## CLASS DESCRIPTIONS AND DRESS CODE

Dance With Me
This class introduces young children movement through music building motor skills, coordination, and confidence. Requires participation with a parent, grandparent, guardian, caregiver, etc.

Creative Movement - Ballet III
These levels teach your dancer the discipline of on how to take a dance class. As well as develop their coordination, musicality, and basic ballet technique.

Ballet IV-VI
Transforming the basic ballet technique by learning how to combine the steps into more complex combinations and focusing on the artistry of movement. Two classes a week is recommended.

Adult Ballet
Recreational classes for learning the basics of ballet technique to help improve strength and stability. Beginning is open to anyone, no experience needed. Intermediate needs approval by the staff.

Pre-Pointe is a 30-minute strengthening class, designed as a preparation for Pointe Technique for ages 10 & up.

Beginning - Advanced Pointe
Classes are by invitation only, and require enrollment in at least two ballet classes per week in addition to Pointe class. Required attire is the same dress as Ballet III-VI with the addition of pointe shoes. Pointe shoes must be checked by the faculty before sewing on elastic and ribbon.

All Tap Levels
Tap teaches you musicality, sound recognition, and bridges into complex rhythms and intricate foot work

Jazz class blends classic techniques with contemporary styles, focusing on rhythm, coordination, and performance.

All Hip Hop Levels
Hip Hop teaches you the fundamentals of Hip Hop, including grooves, footwork, isolation, tricks and freestyle skills.

All Modern Levels

Modern classes are designed to introduce a new style of movement to dancers, the principles of contemporary movement technique and improvisational skills to strengthen their movement vocabulary.

Dance Team Prep

This class teaches and refines intermediate to upper level dance team technique found in the styles of kick, pom, jazz, and hip-hop. This class is designed to prepare dancers for the excitement and rigor of middle school or high school drill team tryouts. The faculty recommends one year of previous dance experience as a prerequisite.

Class & Age Requirement	Dress Code	Class Minutes Per Week 30 45		
Dance with Me (2-3 years old)	Any color leotard with tights or shorts			
Creative Movement (4-5 years old)	Pink Leotard			
Ballet I (ages 6-7 years old)	Light Blue Leotard	60		
Ballet II (8-9 years old)	Light Purple Leotard	75		
Ballet III (10 & up)	Red Leotard	75		
Ballet IV (11 & up)	Dark Green Leotard	90		
Ballet V (12 & up)	Dark Blue Leotard	90		
Ballet VI (13 & up)	Black Leotard	90		
Adult Ballet (17 & up)	Fitted t-shirt, leggings, or leotard & tights, pink or black ballet shoes	*By Session		
Pre-Pointe	Color-level leotard	30		
All levels of Pointe  By Invitation Only	Color-level leotard	90		
Beginning Modern (10 & up)	Leotard, convertible or footless tights, leggings, shorts or jazz pants, bare feet	60		
Intermediate Modern (12 & up)	Leotard, convertible or footless tights, leggings, shorts or jazz pants, bare feet	60		
Advanced Modern (14 & up)	Leotard. convertible or footless tights. leggings. shorts or jazz pants. bare feet	60		
Tap I (6-8 years old)	Solid colored leotard, tights, dance pants, black hard sole tap shoes	30		
Tap II (9 & up)	Solid colored leotard, tights, dance pants, black hard sole tap shoes	45		
Tap III (13 & up)  By Invitation Only	Solid colored leotard, tights, dance pants, black hard sole tap shoes	60		
Beginning Jazz (8-9 years old)	Solid colored leotard, pink tights, black jazz pants, jazz shorts black jazz shoes	45		
Intermediate Jazz (10 & up)	Solid colored leotard, pink tights, black jazz pants, jazz shorts black jazz shoes	60		
Advanced Jazz (12 & up)  By Invitation Only	Solid colored leotard, pink tights, black jazz pants, jazz shorts black jazz shoes	60		
Hip Hop I (8-10 years old)	Fitted athletic wear-dance sneakers only (not to be worn outside)	45		
Hip Hop II (11 & up)	Fitted athletic wear-dance sneakers only (not to be worn outside)	60		
Hip Hop III (13 & up)  By Invitation Only	Fitted athletic wear-dance sneakers only (not to be worn outside)	60		
Dance Team Prep (11 & up)	Fitted athletic wear and jazz shoes	*By session		

All levels of Ballet - Hair must be back in a tight bun. Pink tights & pink ballet shoes.

All dance shoes are only to be worn in the studio.

Dancers must wear something over their leotard when arriving and leaving studio.

\*Session Dates Beg Adult Ballet & Adult Tap Fall Sept. 8 - Nov. 10, 2025 Spring Jan. 12 - Mar 16, 2026

Interm. Adult Ballet Fall Sept. 10 - Nov. 12, 2025 Spring Jan. 14- Mar 18, 2026

Dance Team Prep Fall Sept. 9- Nov. 11, 2025 Spring Jan. 13 - Mar. 17, 2026

### 2025-2026 ACADEMY TUITION

# Registration Fee: \$50 per family

#### Online Registration is available at www.waballet.org beginning June 16, 2025

Minutes of Class per Week	Monthly Tuition	Fall Semester Tuition with 5% Discount	Spring Semester Tuition with 5% Discount	Annual Tuition with 10% Discount		
30	\$60	\$227	\$283	\$483		
45	\$66	\$251	\$314	\$535		
60	\$77	\$291	\$363	\$620		
75	\$89	\$337	\$422	\$719 \$825		
90	\$102	\$387	\$484			
100	\$110	\$419	\$523	\$892		
105	\$112	\$427	\$534	\$911		
120	\$126	\$479	\$599	\$1,021		
135	\$131	\$497	\$621	\$1,060		
150	\$139	\$529	\$661	\$1,128		
165	\$146	\$556	\$695	\$1,186		
180	\$149	\$565	\$706	\$1,205		
210	\$165	\$627	\$783	\$1,336		
225	\$177	\$672	\$839	\$1,431		
270	\$204	\$774	\$968	\$1,651		
315	\$238	\$903	\$1,129	\$1,926		
330	\$249	\$947	\$1,183	\$2,018		

<sup>\*</sup>All Session Classes are \$180 per session.

To	calculate t	uition:								
1. (	Choose the	classes yo	u are	enrolled	in	and	add	the	numbe	rc
min	utes for each	:h class fro	m th	e Class L	ist	Cha	rt			

2. Based on the number of class minutes per week, look at the tuition chart to determine your tuition based upon how you will pay: annually, by semester, or monthly.

Example: Sally is enrolled in the following classes: **Ballet III**, two classes per week (75 min. x 2 days = **150 min.**), **Pre-Pointe**, one class per week (**30 min.**), **Beg. Jazz**, one class per week (**45 min.**). Add the minutes per class for each class to find the total minutes per week as below:

150 30 +45

225 TOTAL Minutes per week

\$177.00

225 min. per week = \$1431.00 \$672.00 \$839.00 Annually Fall Sem. Spring Sem. Monthly

#### **Scholarships Available**

Scholarships to assist with monthly tuition and class uniforms are available click the QR code for information or contact the studio at info@waballet.org or 479-785-0152



#### **Western Arkansas Ballet Annual Fees**

\$50 registration fee (one per family)
Monthly tuition (Sept-May) per dancer at rate stated above
\$30 Spring Dance Concert fee (one per family)

\*\*\*\*\*Academy dancers pay no additional costume fees, choreography fees, or additional ticket sales for the Spring Dance Concert\*\*\*\*\*

All class periods are dedicated to <u>one discipline</u> of dance (ballet, tap, jazz, etc.) and lead by experienced trained faculty.

The Academy is in session for nine months(4 Fall months & 5 Spring months) and all tuition is based on the total annual cost of the program. Payments may be made annually, by semester, or by month. A discount applies for payments made annually or by semester. Discounts are not provided for absences, vacations, academy holidays or snow/inclement weather closures. Checks should be made payable to Western Arkansas Ballet or WAB. Monthly payments are due on the first day of the month. Automatic payments may be set up in your Studio Pro payment portal. A \$25 late fee is charged after the 5th of the month. A student whose account is 30 days past due will be asked to observe rather than participate. RETURNED CHECK CHARGE is \$25 It is understood that a student who is admitted to the Academy is to be enrolled for the entire 9-month-term. If it becomes necessary for a student to withdraw, communication or written notice from an adult/guardian to the Administrator is required. If the written notification of withdrawal is submitted by the 15th of the month (without class attendance), there will be no charge for the month. Above policies are explained in your Academy Handbook.