



# Endless Mountains Dance Center

## Policies, Holidays, & Dress Code



### **Tuition: September 2025 – May 2026**

- The dance year runs from September 8th, 2025 to May 2026. A spring recital will be held in May. Tuition and fees can be paid by cash, check, Visa, Mastercard, or Discover. There is a \$30 fee for all returned checks.
- There are 2 options for paying tuition:
  - Tuition may be paid in full for the year.
  - Tuition may be paid each month for 9 monthly payments beginning in September and ending in May. If you are paying by the month, tuition is due by the 1<sup>st</sup> of each month. A late fee of \$20 will be charged to all accounts if this tuition isn't paid on time. NO REFUNDS. Auto-Pay is also available for monthly payments, a new form must be filled out each year.
- There is a \$35 registration fee per year. A costume fee will be added to each monthly tuition charge. The fee is as follows: 3 year old-Junior classes will have an \$8 fee *per costume* added monthly, Peridot, Opal, Pearl, Ruby, Emerald, Diamond classes will have a \$9 fee *per costume* added monthly.
- Tuition payments may be brought to the dance center OR paid online through the parent portal.
- A family discount is available to families who enroll more than one person.
- Tuition is due whether or not the student is present for the class. NO REFUNDS.
- There is also a discount available for taking multiple classes.
- All accounts not paid in full by June 15th, 2026 will be sent to collections.
- Any money fundraised in student accounts not used by August 1st, 2026 will be deposited into the EMDC scholarship fund.

### **Holiday schedule**

- Thanksgiving break - No classes November 26th - December 1st
- Christmas break - No classes December 22nd - January 4th
- Spring Break - No classes April 2nd - April 6th

### **Observation Weeks**

- Parents are permitted to watch classes during observation weeks. The following weeks are designated observation weeks:
  - October 20th - 24th
  - December 8th - 12th
  - March 16th - 20th

### **Dress Code & Studio Etiquette**

- Ballet for Juniors & under: Leotard (any color) with tights, skirts are permitted; no shorts or pants. No tank tops over the leotards. Hair MUST be pulled back out of the face.
- Ballet/Pointe for Opal, Pearl, Ruby, Emerald, Diamond, Sapphires: Black leotard, pink tights, pink or black skirt (optional). No tank tops over the leotards. **HAIR MUST BE IN A BUN!**
- Tap, Jazz, Lyrical, Acro: Leotard, tights, & a skirt OR dance pants may be worn with a leotard or tank top. Hair MUST be pulled back out of the face!
- Boys: Black pants and white T-shirt.
- Absolutely NO shirts with sleeves or hoods.
- Please do not wear pants that are touching the floor, we need to see your feet.



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- Absolutely NO CELL PHONES in the dance rooms!
- Dancers should be dressed and ready to begin BEFORE the appointed start time of class. If dancers are not on time, they must wait by the door until the music is paused before stepping onto the dance floor; this is to eliminate distractions to dancers who arrive on time.
- Dancers are expected to have good attendance. If a student has poor attendance it will affect his/her position in recital dances.
- Dancers and parents are expected to be respectful to instructors as well as all students and families of EMDC. Anyone who is disrespectful or disruptive will be asked to meet with the studio director to discuss our policies and expectations. In addition, EMDC has a strict NO BULLYING policy in order to maintain a healthy environment in our studio. We reserve the right to take disciplinary actions including expulsion from our classes and programming as deemed necessary.

### **Recital Information**

- There will be a spring recital May 16th and 17th, 2026. Please keep in mind that students are not required to take part in the recital.
- All costume payments are NON-REFUNDABLE.
- Your child will not be permitted to take home any costumes until your account is paid in full.
- Tights are included with costumes for the following classes: Preschool, Kindergarten, Level 1, 2, & 3. All other classes must purchase their own tights.