

LONG BEACH BALLET ACADEMY - Tuition Policies 2021-2022

Annual Registration

All new, returning and continuing students pay the annual registration fee of \$20.00 per student each September (unless previously paid after March 2021). By paying the registration fee, families agree to the following:

Year-Round Class Tuition – Monthly September 2021 to August 2022

Tuition is due prior to the student's first class of each month. A late fee of \$10.00 applies to payments received after the 7th (an additional \$15 fee applies to payments received after the 15th). Pre-Ballet and Children level classes missed due to school holidays, rehearsal weeks, illness, or any other absence may be made up in another class of the same level and must be in addition to the student's regular classes during any month for which regular tuition has been paid. A make-up class may be scheduled up to 4 times per school year. Tuition is due year-round and is not pro-rated for partial attendance or holidays— except for pro-rating in August due to Summer Break and in December for students not participating in *The Nutcracker* production. **Tuition is nonrefundable.** Continuous attendance is expected for all students in order to progress through the Academy. Students absent for one month or more will be re-evaluated for placement and must re-register prior to returning to class. Siblings receive a 10% discount on monthly tuition. There is an additional 10% discount when paying in advance for a period (Sept-Jan and/or Feb-Jun). We do not send invoices – convenient online payments are accepted. Automatic tuition payments may be set-up by completing an *Automatic Payment Form*. *Auto-Pay* is recommended to avoid late charges -- “auto-pay” runs continuously through June 2022 – the months of July and August are paid separately. There is a \$15.00 fee for returned checks. *Tuition paid by charter school purchase order is not eligible for discounts.

Fundraising

Long Beach Ballet is a non-profit organization and relies on donated income for its on-going programs. Tuition alone does not cover all of these expenses. All families are urged to participate in the school's fundraising efforts.

Performances

Current continuing students are eligible to participate in both *The Nutcracker* in December and the annual school performance in the Spring upon payment of a performance participation fee for each production. Tuition and class attendance must be current through the months of June & December to participate in each performance.

	required class(es)	Monthly Sep-Aug	PRE-PAYMENT OPTION*	
		Dec & Aug are pro-rated Tuition/Month	5 months (Sep* or Feb) *full December	4.5 months (Sep) no Nutcracker participation
Pre-Ballet	1 class per week	\$68.00	\$306.00	\$275.40
Children Level 1 & 2	1 class per week	\$77.00	\$346.50	\$311.85
Children Level 3	2 classes per week	\$142.00	\$639.00	\$575.10
Academy Level 1	2 classes per week	\$150.00	\$675.00	\$607.50
Academy Level 2	3 classes per week	\$215.00	\$967.50	\$870.75
Academy Level 3	4 classes per week	\$290.00	\$1,305.00	\$1,174.50
Academy Level 4	5 classes per week	\$335.00	\$1,507.50	\$1,356.75
Academy Level 5	5+ classes per week	\$345.00	\$1,552.50	\$1,397.25
A5 +Variations	5+ classes per week	\$385.00	\$1,732.50	\$1,559.25
Academy Level 6/7	5+ classes per week	\$360.00	\$1,620.00	\$1,458.00
A6/7 +Variations	5+ classes per week	\$400.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,620.00
Jr. Company	5+ classes per week	\$420.00	\$2,304.00	<-6 months
Jr. Company +Variations	5+ classes per week	\$460.00	\$2,520.00	<-6 months
Company	5+ classes per week	\$510.00	\$2,370.00	-
Company +Variations	5+ classes per week	\$550.00	\$2,550.00	-

Tuition for July & August is paid month to month

pre-paid tuition is non-refundable