

## MORE JU DANCE TEAM INFO

The JU Dance Team is a performance group comprised of students who are passionate about dance and want to take their talent to the next level. We believe that the Dance Team experience instills values such as teamwork, responsibility, commitment, and discipline that our dancers use within and outside the classroom. JU offers all Dance Team members the opportunity to train in multiple styles of dance including jazz, ballet, tap, hip hop, and contemporary.

We pride ourselves on training well-rounded, diverse dancers and providing our Dance Team with opportunities not found at any other studio in the area. The relationships Dance Team dancers develop with faculty and peers are unmatched. The Dance Team dancers professionally represent JU at local talent competitions, conventions, and performances.

### ***Schedule for the 2020-2021 season***

- Weekday Classes – Approximately 5-6 hours per week
  - 1 Ballet class (1.25 hours)
  - 1 Contemporary/Open class (1.25 hours)
  - 2 Jazz class (1.25 hours each)
  - 1 Optional Tap class (1.25 hours)
- Sunday weekend rehearsals will be scheduled throughout the year for Dance Team dancers to learn new choreography and to prepare for upcoming competitions and performances.
- Saturday weekend rehearsals will only be scheduled, as needed, the week before upcoming competitions and performances.
- Summer Requirement – Dance Team dancers are required to attend one full four-day JU Summer Intensive session. Based on dancer availability, JU may begin competition choreography during these weeks.
- Optional Dance Team classes will be offered, at a discounted rate, in the styles of Ballet, Musical Theater, and Acro/Stretch and Strengthening.

### ***Events***

Dance Team members will have the opportunity to participate in new and exciting events, expanding their dancing experience. Listed below are typical events the Dance Team enters; however, each year, there are new opportunities that arise.

- 3 Regional Competitions (NJ, NY, PA, DE)
- 1-2 Workshops
- 1-2 Shows/Outings (i.e. Winter JU showcase)
- JU Recitals – perform in several shows
- Additional group events

### ***Approximate Yearly Cost***

The yearly cost is billed in bi-monthly installments. Payment due dates are as follows: 9/1, 11/1, 1/1, and 3/1.

- Tuition \$2,900
- Dues \$900 (Weekend Rehearsals & Summer Intensive Session)
- Competitions / Workshops \$900
- Costumes \$370

Please note that this list is not all-inclusive and additional items or events may present additional costs.