

*Welcome to the Hiland Family! The following information will be your guide to a safe and successful year.*

### **We ask that you respect the rules of the Hiland**

- Consistent and timely attendance is necessary for your student's success and eligibility to perform. Please notify the Hiland office at 340-0200 if your child will be absent
- Parking in the red zone is not allowed
- Students must be picked up no later than 15 minutes after their last class
- Students must be signed out by a parent/guardian
- Theft, vandalism, violence, bullying, drug or alcohol use or other harmful or inappropriate behavior is grounds for dismissal from the program

### **Dress Code**

- Hair must be secured off the face and neck for all classes. Ballet students should wear a bun.
- Girls' ballet attire:** pink tights, black leotard of any style, pink ballet slippers. \*Girls 12 and older should wear a sports bra
- Girls' jazz, tap, and hip-hop:** black jazz pants, black leotard or camisole, black jazz or tap shoes, sneakers for hip-hop. \*Girls 12 and older should wear a sports bra
- Girls' modern:** black leotard and footless tights, bare feet. \*Girls 12 and older should wear a sports bra.
- Boys' ballet and modern:** black tights or shorts and a solid black or white close-fitting shirt, black ballet shoes, bare feet for modern. \*Boys 12 or older should wear a dance belt
- Boys' jazz, tap, and hip-hop:** black jazz pants, a solid black or white close-fitting shirt, jazz or tap shoes, sneakers for hip-hop. \*Boys 12 or older should wear a dance belt

### **Inclement Weather Policy**

We do not necessarily follow the Albuquerque Public School snow policy. Snow closures will be announced by 2:00pm on our website [www.ndi-nm.org](http://www.ndi-nm.org) or call 340-0200 for the latest information

### **Programs Offered**

#### **Junior Level Classes (28 weeks – Classes begin on September 4- April 12 and 13, 2019)**

- Junior Level Showcase: April 12 and 13, 2019
  - April 12 at 6:00pm
  - April 13 at 4:30 and 6:00 pm
- Participating classes:
  - Pre-Ballet, Pre-Tap, Pre-Jazz, Pre-Hip Hop
  - Ballet I, Hip Hop I, Jazz I, Musical Theater I, Tap I

#### **Senior Level Performance Classes (33 weeks: September 4 - May 24 and 25, 2019)**

- Senior Level Showcase: May 24 and 25, 2019 at 7:00 pm
- Participating classes
  - Ballet I+, Ballet II+
  - Ballet II, Ballet III, and Ballet IV
  - Boys Ballet 1, 2 and 3

- Hip Hop II, Hip Hop III and Hip Hop IV
- Jazz II, Jazz III
- Modern II, Modern III, Modern IV
- Musical Theater 2-Voice
- Tap II, Tap III/IV

**Teen Ballet Class is a NON-PERFORMING CLASS** (28 weeks- September 4 to April 13, 2019)

**Creative Movement Classes** (33 weeks – September 4– May 18, 2019)

- Creative Movement Informal Showing: May 18<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am
- Girls’ Creative Movement attire: Black leotard of any style and ballet pink tights, skirt/tutu optional, pink ballet slippers
- Boys’ Creative Movement attire: shorts, close fitting white or black shirt, black ballet shoes

## **2018-2019 HILAND IMPORTANT DATES**

### **Fall Registration**

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| □ Returning Families | August 11 |
| □ New Families       | August 13 |

### **FALL**

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| □ Labor Day- NO CLASSES                 | September 3           |
| □ <b>First Day of Classes</b>           | <b>September 4</b>    |
| □ Invite a Friend                       | September 24-29       |
| □ Halloween- NO CLASSES                 | October 31            |
| □ Watch Week                            | November 5-10         |
| □ Thanksgiving Break- <i>NO CLASSES</i> | November 21-25        |
| □ <b>Dance-a Thon</b>                   | <b>December 1</b>     |
| □ Winter Break- <i>NO CLASSES</i>       | December 17 January 1 |
| □ The Hiland classes resume             | January 2             |

### **SPRING**

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| □ Martin Luther King Day- <i>NO CLASSES</i> | January 21                     |
| □ Presidents Day- <i>NO CLASSES</i>         | February 18                    |
| □ <b>Winter Dance Escape</b>                | February 22 and 23             |
| □ Watch Week                                | Mar 11-16                      |
| □ Spring Break- <i>NO CLASSES</i>           | April 1-6                      |
| □ <b>Junior Showcase</b>                    | <b>April 12 and 13</b>         |
| □ Summer Registration Begins                | April 15                       |
| □ Easter Weekend- <i>NO CLASSES</i>         | April 19 and 20                |
| □ NDI Event Weeks                           | TBD (Hiland Modified Schedule) |
| □ <b>Event Gala</b>                         | <b>TBD</b>                     |
| □ <b>Creative Movement Showing</b>          | <b>May 18</b>                  |
| □ APS ENDS                                  | May 24                         |
| □ <b>Senior Showcase</b>                    | <b>May 24 and 25</b>           |
| □ Memorial Day- <i>Offices Closed</i>       | May 28                         |

For more detailed information, download the handbook at [www.ndi-nm.org](http://www.ndi-nm.org)