

Dear Student and Families,

RE: OPEN DIVISION TUITION POLICY FOR COVID-19

Alberta Ballet School has developed a responsible plan for future COVID-19 waves that could close our studios again. Many of you have reached out with questions about the upcoming training year, and we would like to update you about our contingency plans for 2020/21.

We are planning to return to our studios in September but are preparing flexible options, understanding that studio training may be interrupted again due to COVID19 concerns.

In the past several months, Alberta Ballet School has created a robust Virtual Training Program. This program is based on Alberta Ballet School's unique curriculum and will be a key resource for your child if we face another period of closure.

This program is a series of pre-recorded modules accompanied by a schedule of live-streamed classes. Together, these elements will help your child continue to pursue their passion for dance, even through these uncertain times. We are confident that the Virtual Training Program will serve our students well.

Visit the link for in-depth information about Alberta Ballet School's Virtual Training Program.

In this event studio classes are suspended, the policy outlined below will go into effect:

A .confirmed case of COVID- 19 at Alberta Ballet School.

- Alberta Ballet School is required by the Province of Alberta to close for 72 hours to allow contact tracing. Make up classes would be offered for any missed programming.
- The school will be vacant for 24 hours to be professionally cleaned and disinfected to Alberta Health Services' standard.
- All families will be advised via email that a student or staff member may be affected.
- School will re-open and classes will resume upon approval of Alberta Health.
- Alberta Ballet School will follow the guidelines of Alberta Health regarding all individuals involved and the re-opening of the school.

Open Division student withdrawal or refunds will not be issued upon a probable or confirmed case of COVID-19 involving a student or staff member.

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- Regular tuition rates continue
- Classes move to the Virtual Training Program

Studios are closed for more than 30 consecutive days due to government mandated closures

- Virtual Training Program continues and dance tuition is reduced by 30% until in-studio classes can be re-instated.

Special Note Regarding Preschool Programming:

Ballet training for preschool aged students focuses on movement, music and body awareness more so than skill development, therefore the benefits of the Virtual Training Program will not be as apparent to this age group. If our studios are closed for more than 60 consecutive days due to government mandated closures, preschool students will have the option to withdraw from classes and receive a refund if any tuition is owed.

I acknowledge having read and understood this entire Agreement, and that I indicate my acceptance and agreement to its terms by initialling online within the registration process for myself/the Participant.