

# *Jun Lu Performing Arts Academy*

## *Team Auditions 2019/2020*

Welcome to Jun Lu Performing Arts Academy dance competition team auditions 2019/2020! We strive to make our team experience the most positive and rewarding for our dancers and look forward to having another incredible and exciting dance season. Our team motto: *Work hard, have fun, respect all, fear none.*

### **Purpose**

The purpose of the Jun Lu Performing Arts Academy dance competition teams is to provide students with an opportunity to develop sportsmanship, character, and competitiveness.

### **Audition Process**

Placement in a specific team is based on the following criteria: technique, potential, commitment level, enthusiasm, attitude and behavior in class, attendance, and stage presence. We place students together in groups that we feel will work best together in rehearsals and performances. Team members are selected via audition by the instructors and will be invited into the appropriate classes.

**Please bring signed Audition Permission Slip below with the dancer to the audition.**

### **Member Requirements**

Members are expected to attend all classes (5.5+ hours weekly), rehearsals (prior to each competition and performance), competitions (2-3 regionals, travel to 1-2 nationals), and performances (holiday showcase and multiple community performances) with punctuality. Excessive absences and tardiness may be cause for dismissal from the team. Details will be further outlined in the Team Agreement upon selection into the team.

Members are expected to demonstrate kindness, respect, integrity, and sportsmanship to each other and to competitors at all times. As a member of the competition team, the team members and their parents represent the community of Jun Lu Performing Arts Academy. Conduct and actions inside/outside of the classroom, on/off the stage, and in the community should be something we are all proud of. We expect everyone to be respectful of the school, its decisions and what it is striving to achieve.

### **Expenses**

Besides tuitions for dance classes and team practices, team members are also responsible for costumes, competition fees and all travel expenses. If a special choreographer is invited to create choreography for a piece, there could be a choreography fee as well.

## Important Notes

Please understand as in any audition process, not everyone who auditions will be selected. We place students together in groups that we feel will be the best fit and in the interest of the right placement for each dancer. Dancers and the parents need to be prepared for possible outcomes.

***Please do not audition if you cannot commit to the member requirements outlined above and respect the audition decisions. We expect all dancers who audition and their parents to be respectful to each other and their dance teachers before, during, and after the audition.***

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### ***Jun Lu Performing Arts Academy Team Audition Permission Slip 2019/2020***

- ***My child has permission to audition for Jun Lu Performing Arts Academy dance competition team and if selected, will join the designated team for the 2019/2020 season.***
- ***We have fully reviewed and understand the process and expectations outlined above.***

Dancer's Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dancer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_