



SDMT ACADEMY

SDMT Academy Covid-19 Protocols

All SDMT Academy in person classes will STRICTLY adhere to the following procedures to prevent the spread of COVID-19:

Before You Arrive:

- Please bring a mask
- Please bring your signed waiver for your first class
- Please bring a water bottle
- Please arrive dressed and ready to dance, there will be no changing area
- Do not come to class if you, a family member or anyone you have been in contact with is sick, has a cough, or a fever

Arrival and Check in:

- Participants, guardians and staff are required to wear a mask during registration, while waiting to enter the studio and while entering and exiting the studio.
- All participants under 18 years of age MUST bring a parent or guardian to sign them in and parents/guardians must remain with the participant in the parking lot waiting zone until the participant is admitted into class.
- Participants should park in the SDMT lot or on the street beside the building and proceed to the registration/sign-in table.
- Please wait in line at the registration table on the social distance markings provided.
- Participants and or/participants' guardians will be required to sign a COVID-19 waiver. No participants will be admitted without a signed waiver. There will be sanitized pens available on the registration table. Please take a clean pen from the jar marked "sanitized pens", sign your waiver and return the pen to the "used pens" jar.
- Participants will then be asked a series of health related questions.
- Either staff or instructor will lead the participants into the studio to their dance space through a propped door while maintaining social distance
- Bathrooms will be available for use if needed, however, we ask that students come ready for dance (not changing in the bathroom), and leave directly at the end of class.
- Hand washing with soap for a minimum of 20 seconds is required for staff and students after covering a cough or sneeze, using the restroom, or after any close contact/exposure to others.

Classroom Procedures

Entrance

- Parents will not be allowed to enter the building
- No dance bags or accessories will be allowed in class, please only bring your water bottle into the studio. Students, staff and instructors are required to bring a personal water bottle for their own use. No water will be provided by the studio
- No outside food will be allowed in lobby areas or classrooms
- Students and instructors are currently required to wear a mask in the studio.

Exit

- Parents or guardians must pick up their participants immediately after class. Please arrive to pick up your student 10 minutes before the end of class. All classes will be ending 10 minutes early (50 minute class length). This will minimize cross over of different groups of people (i.e. the class after yours), and still have time to sanitize properly.

Cleaning procedures:

- High touch areas will be sanitized regularly/as needed
- Air conditioning will be running to maintain air circulation
- Classes will be 50 minutes in order to leave time for sanitizing between classes
- SDMT will provide soap and water in restrooms and necessary seat covers, paper towels to ensure safety

We can't wait to see you at the SDMT Academy!

Sincerely,

Robert Townsend
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SDMT Academy