

TEACHERS

Teachers take free classes with student registration. A certificate of Regional Achievement in Education with N.Y.L.A. Dance Conventions & Competitions will be given to the Studio.

OBSERVER FEES

Anyone accompanying a dance studio and is without a wristband is considered an Observer and fees may apply.

PRE-REGISTRATION

Pre-registration is strongly advised since we cannot guarantee that everyone who shows up on the first day of the convention to register. After space quota has reached its limit, cutoffs will occur. Anyone registering 14 days or less will receive an email to confirm.

CHAPERONES

Dancers under the age of 15 must have chaperones if staying at the host hotel.

CONDUCT

N.Y.L.A Dance will not tolerate rude or disruptive behavior from its participants. This is enforced during the entire convention/competition facility which includes classroom, dressing room, ballrooms, auditoriums, on/off stage, hallways, and lobbies just to name a few.

REFUNDS

Once you are registered, there will be NO REFUNDS authorized.

VIDEO RECORDING & FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY

No Video or Flash Photography during Convention Classes.

SPACE SAFETY CONCERNS

No Large Bags or Luggage in Classroom areas since some of our spaces are on theater stages.

AGE RESTRICTIONS FOR CLASSROOMS

No Children under the age of 3 in Convention Classrooms. EVERYONE must have an I.D. Bracelet during convention. It is your responsibility to wear it. Any lost bracelet or removal of the bracelet will result in full repayment of registration fee. There will be no refunds! No exceptions!

N.Y.L.A DANCE OFF

10 students selected over the course of the day based on commitment to the dance, determination, focus, and the ability to show that Awesome N.Y.L.A. DANCE Spirit will be invited to participate in our N.Y.L.A. DANCE OFF. 1 Junior and 1 Senior will be awarded certificates for free scholarships to attend next year's convention.

SAMPLE N.Y.L.A. CLASSES

(Classes taught in both East Coast & West Coast Styles. Classes vary per location.)

Jazz, Contemporary Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Contemporary Tap, Contemporary Modern, Contemporary Ballet, Hip Hop, Video Dance, Theater Dance, International Dance, Acro Dance, PROPS UNIFIED©, N.Y.L.A. SEMINARS, Free Parents Seminars, Injury Prevention & Stretch, Studio Marketing & Management, Choreography, Leaps & Turns, Weight Training & Definition, N.Y.L.A. MOCK AUDITION.

Sample 1 DAY CONVENTION CLASS SCHEDULE:

Open only to ages 5-adult professionals!!!

8AM-8:20 Ballet-based (NYLA Official Warm-up Class) & NYLA Spirit Welcome

8:20-9:15 Contemporary (CORE*Fusion* Class – Open Level)

8:20-9:15 Tap (Int/Adv)

8:20-9:15 T3 Triple Threat Class (Acting, Vocals, & Auditioning Techniques -Open Level)

8:20-9:15 Dance Techniques (East Coast West Coast!!) FOR TEACHERS ONLY *see below

9:20-10:15 Jazz (Int/Adv)

9:20-10:15 Jazz (Int)

9:20-10:15 Dance Techniques (East Coast West Coast!!) FOR TEACHERS ONLY *see below

9:20-10:15 Tiny Dancer Class *see below

10:15-10:30 Break

10:15-10:30 Seminars (College vs. Going Pro) or (Health and Injury Prevention)

10:30-11:25 Lyrical (Int/Adv)

10:30-11:25 Lyrical (Int)

10:30-11:25 Dance Techniques (East Coast West Coast!!) FOR TEACHERS ONLY *see below

10:30-11:25 Tiny Dancer Class *see below

11:30-12:25 Hip Hop (Int/Adv)

11:30-12:25 Ballet, Jumps, Turns, & Leaps (Int)

12:30-1PM N.Y.L.A. DANCE OFF & Auditions for NYLA National Youth Performance Project

*Teacher & Tiny Dancer Classes added when enough register in advance.

AUDITIONS

Auditions for our NYLA DANCE NATIONAL PERFORMANCE PROJECT (3 day workshop) will take place at each regional location. Performers will be invited to join us for a 4 day workshop and rehearsal project in NYC which will conclude with a performance in a NYC Theater!! Please note that you must be registered for the convention in order to be selected for the company since we evaluate your presence, personality, technique, and hard work throughout each class which you take. Good Luck!!!