# PARENT & STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

**New Era Dancers Professional Standards for Dance Educators** 

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New Era Dancers — Expectations for a Safe, Respectful & Professional Environment\*\*

This Code of Conduct outlines the expectations for students and parents participating in classes, workshops, and programs offered by New Era Dancers.

Our goal is to maintain a safe, respectful, and supportive environment where every dancer can grow with confidence, integrity, and wellbeing.

#### 1. Respectful Behavior

Students and parents agree to:

- treat teachers, classmates, staff, and families with respect;
- use positive, polite, and supportive language;
- avoid disruptive or disrespectful behavior inside and outside the studio;
- respect studio guidelines, equipment, and shared spaces.

### 2. Punctuality & Attendance

- Arrive on time for class and rehearsals.
- Notify the teacher in advance of absences or delays.
- Ensure the student is properly dressed, warmed up when required, and ready to begin.

#### 3. Dress Code & Personal Care

- Follow the dress code appropriate for each class.
- Maintain clean attire, hair properly secured, and shoes in good condition.
- Avoid jewelry or accessories that may cause injuries.
- Prioritize hygiene and safety for everyone in the studio.

#### 4. Commitment to a Safe & Healthy Environment

Parents and students agree to:

- report injuries, discomfort, or health concerns to the teacher immediately;
- refrain from attending class when ill;
- follow safety instructions and corrections responsibly;
- respect the studio's Safeguarding & Child Protection Policy.

#### 5. Communication with Teachers

- Use approved communication channels only.
- Keep messages concise, respectful, and related to class or student development.
- Avoid discussing conflicts or concerns during lesson time schedule a proper conversation if needed.
- Maintain healthy boundaries between parents, students, and instructors.

#### 6. Digital Conduct & Privacy

- Do not record, film, or photograph classes without permission from the teacher.
- Respect the privacy of other students.
- Only share approved content on social media.
- Personal messages between students and teachers are not permitted outside official channels.

#### 7. Positive Learning Atmosphere

#### Students agree to:

- try their best, with discipline and curiosity;
- accept corrections respectfully;
- avoid comparisons, competition, gossip, or exclusion of peers;
- support classmates and celebrate collective progress.

#### Parents agree to:

- encourage their child's learning without pressure, criticism, or unrealistic expectations;
- avoid coaching from the sidelines or interrupting class;
- trust the teacher's expertise and decisions regarding student development.

#### 8. Forbidden Behaviors

The following are strictly prohibited:

- bullying, intimidation, or exclusion;
- verbal aggression or disrespect from students or parents;
- disruptions during class;
- entering the studio without authorization;
- undermining the teacher's authority;
- posting negative or harmful content about students or instructors online.

## 9. Responsibility & Cooperation

Parents and students understand that:

- the studio's priority is safety, wellbeing, and artistic development;
- respectful cooperation is essential for progress;
- consistent attendance and attitude influence results;
- safeguarding concerns must be reported immediately.

#### 10. Agreement

By participating in New Era Dancers programs, classes, or activities, students and parents acknowledge that they:

- understand and agree to this Code of Conduct;
- value a safe, respectful, and harmonious learning environment;
- commit to upholding the principles of wellbeing, integrity, and positive artistic growth.

"New Era Dancers maintains a respectful, safe, and professional environment.

All students and parents follow our Code of Conduct to support wellbeing, integrity, and ethical learning."





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New Era Dancers follows international safeguarding guidelines to ensure a safe, respectful, and supportive environment for all students.

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