CORE Ensemble Team Information

2026-2027

Season 11

Concentration on technique

Opportunities to perform

Respect for tradition

Energy toward the future

Requirements

- ✔ Ages 11+ at the beginning of September
- ✔ Register for a minimum of two technique classes, one of which is a Tuesday or Thursday Ballet class
- ✔ Register for the **CORE Jr. Ensemble** (weekly Friday rehearsal class)
- ✔ Register for **CORE Jr. Ensemble Dance Intensive** (July 27-31, 9:00-12:30pm)
- ✔ Attend mandatory in-person parent meeting on September 25, 2026, 6:30-7pm
- ✔ Sign & return a CORE Jr. Ensemble Agreement form (provided at the intensive), understanding attendance, rehearsal, and performance commitments - due back by 9/25/2026

Monthly Tuition September - June

2 Technique Classes - $172/mo

3 Technique Classes - $258/mo

4 Technique Classes - $325/mo

CORE Jr. Ensemble Team - $129/mo

Ready, Set, Rise 4 - $68/mo (optional)

Performance Fees

CORE Jr. Ensemble dancers will perform in the following events and are expected to commit to all rehearsals. A complete rehearsal schedule for the season with dates and times will be provided in August.

Event	Schedule	Cost
CORE Sparks Dance Intensive *TPS*	Mon.-Fri. 7/27-31/26 9:30-12:00 pm	$385 *Charged July. 1st*
Mandatory in-person Parent Meeting *TPS*	Fri. 9/25/26 6:30-7:00 pm	n/a
Holiday Walk *Downtown Pennington*	Fri. 12/4/26	No additional fee
Nutcracker Extravaganza *Villa Victoria Theatre* *Ewing, NJ*	Sun. 12/13/26 2:00 pm performance **Studio Rehearsal:** Sun. 11/15/26 *schedule TBD* **Theatre Dress Rehearsals:** Fri. & Sat. 12/11 & 12/26 *schedule TBD*	$200 for 2 classes + performance team $225 for 3 classes + performance team $250 for 4 classes + performance team *charged Sept. 1st* $23-28 tickets $40 sweatshirt (optional) Includes costume rental, rehearsal fee, and video recording
Picture Day *TPS*	4/10 & 11/ 27 *schedule TBD*	Individual & group photos available for purchase
Throwdown Dance Challenge Competition *Villa Victoria Theatre* *Ewing, NJ*	Sun. 4/18/27 *schedule TBD*	$365 for 2 group dances *charged Oct. 1st* Includes costumes, participation fee, admin fee, professional photos & videos
Spring Recital *Villa Victoria Theatre* *Ewing, NJ*	Sun. 5/2/27 2:00 pm	$240 for 2 technique classes $330 for 3 technique classes $420 for 4 technique classes

	Dress Rehearsals: Fri-Sat. 4/30-5/2/27 *times TBD*	*charged Nov. 1st* $23-28 tickets $25 t-shirt (optional) Includes technique class costumes, admin fee, and recital video recording.
Pennington Day Performance *Downtown Pennington*	Sat. 5/15/27 Approx. 12:30 pm	No additional fee
Breakout Dance Competition *Jackson, NJ*	Fri-Sun. 5/21-23/27	$185 for 2 group dances *charged Dec. 1st* Includes participation fee, admin fee, professional photos & videos
Memorial Day Parade Performance *Downtown Pennington*	Mon. 5/31/27 11:00 am	No additional fee

Notes

We look forward to welcoming new and returning students to the CORE Jr. Ensemble program and helping them continue to strengthen their dance skills and grow their love of dance!

Taking all genres will ensure the most well-rounded training and progress. The goal of a well-rounded training experience is to provide each student with the ability to be a strong participant in their group's performances.

We are open to modifications of these expectations on a case-by-case basis. Please reach out to let us know how we might better meet your child's needs as they take on growing responsibility in their dance education.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

2027 CORE Ensemble Dance Intensive

Monday, July 26- Friday, July 30, 2027

9am-12:30pm