

WGDC Shows

When does the West Ga Dance Center hold their Shows?

Typically, we do 2 shows per year- one in December & the other sometime in May. Both shows are unique in their own ways. Holiday Showcase is much more laid back and themed around the Holidays with NO costume changes. Our May Show is over the top with acting, themed dances, costumes, props, etc.

Holiday Showcase will be December 20, 2024

Spring Recital will be the weekend of May 31st, 2025

(With a mandatory dress rehearsal the week leading to show weekend)

Is It Required to Participate in these Shows?

It is only REQUIRED of the Competition Team Members to participate in WGDC Shows- The Shows are optional for ALL OTHER PERFORMERS.

Holiday Showcase Fee

\$150 PER DANCER Holiday Showcase Fee

Fee covers Venue Rental Cost, 1 Free Ticket, Showcase Attire (Shirt, Bottom, & Hair Accessory)

Spring Show Fee

\$200 PER DANCER Spring Recital Fee due March 15th, 2024

Fee covers Venue Cost, 1 Free Ticket, Professional Video & Picture Downloads, Recital T-shirt, and a Custom Goodie Bag for each dancer

Tickets for our Spring Show

All ticket sales are done online-You choose your seat, pay online, & print them at Home!

- Seats – \$20-\$25 per ticket plus ticket company processing fees, for general admission or vip seating.

WE HAVE NO CONTROL OVER TICKETING. WGDC CANNOT MAKE EXCHANGES OR REFUNDS. All ticketing issues will run directly through the online ticketing company or the hosting venue

- Children 2 & younger can enter for FREE but must sit in a lap- No strollers, car-seats, etc.
- Each dancer receives 1 FREE \$20 ticket credit on their account with recital fee payment completion•

- My child is in multiple classes. Will all of those classes perform in both shows?
Yes! We will run the exact same show twice to ensure that every dancer has availability for all of their friends and family to come watch them perform.

If for some reason your child is in a class that is not selected for the show, we will handle this on an individual basis. We do our very best to involve each & everyone.

- Is my child required to attend Dress Rehearsal?

Yes. If your child misses a dress rehearsal for any piece- they will not be allowed to perform that piece at the show. Dress rehearsal is vital to your dancer and OTHER dancers in learning formation placements & show day protocol.

- Is my child required to attend Recital Picture Week?

Yes! In order to miss this day you must receive approval of absence by WGDC Staff. Remember, these photos will be featured in the 2025 Memory Book, sold at recital.

What about hair, jewelry, & makeup for the recital?

We always supply a detailed pack-list for you which includes your hair, makeup, and costume accessories for picture day, dress rehearsal, and show day. We prefer dancers purchase curled hair pieces if their class is called to wear their hair in high curled ponytails. Not only do we prefer this for the clean look it creates with costuming on stage, but it truly helps relieve MUCH headache and stress for both dancer and parent on show day. The curls just snap onto the child and they look clean from all angles. Hairpieces are an item you purchase on your own-you can find these at Sally's hair supply BUT most purchase online at www.cheerleaderhairpieces.biz - we provide a swatch of hair colors in the main lobby pinned on the information board. Kinder Level & Under will wear curls. All Other levels will be wearing High Hot Bun or Braids. The distinction between hair selections will be noted on the picture and show packlists that we diligently put together and email out in ample time.

WGDC sells show earrings at the front desk for \$10 a pair & these become available closer to show day.

When I am an audience member:::

- I understand there is NO videography or photography allowed during my child's show
- Dress rehearsal is mandatory
- Call times are vital for my dancer
- Pick up, drop off, and sign in procedures must be followed diligently
- My cell phone or other noise making devices must be silenced

What are My Responsibilities as a Parent?

- Client accounts must have a balance of ZERO in order to participate in all dress rehearsals & shows. The balance is due no later than 2 weeks prior to show date.
- Fully reviewing the pack list for Dress Rehearsal & Show Day. Please pack your child according to those provided lists.
- Understanding that Dress Rehearsal is mandatory and an absence from this could result in my child not participating.
- Understanding it is my job to abide by ordering dates for costumes, recital fee payments, general payment deadlines, and tuition in order to participate in the shows.
- Help my child's studio out. Volunteering opportunities arise year round. Get involved & stay Active in my child's studio.
- Stay Positive & enjoy the ride!

Costume Fees for our Spring Show- Costume fees are due in full for the May Show by January 15th, 2025

In all costume fees we include extra accessories we may add to the costume, any possible sequinning/Rhinestoning, & each dancer's 1st pair of show tights

- Combo Costumes \$110
- All Other Costumes \$85