

Crescendo Conservatory LLC, is committed to creating a safe and healthy environment for all our dancers. The following guidelines are in accordance with the recommendations of the government/public health officials. To create the best atmosphere possible for everyone, we have established the following guidelines.

General Studio Guidelines

- Visitors are not permitted in the studio. Dancers only.
- The front lobby and student lounge are closed.
- Water fountain is closed. Students must bring their own water bottle and enough water to last until dismissal.
- Social distancing will be maintained - everyone must remain at least 6' apart.
- There will be no physical contact before, during, or after class between students and between faculty and students. Traffic patterns within the building are marked and must be followed.
- Students must bring their own hand sanitizer and disinfecting wipes. No sharing permitted.
- Students should bring personal towels to wipe off perspiration as they will not be allowed to leave their spot until dismissal.
- Restrooms will be available for emergency use only. Please use the restroom before you arrive.
- No touching, no props, no equipment.
- Do not share anything - water bottles, toe tape, scissors, etc...
- Avoid touching your face or any object unless necessary and wash your hands after.
- Dancers will not have access to the refrigerator. Bring your own lunch bags.
- If a student does not follow the protocols, a student may be removed from class.

Class Protocols

- Before the students arrive, the building will be cooled down.
- Once students start arriving, the HVAC system will be turned off. All fans will be turned off.
- Traffic pattern entering, exiting, and within the building will be marked.

Cleaning Protocols

- Crescendo Conservatory is implementing CDC recommendations for cleaning and disinfecting a facility.
- Staff will regularly clean high-touch areas throughout the day.
- Barres and studio floors will be cleaned between classes.



Arrival and Departures

- We have changed from one main entrance to 3 entrances to allow students to enter their classroom directly from outside.
- Students must arrive in their dance clothes under a cover up.
- Plan to arrive 15-20 minutes before class time. Only 1 student will be permitted in the building at a time.
- Students should line up outside on the lines marked 6' apart while waiting to enter the building. No hugging, high fives, fist bumps.
- Parents should remain in their car until they receive confirmation their dancer have completed the screening process.
- Students will be initially screened with a touchless thermometer. If their reading is 100 F or above, they will be required to leave immediately.
- Students will be to turn in their COVID questionnaire. Based on their temperature reading and answers, faculty will determine admittance for the day.
- Students will be required to turn in their COVID liability form before entering the studio.
- Hand sanitizer will be used at the entrance of the studio. Bring your own extra hand sanitizer and wipes.
- After the screening is complete, students should put their outdoor shoes in a grocery bag or zip lock. Please bring your own zip loc bag.
- There will be designated space for dance bags in studio. Please empty your dance bags. Bring only what is necessary.
- Students can no longer pick their place at the barre, or where they stand for center work in any class. Students will be assigned barre spots and must remain in their spot until dismissal with their belongings.
- At the end of the day, students will be allowed to leave one at a time.
- Parents please remain in your car for drop off or pick up.

Masks

All dancers **are required** to wear a mask upon entering the studio, during class and upon leaving the studio. Most dance studios are using the following mask. It is breathable and can be dipped in water to keep the dancer cool.

<https://www.mission.com/>

Otherwise we suggest a double layer 180 thread count cotton with a wire nose bridge. It is preferable for each dancer to bring 2 masks to class. If using reusable, cloth masks, they should be laundered every night. If students use disposable face masks, they cannot dispose them at the school.

