



The Naperville Park District's dance program begins with our youngest dancers in mind and expands to various levels of Ballet, Hip Hop, Modern, Jazz, Tap (and other genres), depending on each individual dancer's interests, skills and technique development. Each of our classes is carefully constructed to provide effective learning environments that are fun and professional, technical and creative, and taught by knowledgeable and experienced instructors.



**The Naperville Dance Academy program consists of two areas:**

- 1 **Recital Dance:** program culminates with our June dance recital
- 2 **Seasonal Dance:** non-recital, adult dance, specialty classes

**Recital Dance Programs**

Register now for the 2024 season of recital dance programs! These classes run from January-May and participants perform in a dance recital.

This year's recital format is rehearsals and pictures on Saturday, June 1 and five shows on Sunday, June 2. If your dancer is in multiple classes or you have multiple dancers in the program, they may be in different shows. Each recital class performs

in one show on Sunday, June 2. We unfortunately cannot accommodate sibling requests.

On Saturday, June 1, each class will have a 40-minute scheduled time slot for rehearsal and pictures. Each show on Sunday, June 2 will run approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes. Performance times, ticket information and more details will be released in March 2024.

Students may not enroll after the first day of class. Parent observation opportunities will be held during the season.

Please register at least one week prior to the class start date. Parents must attend a 5-minute mandatory meeting at their child's first class.

**REHEARSAL AND RECITAL INFORMATION**

**Rehearsal Date:** Saturday, June 1, 2024

**Recital Date:** Sunday, June 2, 2024

**Location:** Pfeiffer Hall, 310 E. Benton Ave.

*Specific rehearsal and recital times and information will be given in March 2024.*

**Dance Costume Information**

Included in the cost of the dance program is a nonrefundable dance costume fee. Students must be present at the first class to be measured for a costume. If your child cannot be present the first day please contact the Dance Coordinator at 630-848-3618 or [rmilan@napervilleparks.org](mailto:rmilan@napervilleparks.org) before the session begins. Parents are responsible for alterations if needed. Exchanges will only be made if approved by the instructor and Dance Coordinator and communicated within three days of receiving the costume. Costumes will be distributed in class as they arrive.

**Recital Dance Important Dates**

**CLASSES START:** Monday, January 8

**CLASSES END:** Saturday, May 25

**NO CLASS:** Saturday, March 9 (ARRCC classes only)

Monday, March 25-Saturday, March 30

**PARENT OBSERVATION:** Saturday, March 16-Friday, March 22 and Monday, May 20-Saturday, May 25.

***Due to the continued growth of our program we are not able to offer make-up classes. Make-up classes for cancelled classes by the instructor will be decided on a class by class basis.***



# NAPERVILLE DANCE ACADEMY

## Ballet: Beginner Recital • AGES 5-10

Dancers begin their ballet training learning basic ballet exercises while incorporating musicality and rhythm and focusing on classroom etiquette, posture, ballet terminology and positions of the feet, arms and body. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<b>AGES 5-7</b>				
<i>Fort Hill Studio B • 20 Fort Hill Dr.</i>				
89140	Jan 9-May 21	Tu	5:40-6:25 pm	\$318/\$348
<i>NCHS Community Room - Enter Door #28 • 440 W. Aurora Ave.</i>				
89139	Jan 8-May 20	M	4:45-5:30 pm	\$318/\$348..
<b>AGES 7-10</b>				
<i>NCHS Community Room - Enter Door #28 • 440 W. Aurora Ave.</i>				
88849	Jan 11-May 23	Th	5:10-6:10 pm	\$357/\$387..

## Ballet Basics Recital • AGES 3-5

Looking to enter the world of ballet? Younger and beginning dancers are able to explore dance and expand their ballet knowledge in this program focused on classroom etiquette, posture, ballet terminology and intricate positions of the feet, arms and body in a creative and expressive environment. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<b>AGES 3-4</b>				
<i>95th Street Wood Floor Studio 208/209 • 2244 West 95th St.</i>				
88842	Jan 13-May 25	Sa	8:45-9:30 am	\$318/\$348
<i>Fort Hill Studio B • 20 Fort Hill Dr.</i>				
88844	Jan 11-May 23	Th	9:40-10:25 am	\$318/\$348
<b>AGES 3-5</b>				
<i>ARRCC Dance Room 123 • 305 W. Jackson Ave.</i>				
88843	Jan 10-May 22	W	11:15 am-12:00 pm	\$318/\$348
<b>AGES 4-5</b>				
<i>Fort Hill Studio B • 20 Fort Hill Dr.</i>				
89137	Jan 11-May 23	Th	11:30 am-12:15 pm	\$318/\$348

## Ballet/Tap Basics Recital • AGES 3-5

This program is designed to build a solid dance foundation. Dancers learn proper posture and technique while being introduced to dance terminology from both dance styles. The program focuses on the fundamentals of ballet technique, incorporating tap to help with rhythm, tempo and distribution of weight. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<i>ARRCC Dance Room 123 • 305 W. Jackson Ave.</i>				
88848	Jan 10-May 22	W	10:20-11:05 am	\$318/\$348
88847	Jan 13-May 25	Sa	10:35-11:20 am	\$306/\$336

## Ballet/Tap Basics 2 Recital • AGES 4-5

This program is designed to build a solid dance foundation. Dancers learn proper posture and technique while being introduced to dance terminology from both dance styles. The program focuses on the fundamentals of ballet technique, incorporating tap to help with rhythm, tempo and distribution of weight. Dancers must have completed two sessions of Ballet/Tap to enroll in this class. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<i>ARRCC Dance Room 123 • 305 W. Jackson Ave.</i>				
88845	Jan 13-May 25	Sa	11:30 am-12:15 pm	\$306/\$336

## Hip Hop/Jazz Fusion Recital • AGES 5-10

Filled with great music and good times, this program provides a structured method of learning various hip-hop and jazz dance moves in a fun-filled, vibrant environment. It focuses on age-appropriate dance steps and music. Kids love combining street dance with funk and jazz, similar to what they see in televised dance performances or music videos. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

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<b>AGES 5-7</b>				
<i>ARRCC Dance Room 123 • 305 W. Jackson Ave.</i>				
88851	Jan 12-May 24	F	5:05-5:50 pm	\$318/\$348
<i>NCHS Community Room - Enter Door #28 • 440 W. Aurora Ave.</i>				
89141	Jan 9-May 21	Tu	6:40-7:25 pm	\$318/\$348..
<b>AGES 7-10</b>				
<i>Fort Hill Studio B • 20 Fort Hill Dr.</i>				
88852	Jan 11-May 23	Th	6:55-7:55 pm	\$357/\$387

## Hippity Hoppers Recital • AGES 3-5

This program introduces the hip-hop phenomenon to the younger dancer. Students learn basic technique while building strength, balance and musicality. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

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<b>AGES 3-4</b>				
<i>ARRCC Dance Room 123 • 305 W. Jackson Ave.</i>				
88858	Jan 8-May 20	M	9:55-10:40 am	\$318/\$348
88854	Jan 12-May 24	F	4:15-5:00 pm	\$318/\$348
<b>AGES 4-5</b>				
<i>ARRCC Dance Room 123 • 305 W. Jackson Ave.</i>				
88856	Jan 13-May 25	Sa	8:45-9:30 am	\$306/\$336
<i>Fort Hill Studio B • 20 Fort Hill Dr.</i>				
88857	Jan 13-May 25	Sa	11:30 am-12:15 pm	\$318/\$348

## Poms Recital • AGES 8-12

Introducing students to dance techniques commonly used by dance teams is the main focus of this program that incorporates teaching sharp, clean motions through across the floor and pom combinations while also concentrating on the many skills that are required by dance teams such as jumps, leaps, and turns. A set of poms is included in the fee. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<i>NCHS Community Room - Enter Door #28 • 440 W. Aurora Ave.</i>				
89142	Jan 11-May 23	Th	7:20-8:05 pm	\$343/\$373..

## Storybook Dance Recital • AGES 3-5

Perfect for young princes and princesses who love to dance and act, this stimulating program opens up the imagination of new dancers with stories, nursery rhymes, music and exciting props. It teaches dance in a creative atmosphere while strengthening basic motor and social skills. Using costumes, lively music and storytelling, fairy tales become real and each beloved character comes to life. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

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<i>95th Street Wood Floor Studio 208/209 • 2244 West 95th St.</i>				
88862	Jan 9-May 21	Tu	11:05-11:50 am	\$318/\$348
88863	Jan 13-May 25	Sa	9:40-10:25 am	\$318/\$348

**Tap/Jazz Basics Recital • AGES 3-5**

This program is designed to build a solid dance foundation. Dancers learn proper posture and technique while being introduced to dance terminology from both dance styles. The program focuses on the fundamentals of jazz technique, while incorporating tap to help with rhythm, tempo and distribution of weight. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<b>Fort Hill Studio B • 20 Fort Hill Dr.</b>				
88868	Jan 11-May 23	Th	4:55-5:40 pm	\$318/\$348

**Tap/Jazz: Beginner Recital • AGES 5-7**

This program is designed to build a solid dance foundation. Dancers learn proper posture and technique while being introduced to dance terminology from both dance styles. The program focuses on the fundamentals of jazz technique, while incorporating tap to help with rhythm, tempo and distribution of weight. Please visit our website at [www.napervilleparks.org/dance](http://www.napervilleparks.org/dance) for dress code information. (bm)

CODE	DATE	DAY	TIME	R/N
<b>95th Street Wood Floor Studio 208/209 • 2244 West 95th St.</b>				
88867	Jan 10-May 22	W	6:15-7:00 pm	\$318/\$348



DANCE ACADEMY - RECITAL						
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Ballet Basics Recital	3-4	Sa	8:45-9:30 am	95th Street Center	\$318/\$348	88842
Ballet Basics Recital	3-4	Th	9:40-10:25 am	Fort Hill Activity Center	\$318/\$348	88844
Ballet Basics Recital	3-5	W	11:15 am-12:00 pm	ARRCC	\$318/\$348	88843
Ballet Basics Recital	4-5	Th	11:30 am-12:15 pm	Fort Hill Activity Center	\$318/\$348	89137
Ballet/Tap Basics Recital	3-5	Sa	10:35-11:20 am	ARRCC	\$306/\$336	88847
Ballet/Tap Basics Recital	3-5	W	10:20-11:05 am	ARRCC	\$318/\$348	88848
Ballet/Tap Basics 2 Recital	4-5	Sa	11:30 am-12:15 pm	ARRCC	\$306/\$336	88845
Ballet: Beginner Recital	5-7	Tu	5:40-6:25 pm	Fort Hill Activity Center	\$318/\$348	89140
Ballet: Beginner Recital	5-7	M	4:45-5:30pm	Naperville Central High School	\$318/\$348	89139
Ballet: Beginner Recital	7-10	Th	5:10-6:10 pm	Naperville Central High School	\$357/\$387	88849
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Hippity Hoppers Recital	3-4	M	9:55-10:40 am	ARRCC	\$318/\$348	88858
Hippity Hoppers Recital	4-5	Sa	8:45-9:30 am	ARRCC	\$306/\$336	88856
Hippity Hoppers Recital	4-5	Sa	11:30 am-12:15 pm	Fort Hill Activity Center	\$318/\$348	88857
Poms Recital	8-12	Th	7:20-8:05 pm	Naperville Central High School	\$343/\$373	89142
Storybook Dance Recital	3-5	Tu	11:05-11:50 am	95th Street Center	\$318/\$348	88862
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Tap/Jazz: Beginner Recital	5-7	W	6:15-7:00 pm	95th Street Center	\$318/\$348	88867