

Terms and Conditions

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Below are the Terms and Conditions of Storm Studios. All students and their parents agree to abide by these Terms and Conditions when registering themselves or their child.

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- 1. A **non-refundable** enrolment fee per year of R 185,00 is payable for **each** dancer/student enrolled. Enrolment fees are **payable on the day of enrolment** and strictly prior to a student's first class. (Fee subject to change and you will be notified accordingly)
- 2. After corresponding with us via email and registering, parents are responsible for all payments of the student's account and must acquaint him/herself with the Terms and Conditions and General Rules prior to sending the student for his/her first class.
- 3. Classes will be **30 minutes**, in length as per their age group. No classes will be scheduled on public holidays, during competitions, during dance exams, two weeks in the June/July school holidays or end of December and beginning of January.
- 4. Dance fees are calculated on a month to month basis for 12 months a year and are payable by the 7th of every month. If payment has not been made by the 7th a 2% penalty fee for each day late will be added to payment. Under no circumstances will any fees be refundable, and no fees can be rolled over to the following month. Credit will not be given to students who are absent from class.

In the event where the class fees are not paid before or on the 5th of the month, an e-mail will be sent as a reminder to pay the invoiced bill, when the person responsible for paying the bill, haven't settled the account on the given date, the student will no longer be allowed to attend class and the account holder will be held responsible for the outstanding fees.

Prices are **subject to change** as per the industry standard adjustments.

- 5. Class fees will be priced as follows:
 - a) 30 Minute class per week R 200.00 Per Month



Please note if your child does more than one class a week a discounted fee to be discussed.

Private lessons fees (Read General Rules no. 7).

6. All payments must be done by means of direct deposit or EFT to the following Bank Account:

(NO cheques will be accepted):

T Woodward FNB Northgate Branch BRANCH CODE: 250655

SAVINGS ACC AN: 62458367482

REF: STUDENT NAME AND SURNAME

- 7. Fees do not include exam and competition registration-and-entry fees or Choreography of any solo/duet/trio, dance routines as well as possible costume hire. Storm Studios class fees are strictly payable in advance. Meaning you need to pay before a class is conducted. If you do not obey by this, classes will be cancelled, and you will still be liable for outstanding class fees.
- 8. Storm Studios and Our Movement Studio do not accept responsibility, direct or indirect, and will not be held liable for any accident or death, injuries, illness, damage and/or losses suffered by you and/or the student during dance lessons, rehearsals, performances, functions, outings and tours and you hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless Storm Studios, Our Movement Studio and its employees in the event of any such occurrences.
- 9. Storm Studios will not be responsible for students outside of class times.
- **10.** All students, teachers and parents will adhere to the studio "Terms and conditions" for their own safety and out of respect for others and the premises used.
- **11.** Any contact with Storm Studios Principal (Tiffany Woodward) should only be done between 9am and 11am, Mondays to Thursdays.
- **12.** There are no office assistants yet, so please leave an email and the studio principal will contact you when she is available.
- **13.** All Costumes rented from **Storms Studios** must be returned in good condition after each performance, failing to do so a damaged fee will be applicable.



General Rules:

- Storm Studios will hold within its sole discretion the final say as to the suitability of a
 student to be entered for examinations, competitions and/or shows/concerts and may, at its
 sole and exclusive discretion, withdraw or hold back from any such specified events, any
 student which in the opinion of Storm Studios, appears to be inadequately prepared due to
 poor attendance and/or performance.
- 2. Dancing is a disciplined art form and requires a serious approach. Being punctual is deemed being part of this discipline.
- 3. No eating or soft drinks to be consumed during class times, please ensure that your child has water in a bottle (no cans or glass bottles). Please ensure water bottles are placed on the windowsill, NOT on the floor.
- 4. Please keep your voices low in the waiting area, so as not to disturb classes or treatments.
- 5. No interruptions during any class. All administration matters can be discussed from 9AM to 11AM Monday to Thursday or via e-mail.
- 6. Any and all valuables brought in by a student is at their own risk and Storm Studios will not be held liable for any loss or damage thereof. All cell phones to be switched **OFF** during class.
- 7. Please clean up after yourself: return all equipment neatly to their proper places, ready for use by the next set of students.
- 8. If you own your own mat, please bring it to class with you. If you used a studio mat, please clean it thoroughly with the essential oil disinfectant spray provided. Remember someone else will be using the mat after you, and you may be using it after them, so please be mindful of this practice. Place used cleaning cloths in the basket provided.
- 9. Please ensure you sign in before every class. If you are dealing with an injury or any other limitation, please advise the teacher before the beginning of class.
- 10. Please leave your shoes and personal belongings in the lockers provided. Classes are practiced barefoot or in socks, and no shoes are allowed inside the studio.
- 11. Please refrain from using strongly scented products in the studio.
- 12. Choreography of solo/duet/trio routines will cost between R250-00 R400-00 per dance/arrangement and will include the following: 1 x private lesson. 1 x CD with the unique piece of music. Under no circumstances, may the choreography of the routine be changed



by either the dancer, parent or guardian. If this matter occurs, the student will no longer be allowed to enter under the studios name.

- 13. In the case where an outside choreographer is used, the parent of the student is responsible for the account of the outside choreographer. Please note that **Storm Studios** will make use of outside Choreographers at times for certain classes, who will ask an additional fee which is payable by the relevant account holder. Your will be notified accordingly.
- 14. In the case where the student has been absent from class 4 times or more per term, he/she will no longer be allowed to take part in the festival, competition or exam. Students must please vacate the studio as soon as classes end, to accommodate the next class. No student may remain on the premises for longer than 15 minutes after a class unless arranged with the studio principal.
- 15. Exam CD's will be available at R 38 per dance style.
- 16. The teachers are here to assist you, please don't be afraid to ask for help. Respect your body: challenge yourself but go at your own pace and rest if you need to.
- 17. **You as parents are** invited to come and observe your child progress by sitting in on the last class of the month.

NO Spectators ARE ALLOWED TO SIT IN AT ANY OF THE CLASSES other than mentioned above. Please abide by the rule for it is only to the benefit of your own child.

If, for whatever reason, a student wants to discontinue lessons, 1 months' notice needs to be given. (Please remember Storm Studios class fees are payable in advance).

Uniform Regulations:

Hair must be tied back neatly.

All dancers need to wear the suitable attire for the dance style.

Private Property:

The owner reserves right of admission.

Damage to property by students, friends or family e.g. breaking windows, mirrors, plants etc, will be the responsibility of the parents to replace and repair. The studio is situated in a residential area and noise levels outside the studio building should be kept to a minimum.