

Summer Dance Intensive - Program Regulations

Attendance:

The expectation is that all students will attend all of their lessons. Make up lessons for the IBA summer programs are not available. In the event that a dancer must miss a lesson, the student or parent should notify the IBA front desk.

Dance Etiquette:

The International Ballet Academy should be considered a place of respect. Upon entering the building, all persons are asked to behave in a disciplined and responsible manner. All staff and faculty members are to be addressed by a title (Mr. Francois, Ms. Vera, etc.). Students are expected to personally thank their instructor and accompanist, if present, after each class. For more information about classroom and studio etiquette and the expectations of those training at International Ballet Academy, please review the IBA Student Manual that is posted on our website.

Food and Drink:

Students are expected to bring a healthy foods and a water bottle everyday. No food or drink (except water) is permitted in any studio. Students will be expected to eat and drink appropriately throughout the day to remain hydrated, healthy and strong. Students are always expected to dispose of their own trash properly and clean up behind themselves.

Leaving Campus:

Students are encouraged to stay on campus throughout the entirety of the daily program. However, if any student under the age of 18 years old desires to go off campus for any break, it should be only with the permission of their parent or legal guardian. They also should follow the IBA expected guidelines for safety. Dancers exiting during the session should sign out and back in when doing so. They should be in a group of two or more dancers. IBA discourages any dancer under the age of 13 years old from leaving the premises without parental supervision; however, IBA cannot be held responsible for dancers who exit against our policies and/or without parental consent. Please make sure your dancer is clear on what is acceptable for your family with regard to this matter.

Code of Conduct:

Students attending any lessons at the International Ballet Academy or in association with the International Ballet Academy and Theatre programming understand that they must follow the Academy code of conduct. Dancers and their family members should cooperate with all of the information located in the registration forms and on the IBA website as it relates to their particular program.

Housekeeping:

Dancers may be assigned a dressing room based on their level on the first day of lessons. In that case, there are storage cabinets and cubbies for your use; however, students will not be allowed to leave any property or possessions overnight at the studio. Please make sure to take all your belongings after class. We ask that all dancers help keep all dressing rooms clean. Personal items should be stored in cabinets and cubbies and not left on chairs, on benches or on the floor.

Lost & Found:

IBA regularly finds items that dancers have left behind. We have a ***Lost & Found*** bin in the young ladies' dressing room. Items not claimed at the end of the summer programs will be taken to a local charity. We cannot be responsible for any dancer's lost items. Please do not bring valuables into the studio. Please label all of your dancewear (include every shoe) with at least your first initial and last name.

Electronic Devices:

No electronic devices other than cell phones should be brought onto the premises. ***Phone use is regulated.*** Phones should never be taken into the classroom except where the instructor has made that invitation. No photos and videos are allowed inside the dancer dressing rooms! No video and photography should be posted to social media without first obtaining permission from the relevant instructors and the included parties in the images and videos.