

Angmering School of Dance



Code of Conduct

Everyone must adhere to the Code of Conduct.

Angmering School of Dance is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all its' participants and believes that it is important that all pupils, teachers, administrators, volunteers and parents/carers associated with the Dance School should at all time show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others.

All associated with Angmering School of Dance must

- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of age, gender, ability, size, race, cultural background, religious beliefs, impairment or sexual orientation.
- Keep to agreed timings for sessions or inform the Principal if they are going to be late or not able to attend.
- Wear appropriate attire whilst representing the Dance School and all pupils must have correct uniform during lessons, including no jewellery to be worn and hair to be neatly tied back at all times (ie bun for ballet).
- Not smoke, consume alcohol or take illegal drugs whilst on premises.
- Behave in an appropriate manner. Any anti-social behaviour or bullying will not be tolerated and you will be given a warning. If unacceptable behaviour continues you will be asked to leave.

Pupils/Participants-

- All pupils should ensure they have used the toilet facilities before the session commences to limit disruption during the lesson.
- Encourage and support other pupils of Angmering School of Dance.
- All are expected to maintain a high standard of behaviour when representing Angmering School of Dance at other venues, during workshops, and performances.
- Listen and show respect to all teachers when being spoken to and when advice is being given on dance technique
- Not leave the premises unaccompanied (by an adult), if under 16 years of age, without prior written agreement
- If you are feeling unwell or are injured in any way you should inform the teacher at the start of the session or as and when an injury occurs
- Speak to your teacher or the principal of Angmering School of Dance if a problem of any sorts has arisen during any of your sessions. If you feel you cannot talk to any of the above please contact our Child Welfare Officer Mrs Claire Hind on 07703059738

Work hard, Learn, laugh, have fun, DANCE

Parents-

- Please ensure your child has used the toilet facilities before the session commences to limit disruption during the lesson
- For child protection reasons Parents should wait outside the studio whilst lessons are taking place unless access has arranged with the teacher beforehand
- Please treat all teachers and volunteers with respect
- Make sure you provide your child with a drink
- Support your child in their dancing up to whatever level they choose to participate at
- Share any concerns on problems that have arisen through the appropriate channels (see complaint procedure)

Teachers/volunteers/administration

- All teachers and volunteers have a duty of care to pupils of Angmering School of Dance and adhere to the West Sussex County Council and IDTA child protection policy
- All teachers and/or volunteers must report any incidents that may have arisen during a session to the Principal or Child Welfare Officer, if appropriate
- Display a high standard of behaviour and appearance whilst representing Angmering School of Dance
- Show respect to all pupils and parents of Angmering School of Dance at all times
- Hold the appropriate qualifications to the level of the teaching they are currently giving to pupils of Angmering School of Dance
- To deliver an appropriate lesson taking into account all levels of ability, age and needs of individual pupils to encourage growth and development for each participant and to understand different pupils will respond in different ways
- Always ensure that a correct and effective warm up has been conducted to prepare the mind and body of participants for the work to follow
- Make sure all confidential information is kept confidential unless expressed by the individual concerned in the way of child protection issues
- Ensure all facilities and equipment to be used are kept clean and in good condition at all times and should be checked prior to each session and any damage should be reported to the Principal or site team as and when occurs
- Equipment should be stored safely at the end of every session and if to be moved during session clear and precise instruction should be given to pupils
- Supervise dispersal of participants at the end of the session to ensure they are with their appropriate adult i.e. parent/ guardian

