REGISTER FOR CLASSES TODAY AT RWB.ORG/REGISTER
We are excited to celebrate our rich history and share our passion and knowledge with our students as we enter our 80th season. Over this next year, the RWB School Recreational Division will collaborate with the RWB Company as we share this anniversary and celebrate our past achievements and future endeavours.

From the first day of classes to our treasured Nutcracker holiday traditions, this thrilling season culminates with a brand-new production of Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland for our year-end production, Dance Spectrum. This will be a season to remember!

The Recreational Division provides students of all ages the opportunity to learn and explore different dance disciplines from instructors who are leaders within the dance community and at the top of their careers, while our unique relationship with the RWB Company allows all our students the opportunity to thrive in a creative environment.

We strive to inspire and build confidence both on and off the stage and believe that teaching, creating and performing exceptional dance enriches lives. We look forward to celebrating our 80th season with you.

NICOLE KEPP
RECREATIONAL DIVISION PRINCIPAL
WE CAN’T WAIT!
Registration starts June 19
Classes start September 8

RWB SCHOOL STUDENT BENEFITS

· No additional recital costume fees
· No GST for preschooler, children & teen classes
· Exclusive performance opportunities with the RWB Company
· Discounts on RWB tickets & merchandise
· Subsidized pricing for boys ages 3-15
· Discounted downtown parking during classes
Preschoolers

Movers & Shakers
3 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Movers & Shakers is an introductory creative movement program designed specifically for 3-year-olds. In the first half of the program, parents and children move, shake, and explore together. In the second part of the year, littles ones participate independently, building on their newly developed confidence and love of moving to the music. Movers & Shakers starts to build children’s basic motor and listening skills, spatial awareness, independence, and coordination, through songs, rhythms, and stories.

Creative Movement
4-5 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

In Creative Movement, children experience dance and music through fun and imaginative play. Treasure hunts, jungle safaris, and outer-space missions are just some of the many adventures awaiting our young explorers! Creative Movement improves basic motor and listening skills, spatial awareness, independence, and coordination through improvisation. Combination classes with an introduction to ballet, jazz, and tap are available for 5-year-olds.

Boys

Mighty Movers 4-5 YEARS

Mighty Movers is a Creative Movement class designed specifically for young boys.

Power Movers 6-7 YEARS

Power Movers is an introductory ballet class designed specifically for boys. In this class, children begin to develop the balance, posture, flexibility, focus, strength, discipline, and self-confidence required for all dance forms.

Ballet Level 1 & 2 8-9 YEARS

Designed specifically for boys, this ballet class builds on skills introduced in Power Movers and explores elements of precision, agility, and fluidity.

*AGE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2019
Children & Teens

Ballet  
6-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Ballet is a classical art form that explores the strength and beauty of dance. Students develop the balance, posture, flexibility, focus, strength, discipline, and self-confidence required for all dance forms. They further develop the precision, agility, and fluidity of movement that ballet is known for the world over. The RWB School follows the Cecchetti method of classical ballet training and classes are offered at beginner through to advanced levels.

Pointe  
12-17 YEARS | GIRLS

A unique and specialized technique, pointe work is an extension of ballet specifically for female students. Pointe work demands a specific kind of physical strength and flexibility in the structure of a student’s foot, as well as overall strength in ballet technique. As such, this class is available to students in Ballet Level 5A or higher by invitation only. Students enrolled in any level of pointe must take two additional ballet technique classes per week at the RWB School.

Jazz  
6-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Jazz is a diverse, powerful, and dynamic dance style that improves overall coordination and flexibility. In a fast-paced, challenging, and fun environment, students learn jazz dance technique and practise dance combinations set to jazz music and current pop hits.

Lyrical  
13-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Lyrical is a style of jazz focusing on self-expression and utilizing ballet, jazz, and modern technique. Set to modern music, this class focuses on smooth movement styles and gestures that emphasize the lyrics in songs. To register for this class, students must take a minimum of one jazz class and one ballet class per week.

Modern  
12-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Modern dance is a structured discipline focusing on the principles of tension and relaxation, fall and recovery, contraction and release, and suspension. In this class, students explore a wide range of movement, increase their flexibility, and acquire keen body awareness.

Tap  
6-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Tap dancers create rhythms and sounds using the metal taps on the soles of their shoes. In this class, students learn tap dance technique and practise combinations set to a wide range of music styles. Tap dance classes help students develop coordination, rhythm, and concentration.

Musical Theatre  
7-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Musical Theatre combines theatre skills such as acting and voice work with distinct dance elements. In this class, students develop performance skills through the rehearsing and performing of excerpts from musicals. It is strongly recommended that musical theatre students also register for a ballet, jazz, and/or tap class.

Hip Hop  
8-17 YEARS | BOYS & GIRLS

Hip hop is a high energy dance class that explores the different street dance styles. Primarily performed to hip hop music, students will explore the versatility of this dance discipline through the history and evolution of the hip hop culture.

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**Intensive Training Program** **BY INVITATION OR AUDITION ONLY**

The Intensive Training Program provides a specialized training environment for students who demonstrate ability for intense training in classical ballet and other related disciplines, and are passionate about dance. Due to the accelerated nature of the program, a high level of commitment is required, and attendance is extremely important.

Ballet classes are supported by training in other dance disciplines such as pointe, conditioning, modern, and participation in RWB School Dance Ensembles where students perform in competitions, festivals, and community events throughout the year.

**Dance Ensemble** **BY INVITATION OR AUDITION ONLY**

Dance Ensembles provide a unique performance opportunity for students with a high level of commitment and who demonstrated ability in specific dance disciplines. Students work closely with award-winning choreographers, and perform new creations in festivals and competitions.

Dance Ensembles are offered within the Intensive Training Program for ballet, jazz, tap, hip hop, and musical theatre. Over the years students have performed with Mini Pop Kids, the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra, Rainbow Stage, Canada Summer Games, Nuit Blanche, and many more!

**BALLET EXAMINATIONS** in the Cecchetti method of classical ballet training provide standardized evaluations to ensure your child’s ballet training is on-par with the rest of the country.

**Adults**

**Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop & Modern**

The adult dance program celebrates the art of dance in everyone, from those who have never tried dance before to those who have been dancing for their entire lives. Qualified teachers challenge students to build new skills, develop their technique and keep moving – all while having fun!

**CAN’T SIGN UP FOR THE FULL YEAR?** You can drop by for a class in September and October, then again in March through May.
EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITIES

Only RWB School students are invited to audition for Royal Winnipeg Ballet productions in Winnipeg.

They also enjoy exclusive opportunities to perform with the other Winnipeg arts and culture organizations like Rainbow Stage and Mini Pop Kids and at community events such as the Canada Summer Games and Ballet in the Park.

Alumni of our School have gone on to careers on Broadway, Rainbow Stage, and with Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre. They have continued their education with Arts Umbrella, Goh Ballet, Alberta Ballet, Boston Conservatory, and the School of Contemporary Dancers.
NEW FOR THE 2019/20 SEASON

Register for adult classes online!

No need to schedule an appointment or drop off forms in person, just visit rwb.org/register starting June 19.*

Registration & Tuition

New Students

Starting Tuesday, May 21 at 10 am, new student families can log on to rwb.org/register to make a registration appointment. Registration appointments run from June 19-27 during which time every family will have the benefit of an in-person consultation with RWB School Artistic Faculty and administrative staff. Using this approach, we can ensure that every student is provided an individualized dance schedule that is custom-tailored to meet their needs, and that no one waits in line.

Class registrations are subject to availability and many classes fill up quickly. The RWB School has a waitlist system, however we strongly encourage all families to book the earliest possible appointment to increase their chances of enrolling in preferred classes.

All registration appointments are held at the RWB at 380 Graham Avenue.

UNABLE TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT IN JUNE? NO PROBLEM! The RWB School Office will continue to accept in person class registrations until October 1.

Current Students

Current student families have first choice on registration appointments. The RWB School Office will send detailed registration instructions by email.

Discounts

No GST on preschooler, children & teen classes! No additional recital costume fees! Save 10% when enrolled in 2-4 classes. Save 25% when enrolled in 5 or more classes.

Payment Options

2, 3 and 4 split payment options are available with a non-refundable fee of $25. Payments are due at time of registration, August 15, September 15 and October 15.

Movers & Shakers

Boys Subsidized Tuition

ALL OTHER CLASSES

FULL YEAR  |  SEPTEMBER-JUNE  |  35 WEEKS

45 MINUTE CLASS $525  |  60 MINUTE CLASS $599  |  75 MINUTE CLASS $672
90 MINUTE CLASS $737  |  DROP-IN CLASS $20
REGISTRATION FEE $25
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