

## San Jose Dance Theatre Reopening Guidelines

San Jose Dance Theatre is excited to be able to offer our summer intensive both in-person and online for 2020. With the ability to recommence in-person classes many new procedures and practices have been developed to ensure the safety of our students and staff.

We have fulfilled all county and state requirements for reopening and will be providing all families the counties Site-Specific Protection Plan as well as our new SJDT Covid-19 waiver for review and return. We understand that officials may be adding or easing requirements as it is a fluid situation and parents should check often on our website [www.sjdt.org](http://www.sjdt.org) for any changes in our requirements.

### **Your obligations -**

- All students and parents are to read and sign Covid-19 waiver and return prior to commencement of classes
- We will be asking parents to fill out a health check form each day confirming their child does not exhibit symptoms of illness before allowing children into program
- All students must have their temperature checked as they enter the building
- Face coverings will be asked of by participants in the program. They will not be allowed to enter the building without masks or face coverings.
- Social distancing protocols are to be adhered to at all times.
- Classes are not able to mix, please remain in your timetabled class group.
- Students will be arriving at staggered times and are not to arrive more than 30 minutes prior to their first class.
- Parents are not able to enter the building and must wait in their cars at drop off and pick up.
- Payments are to be made via electronic transfer, telephone or by check. You are unable to enter the building to pay for tuition.
- One teacher is allocated to each student group
- No lunch is able to be eaten within the building.
- Use of dressing rooms is prohibited and you must come to class ready to partake in class.
- You must bring your own pilates mat each day and take it home with you at the end of the day.
- Children are required to bring a big bag for all of their personal items including their own Mats.
- Parents will be required to arrange a pick up within 1 hour of being contacted their child is not feeling well.
- We ask that dancers to come to class with no more than what they need for the day.
- Students are asked to bring their own water and face masks. Water fountains will be off limits. We will have emergency bottled water and face masks available.
- When opening closing doors please look refrain from using your hands.
- Wash your hands after bathroom use and then sanitize your hands after leaving the bathroom areas.

### **Our Obligation -**

- We will be asking staff to fill out a health check form each day confirming they do not exhibit symptoms of illness before coming to work.
- We will take temperatures of all children, staff each day.
- We will be increasing our hand washing schedule to include 20 second hand washing for all participants and staff before program, between each activity, at minimum.
- Face coverings will be asked of all staff. They will not be allowed to enter the building without masks or face coverings.
- We will provide signs related to healthy habits throughout program.
- We will be sending home guidance from the CDC regarding safe health procedures to our families during program.
- Social distancing will be practiced at all times – In studios and at the Barre (set up space for social distancing)
- Groups will be limited to 10-12 students, depending on age
- Groups will not interact with each other throughout the day
- Staff will be assigned to specific group and will not interact with other groups to the best of our ability.

- A medical isolation space will be established for any child or staff that is feeling ill and in process to be picked up.
- All activities will be individual based or adjusted for safe interactions following social distancing rules.
- Staff will monitor health by doing visual health checks of children and staff throughout the day.
- We have increased our cleaning schedule to wipe down surfaces throughout the day and at minimum, all surfaces will be cleaned; Before program, Between activities, After pick up.
- We will minimize shared equipment as much as possible. When sharing is necessary, equipment will be cleaned between each use.
- Equipment will be assigned to a child and sanitized after use
- Activities will be adjusted for non-touch.
- Backpacks will be kept with separation from other children's items
- Bathrooms will be wiped down multiple times a day per a strict schedule
- Hand sanitizer will be provided at all time
- Gloves to be worn during cleaning