

*The British
Dancing Academy*



2022
EXAM & COACHING
INFORMATION

**Online registration opens December 6th.
Signed consent forms are due December 6th.
Fees Due January 31st, 2022**

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT EXAMINATIONS 2022

Exams will be scheduled for the month of March.

The working-toward and entering for examinations offers our students the unique educational experience to strive for more than normal class work. Students will work to polish and present a syllabus of steps and combinations to the very best of their ability.

Miss Sandi Baca will examine all students. Miss Sandi, our former executive director and founder of the British Dancing Academy, is an examiner for the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing in Ballet, Modern and Tap. Now retired from the BDA, she continues to train and examine students worldwide.

The marking system is with results graded from Pass to Honours. Students will receive a report card with their scores and a short critique, a certificate and a medal signifying their achievement. The examination program boosts the standard of work and the students learn to make a commitment to strive for a goal and to achieve that goal. Students must fully understand that entering for exams will require additional practice and commitment on their part. As teachers, we can offer all the help necessary, but ultimately the responsibility for the work lies with the student.

In order to participate in exams, the following levels must attend all coaching sessions starting in January:

Ballet students in: Primary, Standard 1, Grade 1, Standard 2, and Grade 2.

Modern and Tap students of all exam levels: Please check your coaching schedule.

It is most helpful if parents can attend classes for our younger students to observe the work. At the younger levels, it helps greatly if parents monitor practice sessions and keep the student excited about the goal. For home practice, a copy of the syllabus and music will be provided to each student. The children who most enjoy the experience are those whose parents are involved and excited too. If you feel that the exams will require too much time and expense, it would be better to wait until next session.

*****Please Read: At the Grade Level: students who do not take exams will be expected to work to the same standard as exam students, and will be promoted to the next level if their work is up to the standard of the class. However, at the Major Level, students must successfully pass each exam level before being promoted. The work at the Major Level is incredibly challenging, it may take more time to prepare for the exam. Your child's teacher will make the decision on an individual basis whether he or she is ready.*****

*Please note ~ During Exams there may be changes made to your child's normal class schedule. A note will be sent home to keep you updated.

EXAM UNIFORMS

NOTE: All students must be immaculately groomed for exams. No jewelry, fingernail polish, or temporary tattoos. Tights, leotards, skirts, shoes and ribbons must be clean and in good condition.

**** Tights and Ribbons are available for purchase at the Academy.****

BALLET UNIFORMS:

PRIMARY: Primary Uniforms are provided by the Academy- White dress with pink satin sash.

*Parents will need to provide students with lace trimmed anklets, pink ballet shoes with ribbons and white underwear.

STANDARD 1: Violet Shirred dance dress, pink tights, pink ballet shoes with ribbons.

GRADE 1 & STANDARD 2: Amethyst leotard, pink tights, and pink ballet shoes with ribbons. The studio will provide matching skirts for exams.

GRADE 2 & 3: Dark Teal leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes with ribbons. The studio will provide matching skirts for exams.

INTER FOUNDATION & INTERMEDIATE : Black leotard with matching skirt, pink tights, pink ballet shoes with ribbons & Pointe shoes. The studio will provide matching skirts for exams.

ADVANCED 1: Black leotard with matching skirt, pink tights, pink ballet shoes with ribbons & pointe shoes. The studio will provide matching skirts for exams.

ADVANCED 2: Leotard and matching skirt and tutu, pink tights, pink ballet shoes with ribbons & pointe shoes. The studio will provide matching skirts and tutus for exams.

BOYS. ALL BALLET LEVELS: Black tights, white short-sleeved leotard or tight fitting T-shirt {Champion Brand}, thin white knee socks, white or black ballet shoes with elastic, dance belt and waist belt to roll tights over.

MODERN and TAP EXAMS:

MODERN:

GIRLS: Grades 3 & 4: Black shorts & Colored leotard. **Grades 5&6:** Capri Pants & Colored leotard.

MAJORS: Black footless tights & Colored leotard. All levels: Flesh colored Foot Undies may be worn.

BOYS: Black jazz pants, Fitted T shirt and kneepads. Foot Undies may be worn.

TAP ALL LEVELS:

GIRLS: Bright color leotard, nude tights, black tap shoes. Black tap skirt to be provided by the studio for exams.

BOYS: Black slacks and button down dress shirt.

2022 EXAMINATION FEES

EXAM LEVEL	FEES	INCLUDES
Primary Ballet	\$130.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Standard 1 Ballet	\$130.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 1 Ballet	\$130.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Standard 2 Ballet	\$130.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 2 Ballet	\$130.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 3 Ballet	\$120.00	Music & Syllabus No coaching required
Inter Found Ballet	\$125.00	Music & Syllabus No coaching required
Inter Ballet	\$125.00	Music & Syllabus No coaching required
Advanced 1 Ballet	\$145.00	Music & Syllabus No coaching required
Advanced 2 Ballet	\$145.00	Music & Syllabus No coaching required
Grade 3 Modern	\$135.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 4 Modern	\$140.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 5 Modern	\$140.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 6 Modern	\$140.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Inter Found Modern	\$145.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Intermediate Modern	\$145.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Advanced 1 Modern	\$160.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Advanced 2 Modern	\$160.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Bronze Tap	\$135.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 4 Tap	\$140.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 5 Tap	\$140.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Grade 6 Tap	\$140.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Inter Tap	\$150.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Adv 1 Tap	\$160.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus
Adv 2 Tap	\$160.00	Coaching, Music & Syllabus

Note: Exam fees include coaching classes, syllabus, practice music, & Examination. One extra coaching is in lieu of regularly scheduled classes during exams for: Ballet Grades~ Primary, Standard 1, Grade 1, Standard 2 and Grade 2. Tap~ Bronze- Advanced 2. Modern~ Grades 3-6. Notices will be handed out for class cancellations and schedule changes. Fees are not due until January 31st, 2022.

Ballet Coaching Schedule 2022

Kent Studio

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All coaching classes are required.

Primary Ballet: (options) Kent Studio

- Saturday 1:30-2:30 ~ Feb. 19th and Mar. 5th

Standard 1 Ballet: Kent Studio

****Please note this is a group exam. The entire group must attend all classes.****

- Saturday 2:30-3:30 ~ Feb. 19th and Mar. 5th

Grade 1 Ballet: Kent Studio

- Saturday 2:30-3:30 ~ Feb 19th and March 5th

Standard 2 Ballet: Kent Studio

****Please note this is a group exam. The entire group must attend all classes.****

- Saturday 3:30-4:30 ~ Feb 19th and March 5th

Grade 2 Ballet: Kent Studio

- Saturday 3:30-4:30 ~ Feb 19th and March 5th

****Grade 3 Ballet and Above has NO Coaching but must still turn in consent form.****

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Exam Consent Form Junior & Senior Ballet 2022- Kent Studio

Consent Form -Due Monday December 6th, 2021

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(Students who participate in coaching but do not take the exam will be charged for classes taken. Students scheduled for an exam that do not attend will be charged a fee of \$20.00)

I would like _____ entered for examinations
(Print name of student legibly so spellings are correct on the awards & entry form)

Age by January 31st 2022 _____. Date of Birth _____. Exam Level _____.

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Please inform us of impossible days and times here:

Please do not schedule:

- I am interested in exams and have read and understood the terms

Signed _____

Exam Fees may be made online or in the office. With your permission we can set up the Exam Fee on autopay. All fees must be paid on or before January 31st, 2022. We no longer accept cash or checks.

- I am not interested in exams this year for _____
(student's name)

Junior Modern Coaching 2022

Junior Schedule Kent Studio

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All coaching classes are required.

Junior Modern

Grade 3 Modern Kent Studio

- **Sunday** 2:30-3:30 ~ Feb. 20th & March 6th

Grade 4 Modern Kent Studio

- **Sunday** 12:30-1:30 ~ Feb. 20th & March 6th

Grade 5 Modern Kent Studio

- **Sunday** 1:30-2:30 ~ Feb. 20th & March 6th

Grade 6 Modern Kent Studio

- **Sunday** 11:00-12:30 ~ Feb. 20th & March 6th

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Senior Modern Coaching 2020

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All coaching classes are required

Senior Modern

Inter Foundation Modern Kent Studio

- **Saturday** 1:30-3:00 Feb 12th and Feb. 26th

Intermediate Modern Kent Studio

- **Saturday** 3:00-4:30 Feb 12th and Feb. 26th

Advanced 1 Modern Kent Studio

- **Sunday** 11:00-12:30 Feb 27th

Advanced 2 Modern Kent Studio

- **Sunday** 12:30-2:00 Feb 27th

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Exam Consent Form Senior Modern 2022- Kent Studio

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- I am not interested in exams this year for _____
(student's name)

Keep this form for schedule reference

****Please Note~ All coaching classes must be attended to participate in the exam program.**

Junior Coaching 2022

Saturday

2-19 & 3-5

1:30-2:30 Primary Ballet	
2:30-3:30 Standard 1 Ballet	2:30-3:30 Grade 1 Ballet
3:30-4:30 Standard 2 Ballet	3:30-4:30 Grade 2 Ballet

Sunday

2-20 & 3-6

Studio B
11:00-12:30 Grade 6 Modern
12:30-1:30 Grade 4 Modern
1:30-2:30 Gr 5 Modern
2:30-3:30 Gr 3 Modern

Senior Coaching Modern 2022

Saturday

2-12 & 2-26

Inter Foundation Modern 1:30-3:00
Intermediate Modern 3:00-4:30

Sunday

2-27

Advanced 1 Modern 11:00-12:30
Advanced 2 Modern 12:30-2:00