

# LEGACY OF DANCE ACADEMY

Instructing Excellence in Dance Since 1993



## LODA Covid-19 Studio Guidelines

Legacy of Dance Academy is following all guidelines and recommendations set forth by the Ontario Government and Ministry of Health as well as The Ontario Dance and Performing Arts Studio Workplace Guidelines.

- Upon arrival, please line up against the windows where yellow markings are located, students and visitors will have temperature checks conducted by our staff. We will have a self-questionnaire displayed at the entrance. Those who answer “yes” to any questions are not permitted into the facility.
- Upon entry, students will make their way to restrooms to wash their hands.
- Change rooms are temporarily closed. Students will arrive in their dance attire under their regular street clothes and will place all belongings in individual designated spaces in the dance studio. We ask that students bring only necessities, water bottles, dance shoes, etc.
- Our waiting area outside the dance rooms have markings for students to wait on while waiting for class to start. We ask that students arrive no sooner than 5-10 minutes prior to the start of their class.
- Hand sanitizer stations will be placed throughout the studio, however, hand washing is strongly recommended. Please do not be late for classes.
- Parents with children **over** the age of 6 will not be permitted into the building for the time being. Certain exceptions will be made at the discretion of the studio. **One** parent/guardian of children aged 6 and under is permitted to enter only the main waiting room area at the front of the studio and must follow all safety measures listed (eg. wearing a mask). We ask that if your child aged 6 and under does not *need* accompaniment, you refrain from entering the building as we are maintaining low occupancy and seating is limited at this time.
- Face masks are to be worn upon entrance and exit of the facility, as well as any times where appropriate social distancing cannot be maintained. Masks are not required during dance classes for students.
- Dance studio floors, barres, and walls are marked with tape to maintain 2 metres between dancers. This distance will also be kept between dancers and instructors, there will be no direct contact corrections made by instructors during class.
- Class sizes are always limited, however this year, they are narrowed down to a maximum of 7-10 students (depending on the class)
- Some classes may end 5 minutes sooner, certain classes will be staggered to avoid simultaneous group entry and exit.
- After class, parents/guardians are to wait outside the studio entrance to pick up students, a staff member will assist younger students to the entranceway to the parent/guardian. Kindly be on time.
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