

CHRYSTIE STREET BALLET ACADEMY (CSBA) POLICIES, TERMS, and LIABILITY RELEASE

CLASS CANCELLATION: CSBA reserves the right, prior to the first class or after, to cancel a course due to insufficient registration, with full refund to the client for classes not taken.

REFUNDS/CREDITS: CSBA tuition fees are non-refundable. Credits may be honored on a case by case basis. CSBA reserves the right to deny any request for a credit. Requests for class credits must be submitted in writing. No credits will be given for classes missed prior to the written request. Tuition fees are non-transferable.

MAKE-UP POLICY: Students are allowed and encouraged to make up missed classes due to illness, travel, severe weather conditions, etc. Up to three (3) make-up classes are allowed per student per school-year semester. Make-up classes must be made in another age and level-appropriate class and are subject to availability. If make-ups are not available due to limited class times, no additional make up classes will be provided. All make-ups must be scheduled in advance with the appropriate program director. Make-ups must be used during the course session in which the original class was missed (they do not roll over to the next semester.) Credits will not be awarded for missed classes.

SEVERE WEATHER/EMERGENCY POLICY: (not applicable to online classes): Chrystie Street Ballet Academy follows the New York City Public Schools for school cancellations. If NYC Public Schools are closed due to severe weather conditions or otherwise, CSBA classes will also be cancelled. In the case of weekend classes, the director will make the decision based on public transit and travel conditions. Email notices as well as a notice on the website will be posted. No credits or refunds will be given for cancelled classes due to inclement weather conditions. Students are encouraged to make up the cancelled class. Make-ups for cancelled classes follow the above make-up class policy, and they are in addition to the 3 allotted make-ups for the semester as stated above.

STUDIO CLASSROOM POLICY: CSBA uniform (according to level) is required in all classes. Long hair must be pulled back neatly, and into a tight bun (for girls) whenever possible. Loose hair is not permitted. No loose jewelry, watches, wristbands, or other accessories are allowed in class. Chronic lateness will not be tolerated -- students must be ready to go by the time class begins. Cellphones brought into the studio must be silenced during class. Class interruptions will not be tolerated unless it is an emergency. Except in special circumstances (i.e. open class week,) parents and guests may not observe classes from inside the studio. With teacher approval, parents/guardians may exit the premises once their child is ready for class. Late pick-ups are strictly prohibited.

ONLINE CLASSROOM POLICY: Studio classroom policies above (i.e. CSBA uniform requirements, etc.) still apply. Students requiring adult supervision, and any student under the age of 10 years, MUST be accompanied by an adult during the class. That adult must be physically present and available to facilitate technical matters, to ensure the safety of the child, and to support the student in any matter that may become necessary during the class. Pre-Ballet and Ballet 1 students require extra attention and support from an adult, throughout the class. All participants are required to participate with video on Zoom (no non-video participants will be allowed.) Suggestions for best practices at home will be provided by CSBA upon enrollment.

MEDICAL RELEASE AND REASONABLE ASSUMPTION OF RISK:

By their very nature, all forms of dance, movement, fitness, and any other physical activity carry a risk of physical injury. The risk of injury includes minor injuries such as bruises and more serious injuries such as broken bones, dislocations, and muscle pulls. The risk also includes catastrophic injuries such as permanent paralysis or even death from landings or falls on the back, neck, or head. Dance, movement and fitness related courses, or any activity that involves motion, rotation, and height in a unique environment, carries with it a reasonable assumption of risk. Even under professional guidance and responsible instruction, this risk cannot be eliminated. Chrystie Street Ballet Academy (CSBA) is bound by law to inform all participants and/or their guardians of the risk involved in the activity of dance, movement, and other fitness related activities in general. Anyone participating in programs at CSBA must sign the notice on the application form and adhere to the safety rules governing CSBA. In consideration for CSBA's acceptance of the enrolling student, and in consideration of the enrolling students'

participation in CSBA classes or activities, those legally responsible for the named enrolling student realize the risk of injury involved, and agree to assume the responsibility for the said student, and further agree to save and hold harmless Chrystie Street Ballet Academy, LLC., its employees, studio locations, and all others concerned, and to indemnify them against loss, intending to be legally bound.

