

## **LB Dance** **CODE OF CONDUCT**

LB Dance is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all dancers, staff and volunteers associated with the school. To ensure the effective running of LB Dance and to protect all individuals connected with the school it is important that the following codes of conduct are read, respected and adhered to at all times.

### **FOR STUDENTS**

- Students must participate within the school rules and respect all the teachers/staff and their decisions.
- Students must arrive for classes on time or inform the Dance Teacher if they are going to be late.
- Students must not distract, bully or harass other students during the class.
- Students must not use bad language.
- Students must be polite and display good manners at all times.
- Students must treat all equipment with respect.
- All body jewellery must be removed.
- Long hair must be tied back.
- All litter must be placed in the bins provided.
- Mobile phones and other electronic devices must be switched off in classes.
- Students must inform the teacher before the warm up begins if they have an injury or illness.
- Students must inform their teacher immediately if they begin to feel ill or sustain an injury during the class.
- Students must remain with teachers at the end of the class until they are safely collected by their parent or guardian.
- FINALLY ALL STUDENTS MUST ENTER THE CLASS WITH A SMILE AND HAVE FUN!!

### **DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURE**

- Dancers that breach the code of conduct will first of all be reminded of the rules.
- Repeatedly breaching the code of conduct may result in separation from other students (dancer will be made to sit out).
- Further breach of the code of conduct may result in the student being denied their place at LB Dance.

## **FOR PARENTS / GUARDIANS**

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and perform within them.
- Arrive with plenty of time to get your child ready for their class.
- Always ensure your child is dressed appropriately with long hair tied up and make sure they have had plenty to drink.
- No Parent/Guardian will be allowed in to the studio during classes.
- Discourage challenging and inappropriate conduct towards teachers and other dancers.
- Help your child to recognise good performance and progression.
- Set a good example within the dancer's environment by recognising good sportsmanship and applauding good performances of all.
- Never punish or belittle a child for poor performance or making mistakes. It is through mistakes that performers learn and develop.
- Use correct language at all times.
- Encourage and guide your child to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- Keep the teacher informed if your child is ill or unable to attend classes.
- Never challenge or threaten a teacher or member of the Dance Studio team.
- Do not raise issues of disagreement publicly.
- Always collect your child promptly at the end of a class.
- All fees must be paid on time otherwise your child may risk losing their place in the class.
- Always support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.

Please understand that breach of this code of conduct may have repercussions and in extreme cases may result in your child/children losing their place at the school.

We acknowledge that we have received a copy of the LB Dance code of conduct for students and parents/guardian's. Therefore, understand that students and parents/guardians will be held accountable for their behaviour to the disciplinary outlined in the code.

**Student Name Printed**

.....

**Student Name Signed**

.....

**Parent/Guardian Name Printed**

.....

**Parent/Guardian Name Signed**

.....

**Date:** .....