

# **Student Code of Conduct**

## **Class Etiquette**

I will:

- Be early (10-15min) to all classes so that I am able to warm up thoroughly prior to classes beginning
- Make sure that I do not cause disruption to my class or disrupt any other classes in progress (before or after)
- Be polite and respectful to all of my teachers
- Bow or courtesy to the teacher when class finishes
- Wear clean and appropriate dance clothes and shoes to class in accordance with the uniform requirements – holes in tights and grubby dance shoes will not be tolerated
- Have appropriate clothes on when arriving and leaving the Studio. No student is to leave the studio in dance gear without some covering clothes
- Have my hair up, tightly secured, and off my neck before class starts (girls).
- Remove all jewelry before class (small earring studs excepted).
- Understand that choreography, roles and teaching are up to the class teacher and are not open for discussion.

I will not:

- Chew gum in class
- Eat food in the studio or warm up area
- Wear street shoes into the studio
- Use my mobile phone in class
- Leave the premises without a parent / guardian or parental permission.
- Eat or drink anything but water when in class and/or costume.

## **Integrity**

I will:

- Respect my fellow students, regardless of ability and strive to create a positive environment at all times
- Be honest in my attitude and preparation to group work, by working equally hard for my group and myself. My group's performance will benefit and so will I.
- Strive to excel within my own capabilities – dance is an individual journey.
- Be frank and honest with my teachers concerning illness and injury and my ability to take class
- Control my temper. Verbal abuse of teachers, adjudicators, helpers and other students is not acceptable. Swearing will not be tolerated.
- Treat all students, as I like to be treated.

I will not:

- Bully, spread malicious gossip or isolate other students
- Make negative comments to classmates, instructors or volunteers
- Sit down during classes and rehearsals if I am not dancing a particular sequence – I should be practicing in the back

## **Respecting the Dance Studio**

I will:

- Care for and respect the equipment, facilities, costumes and props of CFBS.
- Make sure that if I have time off between classes I have something to do, eg. homework, reading, etc; the Studio is not a playground.
- Make sure I put any rubbish in the bins.

- Respect and be polite to people working in or visiting neighbouring units and shops and when representing CFBS at other functions.

I will not:

- Wear street shoes into the studio
- Leave my rubbish for someone else to pick up
- Be disruptive or misbehave whilst waiting outside the studio
- Cause unfavorable attention to myself or CFBS within the studio or whilst representing CFBS