructed to place in specified/spaced out cubbies. They MUST have their name on their water bottles and please do NOT leave them at the end of class, they will be thrown away for sanitary purposes.
14. There will be NO eating in the studio of any kind. Dancers should NOT bring any food or snacks into the building.
15. The bathrooms will be monitored and will be sanitized after EVERY use.
16. There will be NO suckers at the end of the younger kid classes. Teachers will be responsible to hand each dancer their sticker, NO children will be touching the sticker sheets.
17. We miss everyone dearly but there will be NO hugging, NO high fives, and NO hand holding. The teachers will keep their distance in applying technical corrections. Tumbling and cheer classes will continue with stunts and teacher spotting (where needed), with maximum precautions.
18. If parents have any questions with which they will need staff assistance, they are encouraged to call the studio at 913-938-4083 or email the studio at inspiredancegardner@yahoo.com instead of entering the facility in person. The office is closed for any unannounced walk-in questions.

Thank you for your continued patience and understanding through all these new changes. We appreciate everyone's commitment to safety, and we can't wait to see you in class!



Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. **COVID-19 is extremely contagious** and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact.

As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people. **Inspire Dance Academy has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, Inspire Dance Academy cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19.** Further, attending or teaching classes at Inspire Dance Academy could increase your risk and your child(ren)'s risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending or teaching classes and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Inspire Dance Academy may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, Inspire Dance Academy employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s attendance at Inspire Dance Academy or participation in Inspire Dance Academy programming ("Claims"). On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless Inspire Dance Academy, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of Inspire Dance Academy, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Inspire Dance Academy program.

Print Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Name of Inspire Dance Academy Participant(s):

_____, _____, _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: ___/___/___