

SOLO/DUO/TRIO

Competing a solo, duo, or trio is a big commitment for students and parents, but can be a very rewarding and confidence building experience! There is a lot of time, dedication, and hard work involved. Students are expected to arrive early, warm-up, and be ready to dance before rehearsals start. Students are also expected to practice their choreography on their own each week so instructor does not need to use rehearsal hours to review. Solos, duos, and trios are in addition to regular company classes.

Once again we have had several requests for solos, duos, and trios this year, and may not be able accommodate all requests. Our graduating seniors will get first priority. Students who are not graduating seniors must audition for a solo/duo/trio. There are 2 audition dates to choose from: Monday, July 10th, @7:45pm OR Monday, July 24th, @7:45pm.

Please arrive with 30-60 seconds of choreography prepared in the form of dance you wish to compete a solo/duo/trio in. Students requesting a duo or trio may audition as a duo or trio, or individually.

Below are the requirements:

*All Mini level or Team students who wish to compete a solo, duo, or trio, MUST take their company/team class, as well as an additional group class.

*All junior level students who wish to compete a solo, duo, or trio, MUST take at least 3 group classes per week (in addition to solo/duo/trio).

*All senior/elite level students who wish to compete a solo, duo, or trio, MUST take at least 4 group classes per week (in addition to their solo/duo/trio)

**Graduating seniors are the exception to the rules. All graduating senior will have the opportunity to perform a solo or duo/trio.*

*Students may compete up to 2 solos/duos (must be different genres if solos)

*Ballet Solos/Duos/Trios: Must compete in a ballet company class.

*Jazz/Musical Theatre Solos/Duos/Trios: Must compete in a ballet company/class, as well as a jazz and/or musical theatre company/class.

*Lyrical/Contemporary Solos/ Duos/Trios: Must compete in a ballet company/class & a lyrical/contemporary company/class.

*Tap Solos/Duos/Trios: Must compete in a tap company.

*Hip Hop Solos/Duos/Trios: Must compete in a hip hop/jazz hop company/team.

2023 - 2024 Pricing for solo/duo/trios: \$800 for solos / \$850 for duos/trios (divided by 2 or 3 for duos/trios)*This price does not include entry fees. Solo/duo/trio fee must be paid before rehearsals begin.

Price includes:

- Choreography
- Instructor Competition Expense (There will be a S.O.D.A. instructor assigned to all solos/duos/trios at each competition. This instructor may not be the instructor the student works with, however, they will be in charge of back-up music, making sure students are warmed up, and getting dancers backstage on time.
- 10 hours rehearsal/meeting time (10 hours includes music/costume meeting with parents/students, and time spent going over critiques after competitions)

SOLO/DUO/TRIO REQUEST FORM

(Please email or drop off audition request before your audition date)

Email: steppinoutdanceacademy@yahoo.com

Dancer's Name: _____

Dancer's Birthdate & School Grade: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Style Of Dance: _____

Number Of Group Classes you will be taking in the fall: _____

Circle One: SOLO DUO TRIO

Please Circle Which Audition You Will Attend: July 10th - July 24th

Would you like to request an instructor? _____

Are you open to other instructors if instructor is not available?: _____

*Solos, Duos, & Trios will participate in 3 competitions.

*We are waiting for competitions to release their 2023-2024 entry fees.

***Entry fees will be divided into 3 equal payments due October 1st, November 1st, and December 1st.**