



CID Covid-19 Policies for Reopening SUMMER TERM

Welcome to the July Term of Classes at Classic Image Dance!

We are SO excited to host you for summer programs and have prepared the following information to help you have a happy, healthy, and safe return to classes.

Please review before your first class for the smoothest transition back to classes. We look forward to seeing you soon!!

CID is a Safer Studio™

- CID follow the More Than Just Great Dancing!® Safer Studio Guidelines which prioritize a hierarchy of safety and wellness measures including:
- Wellness checks for staff
- Frequent hand hygiene
- Enhanced cleaning procedures
- Minimizing mixing and mingling via social distancing practices
- Curricular and facility adjustments
- Gradual re-opening and continuous parent communications.
- Please see below for the specific ways CID is applying these guidelines for the July Term.



Wellness Checks for Staff

- CID is a Youth Protection Advocates in Dance® Certified Studio. Additionally, all teachers and staff members will receive regular and continuing safety training as it relates to preventing community spread of COVID-19.
- All staff members are wellness checked before their shift.
- All staff members will wear masks in the lobby and when social distancing cannot be achieved in the classroom (ie., making/giving corrections individually to dancers, helping dancers change shoes, etc.)
- Parents are asked to not send their children to class if they, or a member of their household, have a fever or respiratory symptoms.
- Parents are asked to not send their children to class if they, or a member of their household, have tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 14 days.

Frequent Hand Hygiene

- Employees will wash hands and/or sanitize before and after each class.
- Hand sanitizing stations will be available outside of all entrances, outside of every classroom, and inside the classrooms. Students will be encouraged to wash hands and/or sanitize before and after classes.
- Hand washing posters are posted within bathrooms and classrooms.

Enhanced Cleaning Procedures

- We have increased our cleaning frequencies and sanitation procedures in high traffic areas and high touch surfaces of the studio such as doors, viewing windows, barres, floors, counters, stereos, and bathrooms.

Minimized Mixing and Mingling

- We have made facility, scheduling, and curricular changes to reduce mixing and mingling in support of social distancing recommendations. However, we understand that unlike older children and adults, young children cannot be expected to maintain social distancing at all times.



Facility & Curricular Adjustments

- All lobby waiting areas, kitchen area, children's play spaces, student study areas, locker rooms, Mother's room, business offices, staff room, etc will be closed unless specified.
- Please bring clearly labeled water bottles. Drinking fountains will not be available. Bottled water will be available for purchase for \$1.
- Dancers will bring all dance bags into the studio for changing shoes. Dressing rooms will be closed. Bathrooms will be available for toileting only, but not for changing clothes.
- No food will be allowed in the studio.
- Curricular adjustments have been made to eliminate prop use, minimize hand-holding and to reduce mixing and mingling in the classroom.
- Class sizes have been modified to reflect current county recommendations of no more than 15 in a room.
- Classrooms will refrain from high fives, "ballerina hugs", fist bumps, stickers, and stamps.
- Classrooms will have staggered dismissal (3-5 minutes) to allow for student transitions.

Gradual Re-Opening & Continuous Parent Communication

- We are gradually reopening with roughly 50% of our classes remaining online and 50% of classes being held in the studio for the July Term.
- Please visit our website and join our CID Parent & Student Community Private Facebook page beginning July 1 where you will find a stop and go light icon that clearly indicates the status of classes: Green indicates it is safe to attend face-to-face classes. Yellow indicates a cautionary change to service delivery. Red indicates clients should stay home and attend class online.

Arrival & Departure

- Please enter through the main entrance of the studio. At this time, we ask that parents wait in their cars or outside during classes to help with social distancing in the building. Parents of little dancers under age 5 are able to wait inside if necessary for child comfort. Masks will be required.
- Please limit parent drop off to one person whenever possible. Sibling visitors cannot be accommodated during this term.
- Parents will be asked to wait outside for kids to be released. At the end of class, parents must be by the door to receive their child. Students cannot walk across the parking lot to go to their parents for safety reasons.

Bathroom Use

- We encourage all students to use the restroom at home before coming to class.
- Bathrooms will be limited for emergencies and will be cleaned frequently

Masks

- Our employees will be wearing masks with some exceptions until the City of Chandler and Maricopa County release the current order.
- Mask wearing for students and parents in the lobby is required until further notice.
- Mask wearing is optional for students in the classroom as they will be socially distanced (see above).
- Teachers will be wearing masks in the classroom unless they are at least 6 ft away from students. Teachers needing to give hands-on corrections, assist a student in any way or at any time breach the 6ft distance will wear masks.