

NO HIDDEN FEES

1. Membership Fee (\$35 per dancer - valid May 1, 2019 - April 30, 2020)

This keeps student tuition costs low as our team works behind the scenes.

The Membership fee is non-refundable.

- maintaining our studio-class-management system
- maintaining our website
- maintaining studio communication
- offsetting insurance fees
- offsetting music license fees
- etc.

2. Course Fee (\$250-\$350 per course - courses run September 16, 2019 - April 10, 2020)

This is the lowest tuition cost you will find! The job of a teacher extends beyond classroom hours. SKR provides a cost recovery opportunity for its participants. Many items (listed below) are included in the course fee, none of which are subject to being pro-rated.

- implementing curriculum
- creating lesson plans
- teaching correct technique
- researching music
- on-going coaching
- offering tricks
- creating choreography
- video analysis

3. Costumes (offered free of charge for most courses)

Our recital costumes are ordered from a specialized company that complies with its obligation to provide appropriate employment standards. The higher cost of these costumes is directly related to employment standards (costume company, shipping company, customs etc). All course fees must be paid by October 15 in order to ensure that SKR is not out of pocket. Costumes are worn for our end of the year SHOW on stage, and each dancer keeps their costume afterwards. NB - dancers are responsible for providing all other items (i.e. new tights, clean shoes, hair ties etc.)

4. Photos (offered free of charge)

Students enjoy a photo shoot and receive digital photos of themselves in costume. Posting these individual photos on social media is highly encouraged!

5. Video (offered free of charge)

Students receive digital video footage of their SKR Recital performance.

These are for private use and are not to be posted publicly or shared via social media.

6. Punch Card (\$75)

Students can audit any class provided they are registered in the same style at their level.

Drop-in with punch card = \$75+HST = \$84.75 - 10 classes with one punch card purchase.

Drop-in without punch card = \$12+HST = \$13.56 - if payed 1hour prior to class start via eTransfer.

Drop-in without punch card = \$15 (includes HST) - paid cash at the door / prior to class start.

5. HST (13%)

HST is a combination of the 5% Federal Goods and Services Tax (GST) and the 8% Ontario Retail Sales Tax (RST or PST) – 13% total. Registering, charging, collecting, filing, and paying the HST is required.

ADDITIONAL PURCHASES

The following are Independent purchases that are NOT included in SKR Dance Studio fees.

NB Prices vary based on brands and stores - below are rough estimates.

Dress Code ~ published in August

Just like any sport or organized activity, Dance classes require "gear".

Our dress code is very simple and the colour of the bodysuit is the same for all levels.

~ \$15: tights / pants

~ \$30: bodysuit / shirt

~ \$25-\$150: shoes

~ \$5: hair ties

etc.

Required Performance Gear

A performance kit should include the following items:

MAKE-UP: lipstick, blush, eye shadow, eye liner, mascara, fake lashes (older dancers)

Wearing make-up is standard practice for dance recitals.

Certain colours are proven to work well on stage.

This allows the audience to see the dancers' facial features.

HAIR: brush, comb, hair ties, bun donut, hair net, bobby pins, hair spray or mousse

BAG: 1 dance bag for weekly classes and 1 dance bag large enough to fit all recital items.

JEWELRY: Special stage jewelry is ordered for female dancers (for ages 7+ only). SKR strongly recommends purchasing new jewelry every year to avoid skin irritation caused by stored costume jewelry.

Optional Recital Tickets

\$10 each (+ HST + ticket company fees & MHIF) ~ \$15-\$20

Optional Company Fees (Competition Fees, Disney Performance etc.)

These fees are published when they are made available to SKR.

Optional Private Coaching & Exams

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DISCOUNTS are for everyone ~ they are reflected in our low course fees!

SKR offers guaranteed, very generous, low course fees as part of a lifelong mission to share the joy of dance and its many benefits with everyone!