

# VIRGINIA TANNER CREATIVE DANCE

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**Our Philosophy:** Virginia Tanner (1915-1979), a pioneer in the world of children's dance, was guided by the premise that: "The motivating force behind my work is not only developing excellent dancers, but more importantly, developing young people who are useful, imaginative, worthwhile human beings." This philosophy is the foundation of the Virginia Tanner Creative Dance Program. Classes take a holistic approach to teaching and learning, respecting each dancer's individual ability and needs. The studio is a sanctuary for children, a place where they can step into an environment that nurtures positive growth and development while gaining the technical skills of dance.

**What is Creative Dance at the Tanner Studio?** Our dance classes focus on the whole child. Through movement exploration, dancers reach progressive levels of physical skill and are taught the vocabulary of dance. Exploring the creativity and imagination of childhood, dancers have the opportunity to improvise, engage in creative problem solving and grow in cognitive, social and emotional ways as they interact in class. In the Virginia Tanner Creative Dance Program, each class has a musical accompanist to expose dancers to a variety of musical genres.

## 2009 CALENDAR

Summer Scholarship applications due in the office by 5:00 pm	May 22, 2009
Summer five-week session begins	June 15, 2009
CDT at the Utah Arts Festival performance of <i>COMING HOME</i>	June 2009
Holiday, no classes held	July 3-4, 2009
Summer five-week session ends	July 18, 2009
Fall session	August 24-December 12, 2009
Spring session	January 4-May 1, 2010

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Tuition is due, paid in full, at the time of registration.

**Online:** Register by accessing our Web site and entering the dancer's information. You can access the site 7 days a week/24 hours a day at [www.tannerdance.utah.edu](http://www.tannerdance.utah.edu).

**In Person:** Register at the Virginia Tanner Dance Building Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**By Mail:** Send signed, completed registration form with American Express, Discover, MasterCard, or VISA information or check/money order made payable in full to the **University of Utah** to:

**Virginia Tanner Creative Dance Program**  
 1901 E South Campus Dr. Room #1215  
 Salt Lake City, UT 84112-9359

**By FAX:** Send signed, completed registration form with American Express, Discover, MasterCard, or VISA information to (801) 581-4091.

**Placement:** Register your preschool child for the age he/she will be on the first day of dance class. Children in school will be placed at their Fall 2009 school grade level. Class lists will be posted outside the studios on the first day of class. If your child's name does not appear on the list, please come to the office.

**Class Changes:** Class changes are made as enrollment demands. You will be notified if there are any changes in the schedule. If fewer than the minimum number enroll, the class will be cancelled and you will be invited to select an alternative class. If an alternative is not available, you will receive a full credit or refund.

**Make-Up Class Policy:** Because our classes are taught sequentially and most of them are at maximum capacity, we cannot accommodate a dancer for a make-up session.

**Scholarships:** Limited scholarships are available for children kindergarten through high school age. Application forms are available online. Contact the studio office for more information.

**Lost or Stolen Items:** The Virginia Tanner Creative Dance Program cannot accept responsibility for lost or stolen items. There is a lost-and-found box in the dressing room area and small lost-and-found items are in the studio office. Periodically lost and found items will be donated to charity.

## WITHDRAWAL POLICY

- Withdrawals and refund requests must be made by the parent(s) or guardian(s) to the studio office.
- 100% less a \$10 processing fee by the first day of class.
- After the first day of class refunds will be made on a case by case basis.

## VISITOR POLICY

Parents are invited to observe their child's first class of each session. As the session comes to a close, parents will be invited to observe and/or participate in their dancer's last class. Please make child-care arrangements for siblings and other children. **The parking lot will be paid for by the studio for these days only.** Please turn off pagers and cell phones before entering class. To maintain a positive teaching environment, classes during the remainder of the session are closed to visitors and are for registered participants only.

## DRESS

Dancers should wear leotards with footless tights or unitards to class; boys may wear T-shirts with tights or shorts. Students dance barefoot, except for the ballet class where ballet slippers are required. Ballet students: girls are required to wear black leotards, pink tights, and pink ballet shoes. Boys may wear T-shirts with tights or shorts and black ballet shoes. No street shoes are allowed on studio floors.

## SUMMER DANCE CAMPS

Participants will explore a variety of styles of dance such as ballet, hip hop/jazz and modern. Dancers may have the opportunity to create dances, learn repertory pieces and share finished works. Dance Camps 1 and 2 include visual art classes. Dance Intensive Camps are dance only.

CLASS	DAY	TIME	TUITION	CODE
<b>DANCE CAMP 1 — JULY 6 - 10</b>				
Tuition includes a materials fee for art.				
3rd-4th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	156.00	DC101-U09
5th-6th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	156.00	DC102-U09
3rd-4th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	156.00	DC103-U09
5th-6th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	156.00	DC104-U09
<b>DANCE CAMP 2 — JULY 13 - 17</b>				
Tuition includes a materials fee for art.				
3rd-4th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	156.00	DC105-U09
5th-6th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	156.00	DC106-U09
<b>DANCE INTENSIVE A — JUNE 29 - JULY 2</b>				
3rd-5th grade	M-Th	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	112.00	DI201-U09
6th-8th grade	M-Th	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	112.00	DI202-U09
9th-12th grade	M-Th	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	112.00	DI203-U09
<b>DANCE INTENSIVE B — JULY 13 - 17</b>				
6th-8th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	140.00	DI204-U09
9th-12th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	140.00	DI205-U09
<b>DANCE INTENSIVE C — AUGUST 3 - 7</b>				
3rd-5th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	140.00	DI206-U09
6th-8th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	140.00	DI207-U09
9th-12th grade	M-F	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	140.00	DI208-U09
3rd-5th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	140.00	DI209-U09
6th-8th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	140.00	DI210-U09
9th-12th grade	M-F	1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	140.00	DI211-U09

## SUMMER 2009 CLASS SCHEDULE

### SUMMER SESSION JUNE 15 - JULY 18, 2009

Classes are one hour unless noted.

## CREATIVE ARTS

Tanner Dance offers a variety of classes through its Creative Arts Program that nurtures an appreciation of music, visual arts, and theatre.

**Arts for the Young** is designed to give children, kindergarten to 2nd grade, an opportunity to experience dance, visual art and new this year – music.

CLASS	DAY	TIME	TUITION	CODE
K-1st grade	T/Th	9:00 am-12:00 pm	410.00	AY101-U09
2nd grade	T/Th	9:00 am-12:00 pm	410.00	AY201-U09

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**Visual Art** for ages 1st-3rd grade, students will explore the elements of art and creativity.

1st-3rd grade	Tuesday	2:00 pm	70.00	VA101-U09
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**Kindermusik®Adventures Summer Camp** draws on the child's natural curiosity and nurtures it to support each child's creative potential. Using a combined approach with music, movement, storytelling, pretend play, drama and art, **Kindermusik® Adventures** stimulates imagination, spontaneity, curiosity and a love of music.

"Creatures in My Backyard" for ages 1½-3 years with parent/caregiver present for the entire class on Monday, 6/15, 6/22, 6/29, 7/6, and 7/13 from 12:30-1:30 pm.  
 Tuition: \$120.00 Class Code KM101-U09  
 Includes a \$35.00 materials fee.

"Around the World" for ages 4-7 years with parent/caregiver present for the final 30 minutes of class on Monday, 6/15, 6/22, 6/29, 7/6, and 7/13 from 2:00-3:30 pm.  
 Tuition: \$140.00 Class Code KM102-U09  
 Includes a \$35.00 materials fee.

Classes will be taught by certified Kindermusik® instructor, Maria Baldwin.



## PRESCHOOL AGE DANCE CLASSES

<i>Parent/Tot 18 month-2 ½ years (Date of Birth must be prior to 12/15/2007)</i>				
	Saturday	9:00-9:45 am	62.00	V1801-U09
<i>Parent/Tot 2 ½ - 3 ½ years (Date of Birth must be prior to 12/15/2006)</i>				
	Monday	10:00 am	82.00	V101-U09
	Wednesday	10:00 am	82.00	V102-U09
	Saturday	10:00 am	66.00	V103-U09
3½-4 years	Monday	9:00 am	68.00	V201-U09
3½-4 years	Saturday	9:00 am	54.00	V202-U09
4-5 years	Tuesday	9:00 am	68.00	V1701-U09
4-5 years	Wednesday	11:00 am	68.00	V1702-U09
4-5 years	Thursday	9:00 am	68.00	V1703-U09

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AGE DANCE CLASSES

Kindergarten	Saturday	10:00 am	54.00	V501-U09
1st-2nd grade	Saturday	11:00 am	54.00	V802-U09
3rd-4th grade	Saturday	12:00 pm	54.00	V901-U09
1st-3rd grade	T/Th	1:00 pm	140.00	V801-U09

You can register for visual art on Tuesday at 2:00 pm for an additional one hour class.

## NEW! KIDS ON THE MOVE

Participants will begin with a dance class at the Tanner Studio followed by a variety of physical activities such as ultimate frisbee, hiking, tennis basics and a visit to museums on the University of Utah campus. Participants will bring a sack lunch to eat after returning to the studio.

1st-6th grade	Friday	9:00 am-12:30 pm	204.00	KOM101-U09
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## NEW! CONSERVATORY CLASS

For ages 7th-12th grade, this class will offer intermediate/advanced level Ballet, Jazz, Modern and instruction in "The Healthy Dancer". Each week will provide four hours of instruction in various dance forms and culminate with a compositional piece.

7th-12th grade	T/Th	2:00-4:00 pm	272.00	V1901-U09
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## ADULT CLASSES

Yoga	T/Th	12:00 pm	154.00	Y101-U09
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## ALL BOYS CLASS

Class will resume in Fall 2009/Spring 2010.

## BALLET CLASS

Ballet classes are offered in the Summer Dance Camps.

## HIP HOP/JAZZ CLASS

5th-7th grade	Friday	1:00 pm	68.00	V1601-U09
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## DANCERS WITH DISABILITIES

Dance classes for students with various disabilities.

3-6 years	Wednesday	9:00 am	25.00	V1401-U09
7-10 years	Saturday	11:00 am	25.00	V1402-U09

## SATELLITE LOCATIONS

**BOUNTIFUL** – Stoker School, 75 East 200 South  
 Classes will resume in Fall 2009/Spring 2010.

**OGDEN** – Eccles Community Center, 2580 Jefferson Avenue  
 3½-5 years Thursday 3:00 pm 68.00 S201-U09  
 K-2nd grade Thursday 4:00 pm 68.00 S202-U09  
 3rd-5th grade Thursday 5:00 pm 68.00 S203-U09

**PARK CITY** – The Colby School, 3700 North Highway 224  
 3½-5 years Wednesday 1:00 pm 68.00 S301-U09  
 K-2nd grade Wednesday 2:00 pm 68.00 S302-U09  
 3rd-5th grade Wednesday 3:00 pm 68.00 S303-U09

**ROOSEVELT** – Classes will resume in Fall 2009/Spring 2010.

**SANDY** – U of U Building, 9875 South 240 West  
 3½-5 years Wednesday 2:30 pm 68.00 S401-U09  
 K-2nd grade Wednesday 3:30 pm 68.00 S402-U09

