



HMD BOUTIQUE

22-23 PROGRAM  
GUIDE

*Explore the magic of dance with us this season!*





*Hearts in Motion*  
**BOUTIQUE**

*Classes begin Tuesday, September 6!*

# Welcome to our new season of dance!

At HMD, we aim to help your students achieve their dreams in both dance and life. This More Than Just Great Dancing philosophy is more important now than ever before.

We are beyond excited dive into this dance year with your dancers. Joining the Ada community has been such an exciting thing for our studio and we have truly enjoyed all of the dancers we have been able to serve and connect with. We are very excited to continue reaching more dancers as the year begins!

If you haven't been with us before, HMD Boutique is a satellite location of Hearts in Motion that specializes in dance education for children elementary school age and younger. While we are only heading into our third season at the boutique, this is our 13th season in business at Hearts in Motion. We are looking forward to continuing to bring our reputation of excellence to the community of Ada.

In this brochure, you will find our school year schedule as well as information regarding tuition, studio policies, annual calendar, and more. For those that are returning, welcome home! For those of you joining us for the first time - welcome to the family! We can't wait for an amazing and adventurous year of dance with all of you.

**Registration for classes at HMD Boutique opens up on July 12 and spots are limited! Don't miss out on getting a spot in your top choice class!**

## We are a Safer Studio

Hearts in Motion focuses on a hierarchy of measures to create a Safer Studio environment beginning with requiring students and staff who are ill to stay home, followed by frequent hand cleaning and good hygiene practices, amplified cleaning. Emergency plans in case of dangerous weather, fire, etc. have all been accounted for within our studio as well.



*Miss Ali has been running Hearts in Motion since 2010. She is committed to creating a safe and magical space for dancers, families, and teachers where they can share their passion for dance! She is looking forward to a fabulous new season!*

### **HMD is YPAD certified**

- ★ Background checked & CPR certified
- ★ Teacher Training & Proven Curriculum
- ★ Safer Studio Policies
- ★ Focus on safety & wellness for students
- ★ Secured facilities
- ★ Professional sprung floors
- ★ Social Media safety practices

# Studio Policies

Please keep in mind these important studio policies as you sign up for dance class. We appreciate your help to keep our space safe, clean, and comfortable for all!

## *Lobby*

At our Ada studio, we do not have a viewing window for the dance studio so we will continue to stream class via zoom for the time being. We ask that you please try to limit one guest per dancer into the studio when bringing to class as our space is small and recommend dropping off if you are comfortable with that! Please no food in the lobby at any time.

## *Illness policy*

Dancers should not attend class if they are sick in any way. Dancers with family members who are showing signs of illness or a fever may not attend class. The good news is that we are tech enabled! Classes will be live streamed to allow for the flexibility of taking class from home.

## *Makeup Policy*

If you are unable to make it in person to class, please reach out to us and we will be happy to schedule a makeup option for you.

## *Snow Day Policy*

If Forest Hills Public Schools are closed, we will also be closed for morning classes, but will always re-evaluate for afternoon classes by 2:00!

## *Class Descriptions*

**Magical Movers (18 mos.-3yrs)** A dancer and companion creative movement class

**Twirlin' Tots (2-3)** Our introductory independent creative movement

**Fairytale Ballet (3-4)** An introductory exploration into ballet and creative movement

**Hippity Hop (3-4)** An introductory exploration into hip hop and jazz that incorporates strength, coordination and rhythms

**Petite Ballet (4-5)** The next ballet/creative movement building block that enhances skills and technique in a fun and fanciful way!

**Little Starz (4-5)** An introductory Jazz class that teaches rhythm, beginning jazz steps and musical theatre style. Perfect for those little ones who are ready to hit the stage!

**Kinderstars (5-6)** A musical theatre based class that incorporates jazz and acting!

**Kinderfunk (5-6)** An introductory hip hop course that incorporates strength, agility, and upbeat music!

**Kinderballet (5-6)** An introductory ballet class for Kindergarteners.

**Pom Squad (6-9)** A jazz based course that incorporates use of pom poms. Dancers will get the opportunity to do community performances (must buy team t-shirt)!

**Broadway Bound (6-9)** Jazz/musical theatre combo class that incorporates classical technique and characterization as well!

**Ballet/Lyrical 1 (6-9)** A fun twist on classical ballet that incorporates creativity, emotion and some jazz technique in this ballet/lyrical combo class!

*Level 2 courses have been added for this upcoming season which are ideal for grades 3-4.*

# School Year Class Schedule

Classes begin Tuesday, September 6. Dancers must be the age of the listed class by September 1, 2021.

## Monday

4:00-4:40

Fairytale Ballet

4:50-5:30

Kinderballet

5:40-6:20

Ballet 1

6:30-7:10

Pom Squad

## Tuesday

9:30-10:10

Fairytale Ballet

10:20-11:00

Twirlin' Tots

4:00-4:40

Kinderballet

4:50-5:30

Petite Ballet

5:40-6:20

Ballet/lyrical 1

6:30-7:10

Kinderstars

## Wednesday

9:30-10:05

Twirlin Tots

10:15-10:50

Magical Movers

4:15-4:55

Hip-Hop 1 (6-9; grades 1-3)

5:05-5:45

Kinderfunk

5:55-6:35

Hippity Hop

6:40-7:20

Hip-Hop 2

## Thursday

9:45-10:25

Little Starz

4:10-4:50

Petite Ballet

10:30-11:10

Hippity Hop

5:00-5:40

Fairytale Ballet

5:40-6:20

Broadway Bound

6:30-7:10

Ballet/lyrical 2



Sporadic mini session courses will be offered throughout the year where possible. Saturday courses may be offered, provided staff availability and will be announced once that option is solidified.



# Dance Class Dress Code

**Twirlin' Tots/Magical Movers** - comfortable clothes to move in and bare feet or grippy socks.

**Fairytale Ballet/Petite Ballet/Kinderballet** - Any color leotard, tights, and ballet pink ballet shoes without laces

**Little Starz/Kinderstars/Broadway Bound** - Any color leotard and tights, tan jazz shoes

**Hippity Hop/Kinderfunk** - comfortable athletic wear and tan jazz shoes.

**Ballet & lyrical** - Solid color leotard, ballet pink or skin tone tights, ballet pink ballet shoes.

**Pom Squad** - solid color leotard, leggings or dance shorts, tan jazz shoes

**Hip-Hop 1** - Athletic wear (i.e. shorts, sweatpants, leggings and a shirt) and black sneakers that are not worn outdoors and are only used for dance class.

We ask that dancers never wear stiff pants like jeans in class or dresses (unless it is leotard dress with a leotard connected). Hair must be pulled back in some way for class.

*Everything you need for dress code can be found at the boutique! Stop in and shop with us before classes start!*



*Don't miss out on our limited edition spirit wear! Orders are available in September!*

## Membership

All students must be a member at HMD Boutique to enroll in class. Membership is \$45 annually and includes:

- Membership at the studio
- 10% off our ballet basics line (includes shoes!)
- Access to our members only Facebook group.
- Consistent tech support/studio text reminders
- Priority registration for school year and Summer courses.
- Priority access to mini session dance classes

Class sizes are limited at the boutique. We only allow 10 students per class to allow for individualized attention for your dancer!

## Tuition

Tuition for all classes at the boutique is \$60 per month regardless of the number of weeks in a month. Private lessons are available for \$45/30-minute session as well!

At HMD, we do require all dancers be placed on autopay which will be billed on the 23rd of each month and drafted on the 1st of each month. You may either place a CC on file or checking account.

## Classes

- Teacher assignments will be announced before classes begin.
- HMD reserves the right to reschedule, combine or provide substitutions for classes where necessary.
- HMD reserves the right to deliver class content via an online system in the event that classes are not able to be conducted live for any reason including, but not limited to: weather, teacher absence, or governmental advisory.
- Dance classes are non-refundable and school year courses are a full year commitment (September-end of May). Should you choose to withdraw, we require 1 full month's notice before payments can be canceled.

## Performances

We finish our season for school year students with a Spring recital. Spring Recital 2023 will be held on May 20, 2023 at Grand Rapids Christian High School.

Tickets will be a required purchase for all attendees. Tickets will range from \$15-\$18.

Costume fees are \$90 per class and include freshly steamed costume, tights (where applicable), hair piece, all placed in a personalized garment bag!

## 2022-2023 Calendar

Below are important dates for the upcoming season. These dates are tentative and will be firmed up at the beginning of the school year in accordance with the local school districts so please don't put them in your calendar quite yet!

- September 5 - Dance Starts
- October 31- Studio closed
- November 22-26 Thanksgiving Break, studio closed
- Dec 1-3 - studio closed tentative
- December 19 - Jan 2 Tentative Christmas Break Dates
- Mid February -Mid- Winter Break dates TBA
- March 31 - April 7 Spring Break
- Week of May 15 - Dress rehearsals
- May 19 HMD Ballet Production
- May 20 Annual Spring recital

## Ballet Shoes

We ask that all young dancers purchase ballet shoes without ties, such as capezio hanami or revolution brand. The correct style shoes can be purchased at the studio!

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## **BOGO on tights**

Buy one pair of tights get one pair free! Limit one coupon per family.

## **25% off one in-store item**

This excludes Jo & Jax and Petunia

## **\$5 off your first private lesson!**

Experience the power of how private training can take your technique further. Valid for first time private lessons only.

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