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The Town of Matthews

Tuition Information:

Length of class	Fee per 8-week session	
	Resident	Non-Resident
30 minutes	\$90	\$95
45 minutes	\$101	\$106
1 hour	\$114	\$119

****Payments are due 1-week prior to the Session Beginning****

Discounts Per Family:

**Two or more classes:
8% discount.**

(To receive the family discount all classes need to be registered for at the same time.)

The registration fee and sibling discounts have been incorporated in the ballet fees.

A \$10 late fee per class will be charged to all accounts who have not paid in full after the first 2 weeks of class.

This is not a per transaction fee, this is PER CLASS.

Location:
Matthews Community Center
100 McDowell Street
Located off South Trade Street,
behind Matthews Elementary School
704.321.7275

Register Online at: www.matthewsfun.com



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**Matthews
Ballet and Dance
2019-2020**



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AMANDA SHEPPARD

Program Director

Born in London, England, Amanda began dancing at the age of 2 1/2 years old. She attended full time vocational dance/theatre school in London. Amanda is trained in the Royal Academy of Dance method and holds their Teaching Diploma. She has been teaching for over 30 years, both in England and in the USA. She has choreographed many story ballets, musical numbers for local schools, and has directed The Nutcracker for the past 20 years.

Instructors:

Elizabeth Roach is a B.F.A. Dance Graduate from the University of North Carolina School of the Arts. She started dancing at age 3 with a background in ballet, contemporary, jazz, tap and hip hop. Since graduating college in 2011, Elizabeth has danced for Kinetic Works Dance Company, Streamline Movements, and the District Dance Agency. Elizabeth teaches students of all ages and continues to perform in the Charlotte area.

Toria Byrum has been dancing for 16 years. She trained at King David Dance, The Victoria Dance Academy, and Matthews Ballet. She has taught ballet and modern dance at Zion Center, as well as an assistant teacher at Gaston Dance. She has performed with several local dance groups and traveled overseas to perform in Israel.

School Year Program August 2019-May 2020

Matthews Ballet and Dance is a school-year program, running from August to May. We structure our program by splitting the year into five sessions/payment installments. This way, students and parents are not obligated to commit to an entire year upfront and can drop at any time, if need be. We notify parents as sessions become available online for registration. If you wish to participate in the end-of-year recital in May, **you must be signed up by the third session of the year.** After the beginning of the third session we will no longer be able to accept new students, with the exception of the Pre-Primary classes.

Tuition Payment Schedule

Session/Payment 1: August 19th
(No classes Aug. 30 - Sept. 2)

Session/Payment 2: October 14th
(No classes Nov. 25 - Dec 1)

****Closed for Winter Break: Dec. 16 - Jan. 5****

Session/Payment 3: January 6th

Session/Payment 4: March 2nd
(No classes April 13 - 19)

Session/Payment 5: May 4th
(Price will be adjusted to reflect this 3-week Session)

IMPORTANT DATES:

- * Nutcracker Auditions--Saturday, September 7
- * Nutcracker - Nov. 30, Dec 1, Dec 7, Dec 8
- * **Recital - May 16 & 17, 2020**

*Recital Fee \$50 per family
(Due no later than Oct. 5, 2019)

*Costume Fee TBD
(Due no later than Dec. 7, 2019)

Recital Fee and Costume Fee checks are made payable to "Matthews Ballet"

Class Schedule

MONDAY

4:30 - 5:15pm Primary (ages 5 - 7)
4:30 - 5:00pm Pre-Primary (ages 3 - 5)
5:00 - 6:00pm Ballet 4 (ages 11 - 14.5)
5:15 - 6:15pm Ballet 2 (ages 8 - 11)
6:00 - 7:00pm Elementary Ballet w/
Pointe (ages 14+)
6:15 - 7:15pm Ballet 4 w/intro to Ballet 5
(ages 13+)

TUESDAY

10:00 - 11:00am Adult Beginner (ages 30+)
4:15 - 5:00pm Primary (ages 5 - 7)
5:00 - 6:00pm Ballet 2 w/intro to Ballet 3
(ages 9 -12)
5:00 - 6:00pm Ballet 1 (ages 7-9)
6:00 - 6:30pm Beginner Tap (ages 9 -12)
6:00 - 7:00pm Open Class (ages 16+ w/4
Years Pointe experience)
6:30 - 7:30pm Ballet 5 w/Beginner
Pointe (ages 13.5 and up)

WEDNESDAY

5:00 - 6:00pm Elem/Int Jazz (ages 9+)
7:00 - 8:00pm Open Class
(ages 16+ w/5 yrs. Pointe
experience)

THURSDAY

4:45 - 5:15pm Pre-Primary (ages 3 - 5)
4:15 - 5:15pm Ballet 2 (ages 8 -11)
5:15 - 6:15pm Ballet 1 (ages 7- 9)
5:15 - 6:15pm Adv Modern (ages 12+)
6:15 - 7:15pm Open Ballet (ages 16+ w/4
Years Pointe experience)
6:30 - 7:30pm Adv Tap (ages 13+ w/6
Years exp) ** begins
Session 2**
7:30 - 8:30pm Adv Jazz (ages 13+)

SATURDAY

9:45 - 10:45am Ballet 2 (ages 8 - 11)
10:45 - 11:45am Ballet 3/intro to Ballet 4
(ages 11 - 14)

