## THE VILLAGE DANCE ACADEMY

## 2023/2024 | SOLO CONTRACT

**Congratulations!** You have been selected for a Solo for the 2023/2024 dance season. Please read this contract carefully and consider this seriously before making the commitment.

**INSTRUCTION FEES:** An initial fee of **\$475.00 + GST (\$23.75)** is charged for 3.5hrs of choreography and private instruction provided by your choreographer. All fees are paid to The Village Dance Academy Ltd. \*All instruction fees are non-refundable once contract has been returned (no exceptions).

**REHEARSALS:** Instruction fees will entitle the student to a maximum of 3.5 hours to learn their routine. This includes time allotted for picking music, along with all theatre rehearsals and theatre performance times. Once the routine is learned, we will be allowing dancers to book private studio space to rehearse their routine. Space will be posted on the front desk as a first come first serve sign-up sheet. It is the responsibility of the student to practice every day and put in the extra effort required to refine the routine. If the solo is not stage ready OR the Studio director/instructor feels that the student is not at the studios standard of performance, the student will then have the option of coming in for extra rehearsals at the discretion of the instructor or to pull out of scheduled performance(s). \*\*If the student cannot attend a scheduled rehearsal, please contact the instructor or the time allotted for that rehearsal will be considered lost time, and will not be made up nor refunded.

As a solo/duo/trio you have the option to purchase additional time with any of our instructors (this will be based on availability). Prices are as follows...

30 mins - \$36.75 45 mins - \$55.15 60 mins - \$73.50

**SOLO/DUET SHOWCASE:** All of our soloist and duet dancers will have the opportunity to perform in our solo/duo inhouse competition and/or showcase.

**COMPETITION ENTRY FEE:** The entry fees for the competitions that we will be attending during the 2023/2024 season will be determined prior to November 2023. Entry Fees can range from \$100.00-\$130.00 per event per solo. You will be advised of all details pertaining to the events once the details have been confirmed and separate invoicing will be sent home in November. \*Entry fees are non-refundable once contract has been returned (no exceptions).

**COSTUME:** Each soloist is responsible for their own costume. Depending upon the routine, the student can often wear their group costume. If you decide to a get a new costume, individual costumes in collaboration with the instructor can be purchased or ordered through the Studio or Dance Essentials. If ordering through the Studio, you must notify us no later than November 15<sup>th</sup> as all orders are placed by December 1<sup>st</sup>. If ordering through Dance Essentials, be sure to order by mid-December to ensure enough delivery time for spring performances.

If you decide to accept this commitment, please complete and sign Page 2 of this form and return completed contract along with all payments to the office. Alternatively, you may fill out the form and scan it back to <a href="mailto:info@thevillagedanceacademy.ca">info@thevillagedanceacademy.ca</a>.

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**Important Note: Please return this <u>completed</u> contract (Page 2 of 2) to the office via email. No renearsals will be scheduled until contract and all payments are returned to the office.**
□ I Accept □ I Decline
Solo contract to be signed & all payments received prior to any rehearsal scheduling.
I acknowledge the above (Student Name, Please Print) (Parent Name, Please Print)
contract, obligation, and commitment and agree to accept this solo contract.
*Please complete all information below in its entirety and return to the front desk.
Student Signature:
Parents Signature:
Student Email Address: Student Phone Number: (If student does not have their own email or cell phone please indicate n/a)
Parent Email Address: Parent Phone Number:
Payment Method:  *Payable to The Village Dance Academy  • \$498.75 Initial Fee Paid via □ Chq # □ Cash □ E-transfer
Competition Entry Fees:  *Payable to The Village Dance Academy

TBA - Entry Fee invoicing to be posted on your account in November.