



**ASHEVILLE**  
*Performing Arts*  
**ACADEMY**

# 2021 - 2022 Class Schedule

We have a few important changes to our programs this year to maintain social distancing. In order to keep class sizes small and groups separate, we have devised the following schedule:

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## Junior Company

6th-8th Grade

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### Intermediate/Advance Artists in 6th-8th Grade

- Dance
  - Tuesdays 4:30 - 6:00
- Acting
  - Tuesdays 6:00 - 7:30
- Company Rehearsal
  - Thurs. 4:30 - 7:30
  - Saturdays 10:00 - 2:00\*

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## Company

9th-12th Grade

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### Intermediate/Advance Artists in 9th-12th Grade

- Dance
  - Tuesdays 6:00 - 7:30
- Acting
  - Tuesdays 4:30 - 6:00
- Company Rehearsal
  - Thursdays 4:30 - 7:30
  - Saturdays 10:00 - 2:00\*

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## Productions

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**All Together Now - November 2021**

**Matilda - May 2022**

**Little Women - April 2022**



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## PAYMENT STRUCTURE

Tuition for Company is \$3,250.00 for the year. This includes weekly classes and all of the production costs for the different shows. There are additional immersions and workshops offered throughout the year for an additional cost.

## PAYMENT OPTIONS

Tuition: \$3,250.00 per year

Available Payment Plans:

- 1 Payment - \$250 discount, total payment \$3,000
- 10 Payments - 10 monthly payments of \$325

Sibling Discounts and Financial Aid are Available. To apply for financial aid, please click [here](#).

## METHODS

We accept:

- Cash
- Check
- Automatic Withdrawal

Families who choose the monthly or quarterly options are required to pay with automatic withdrawal

## PAYMENT TERMS

- Tuition is not based on monthly membership format, however the APAA provides different options to fit each family's needs.
- Tuition is non-refundable after the first two weeks of the year. Students who choose not to participate in the program after two weeks are required to finish out payments for the remaining months of the program.
- Tuition will not be reduced or canceled due to classes being offered in an online format.

# STUDIO POLICIES



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- Class sizes are limited to 25 students and staggered to allow cleaning between programs.
- Actors show ANY symptoms of illness WILL NOT be permitted in the studio. Instructors reserve the right to ask an actor to leave class if they are ill.
- The COVID-19 vaccine is not required but strongly recommended and preferred for eligible students. All students and staff must wear a mask regardless of vaccination status. We will provide a "mask-break" area outdoors for students and staff.
- Actors will be permitted to enter the studio 5 minutes before their scheduled class time, NO earlier. Please do not enter the studio without your instructor's permission.
- Actors are asked to bring small dance bags to class with only the necessary items they need for class - i.e. shoes, tape, etc. Actors are asked to bring reusable water bottles from home. Please put your name on the water bottle to avoid mixing drinks accidentally.
- Students may bring food to consume during break periods. Food may not be shared with other actors. Snacks may be purchased from the camp pantry.
- Please note there is no fridge or microwave on site. Actors must wash their hands after eating.

# EXPOSURE POLICIES

- If an actor or family member has been potentially exposed to COVID-19, the actor must be symptom free for 10 days before returning to class.
- Students are NOT permitted to attend class if any member of their household presents symptoms or tests positive. They may return to class once the household has been symptom free for 14 days.
- Families must notify APAA within 24 hours of potential exposure or symptoms appearing. Please send an email to [heather@theapaa.com](mailto:heather@theapaa.com).

These policies have been updated on August 15, 2021. Should anything change with our studio distancing policies, all students in the Asheville location will be notified immediately. If you have any question, please contact Heather Gallagher directly at [heather@theapaa.com](mailto:heather@theapaa.com).

# PARENTS

- Parents/siblings may walk their children into the building and may wait on the loading dock. Only actors registered with the APAA will be permitted in the studio during their designated class time.
- Our studio restrooms will only be available to students taking classes.
- Parents are asked to wait in or by their cars instead of congregating in the studio during class release times. Instructors will walk all classes out to the lobby and loading dock.
- Parents, please email Heather with any questions. If you would like to have a meeting via Zoom, this must be scheduled in advance.