

# COVID GUIDELINES & SAFETY POLICIES

- Masks are no longer required in line with our state mandate, but fully welcome if it is the right choice for your family.
- Communal spaces-barres, door handles, bathrooms, etc. will be sanitized between classes.
- Public areas are open and we do not have capacity restrictions
- Windows and doors will stay open to the outside air as much as possible to keep air moving
- The parking lot will be **DROP OFF AND PICK UP ONLY** between **3:30PM-5:30PM Monday-Friday**. Students no longer need to wait outside, but can enter the building on their own.
- Handsanitizer will be readily available at the entrance to TDS and each dance room.

## **SICK POLICY and RECOVERY PLAN**

Keep it simple, if your dancer feels sick keep them home. This isn't the time to be tough and power through the sniffles, we need to act smart to protect those around us. Here are our guidelines and the CDC's that we are following:

- If you have a fever of 99.9 or higher or covid symptoms you need to stay home. All our bodies run slightly differently-you know your kids' temps, so if 99 is a fever for your child and they're at 99, please don't send them to dance. We all need to be making the safest choices for the whole group to make this work.
- If a dancer or immediate family member tests positive for Covid-19 and was at The Dance Studio, we need to know immediately to inform your class and teacher. We will be keeping names confidential.
- Anyone who tests positive for Covid-19 must complete the 5 day quarantine period and can return to class after they have a negative covid test. If an immediate family member tests positive for Covid-19 please keep your dancer home for the 5 day quarantine and have them test before returning to class.
- If your teacher tests positive for covid you will be informed immediately.
- **We communicate by email, so please make sure our emails aren't going to your trash bin:)**