

North Shore Dance Competition Team Code of Conduct

As a parent, I recognize the importance of dance in the lives of our young people. I pledge that I will participate in my child's dance activities in accordance with the following rules:

- I will promote teamwork, sportsmanship and a competitive spirit for all dancers and spectators in a positive manner.
- I will not question the judgment of any faculty member or choreographer
- I will support my child's team, teachers and choreographers as they believe best benefits the entire team

Because I am a role model for my child as well as other dancers, my personal conduct at the studio, performances, competitions and other studio events must be above reproach. It must represent the highest standards of morality, teamwork and sportsmanship. I therefore pledge that:

- I will exhibit exemplary behavior at the studio, performances and competitions for our dancers, other parents and spectators
- I will at all times control my emotions and will be considerate of all dancers' and parents' collective emotions
- I will not make disparaging remarks of any type with regard to teachers, choreographers, choreography placement, costumes, other parents, competitive judges or other schools. I will not publicly criticize them in the studio or over the course of an event.

As a member of the competition team, I recognize the importance of being on a team. I pledge that I will participate in all my classes accordance with the following rules:

- I will promote teamwork, sportsmanship and a competitive spirit for all dancers and spectators in a positive manner.
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North Shore Dance Anti Bullying Policy

North Shore Dance fosters a lifelong love for dance and creative expression. In order to guarantee that all of our dancers are able to best pursue their passion, we have a comprehensive anti-bullying policy applicable to our students, dance families, staff, and employees.

We define bullying as any behavior; physical, verbal, written (either electronically or in person), that detrimentally targets another dancer. This behavior is described as bullying if it physically or emotionally harms a dancer, targets a dancer for any actual or perceived characteristic, or creates a hostile environment in the dance studio. North Shore Dance recognizes that bullying does not just occur between students. If a parent or guardian has witnessed bullying or harassing another student, parent, or staff member, there will be repercussions.

North Shore Dance will not tolerate bullying in any form; physical, emotional, social or otherwise. As such, we have a Zero Tolerance Bullying Policy. Each reported instance of bullying will be followed-up with specific attention to the situation and dancers or people involved. Since our goal is to empower people and embrace individuality, one documented bullying event will have repercussions which may include immediate termination of enrollment with no refund for egregious violations.

It is important to note

I accept these rules and agree to conduct myself according to the principles and regulations of the North Shore Dance.

Student Name: _____ Date: _____
(please print)

Signature: _____ Print Name: _____
(responsible party: Parent/Guardian)