

(Updated July 2024)

Recommended Ages	Ballet	Tap	Acro <i>(Must also take a ballet, jazz or lyrical class)</i>	Jazz	Lyrical <i>(Ballet also highly recommended)</i>	Pre-Pointe/ Beg. Pointe <i>(Must also take ballet)</i>
3	Praise 3's	-	-	-	-	-
4	Praise 4's	Praise 4's	-	-	-	-
5-6	Declare	Tehillah	Acro I	-	-	-
7-9	Rejoice	Zamar	Acro I or II**	Jazz I	Lyrical I	-
9-12	Hallelujah	Towdah	Acro I or II**	Jazz II	Lyrical II	Pre-Pointe
12-14	Proclaim	Shebach*	Acro I, (II/III)**	Jazz III*	Lyrical III*	Pre-Pointe
14+	Glorify*	Shebach	Acro I, (II/III)**	Jazz III	Lyrical III	Pre-Pointe***
14+	Exalt*	Raqad*	Acro I, (II/III)**	Jazz IV*	Lyrical IV*	Pre-Pointe***

***Instructor Approval needed before enrolling**

****All new Acro students MUST take Acro I.** Returning students see Ms. Erin or Ms. Emily for placement. *Students with recent previous acro or gymnastics experience may request a placement evaluation.*

*****Once student has been approved for Pointe by instructor & Leaps administration, they may enroll in Pointe I. Pre-Pointe is still recommended! Pointe II & III is by Instructor invitation ONLY!**

Any student may request an evaluation before enrolling.

Please note that ages listed above are just a starting point for class placements. Administration also considers a student's previous experience, class size/demand, the class average pace/ability and any additional dance technique/activities a student is currently involved in when making recommendations.

NOTE TO PARENTS:

Please note that most levels span at least 2-3 years. This is due to our recommendation that students remain in a given level for a minimum of 2 years before advancing to the next level (regardless of age or birthdate). This progression will enable a student to master that level's skillset safely and sufficiently to succeed in the next level of their training.