



COVID 19 SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND RISK ASSESSMENT

All classes at A-Stars Dance and Acrobatic Academy will be conducted according to the appropriate Government Guidelines with the safety of the students, staff and others as the paramount concern. They will be amended where necessary and kept up to date.

- All classes will be capped appropriately dependant on venue sizes and age. These students will become a bubble - Bubbles of students will not mix with other bubbles.
- All venues will be cleaned by the Principal at the start of every night on arrival, in between each class and at the end of the night of classes. Therefore a 5 minute gap between classes will be allowed for this cleaning process.
- Students will have to wait outside the venue before each class and be collected by the class assistant to enter the building for the class.
- Every student will need to wash their hands thoroughly before each lesson. Antibacterial gel can be used during water breaks if students wish to do so.
- During the class, mitigation actions will be taken to reduce the risk of transmission between staff and other students.
- All venues will be well ventilated during lessons by keeping windows and doors open where possible.
- There will be no waiting rooms for parents/carers available to use while lessons are undertaken.
- Students should bring as little as possible with them. Ideally just a drink of water and themselves.
- There will be no use of changing room facilities at any venue. Students are required to turn up in appropriate dance wear to lessons and go home in this outfit too.
- Cash payments are minimised, using BACS payment as much as possible for transactions.
- Please do not come to lessons if you, or anyone in your household is feeling unwell or show symptoms. In this case, it is your responsibility to contact the Principal as soon as possible. The appropriate process will be actioned.
- Online lessons may have to be taken as a short term measure at last minute to replace face-to-face lessons. Reasons for this could be: If a venue becomes unavailable to hire, a staff member shows symptoms. As much warning as possible will be given. Refunds will only be given if classes are cancelled and not replaced at all.
- During an emergency and first aid is required to be administered, social distancing will be broken.

SMSD Privacy Notice, Reviewed annually - This policy was last reviewed in August 2022.