

## *Dancer's Studio Student Teacher Program 2013-2014*

**Internship Description:** Dancer's Studio is providing a new a student training program for students who are interested in becoming dance teachers. Students will work side by side with a teacher. They will be assigned to a class that is appropriate for their age, ability, and level of experience. Students will be selected after all student teacher applications have been reviewed. Our program runs same as the dance semester. This internship program is free of charge to those who meet our guidelines. This is an opportunity for the student to grow. They do not receive compensation for this program.

### **Guidelines:**

- Student is at least 12 yrs. old or enrolled in an Intermediate level or above
- Students have danced a minimum of 3 years at Dancer's Studio
- Student takes at least 5 hours of class a week. (Ballet is a prerequisite).
- Student is responsible to contact the studio and teacher both 24 hours in advance if they will be absent. Students are expected to treat this position like a job. If possible the assistant should find their own replacement if they are absent. Only another assistant may fill the absence.
- Student must arrive 10 minutes before class. If the assistant helps with tumbling they are responsible for having mats ready.
- While in school, in public, or at the dance studio student is expected to be responsible and respectful representatives of our school.
- Student is a positive role model
- Student enjoys working with children.
- Student must respond positively to teacher evaluations and constructive criticism during their tenure as a student teacher.

**\*Student teachers who miss more than 3 assigned student teacher classes will be immediately dismissed from the program.**

### **Why Student Teach?**

- Gain leadership experience
- Earn community service hours for your resume/college applications
- Gain valuable teaching skills from your mentor, which in-turn will help you become a better dancer.
- Share your love of dance with others
- Give back to your community in a positive way
- Earn a position as a dance teacher in the future

**TO APPLY:** Fill out a “Student Teacher Application” and return to the studio by August 10, 2013.

Send to:  
Dancer’s Studio  
609 Main Street  
Clarion Pa 16214

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Student Teacher Training Program

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Availability: \_\_\_\_\_

Please look over schedule and list days/classes you would be interested in.

1. What qualities do you possess that will make you an excellent student teacher?
2. Why would you like to be selected for our student teacher program?
3. What do you hope to learn as a student teacher?
4. What will you add to our student teacher program if you are selected for the position?
5. What is your strongest style of dance? What type of dance would you most enjoy teaching? What ages do you most enjoy teaching?

**I have read and understand the student teacher agreement/policies set by Dancer's Studio**

Students Signature

Date

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Parents Signature

Date

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