*What classes should my Dancer register in?*

If you are a returning dancer in Ballet 3, Jazz 3 or Tap 3 and up, register in the same class as last year. The material will be more advanced but the class name will remain the same.

For new to WDA dancers, the following lists are a **guide ONLY**. The instructors **may make adjustments to class placement** after they have had an opportunity to see your dancer in class to ensure that he/she is in the most appropriate class.

Ballet

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| Year of Birth |  |
| 2013 | Ballet P |
| 2012 | Ballet P |
| 2011 | Ballet 1 |
| 2010 | Ballet 1 |
| 2009 | Ballet 2 |
| 2008 | Ballet 2 |
| 2007 | Ballet 2(new to dance)  Ballet 3 (at least 1 year prior experience) |
| 2006 | Ballet 3 |
| 2005 | Ballet 3 (new to ballet or limited experience)  Ballet 4 (2 or more prior years experience) |
| 2004 | Ballet 4 |
| 2003 | Ballet 4 (new to ballet or limited experience),  Ballet 5 (2 or more prior years experience) |
| 2002 and earlier | Ballet 5 |

Ballet 2 and up must take two Ballet classes to compete in Ballet

Jazz

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| Year of Birth |  |
| 2013 | Jazz P |
| 2012 | Jazz P |
| 2011 | Jazz 1 |
| 2010 | Jazz 1 |
| 2009 | Jazz 2 |
| 2008 | Jazz 2 |
| 2007 | Jazz 2 (new to dance)  Jazz 3 (at least 1 year prior experience) |
| 2006 | Jazz 3 |
| 2005 | Jazz 3 (new or limited experience)  Jazz 4 (2 or more prior years experience) |
| 2004 | Jazz 4 |
| 2003 | Jazz 4 (new or limited experience),  Jazz 5 (2 or more prior years experience) |
| 2002 and earlier | Jazz 5 |

Must take Ballet to compete in Jazz (except Jazz P)

Tap

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| Year of Birth |  |
| 2013 | Tap P |
| 2012 | Tap P |
| 2011 | Tap P |
| 2010 | Tap 1 |
| 2009 | Tap 1 |
| 2008 | Tap 2 |
| 2007 | Tap 2 |
| 2006 | Tap 3 |
| 2005 | Tap 3 (new to Tap or limited experience)  Tap 4 (2 or more prior years experience) |
| 2004 | Tap 4 |
| 2003 | Tap 4 |
| 2002 and earlier | Tap 5 |

Must take Ballet to compete in Tap (except Tap P)

Lyrical

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| Year of Birth |  |
| 2007 | Lyrical 3 |
| 2006 | Lyrical 3 |
| 2005 | Lyrical 4 |
| 2004 | Lyrical 4 |
| 2003 | Lyrical 5 (class includes Snr Contemporary) |
| 2002 and earlier | Lyrical 5 (class includes Snr Contemporary) |

Must take Ballet to compete in Lyrical. Should have previous ballet/ jazz experience.

Hip Hop

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| Year of Birth |  |
| 2009 to 2011 | Hip Hop A |
| 2006 to 2008 | Hip Hop B |
| 2003 to 2005 | Hip Hop C |
| 2002 and earlier | Snr Hip Hop |

Production - Variety

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| Year of Birth |  |
| 2006 and later | No Variety class currently scheduled – will add if sufficient interest |
| 2007 and earlier | Production |