



**2025 - 2026
PADlock Dance Crew
Auditions**

PADlock Dance Crew is geared towards dancers ages 6 and up. Our mission is to create a crew that is welcoming and safe to all dancers. A place where they will learn to attach and detach, adaptable like a Padlock, their skills onto any situation inside and outside of dance. We value not only community involvement through performance and volunteer work, but also through expanding their knowledge and appreciation of hip hop. We want to open these dancers to the world of dance outside our studio doors and let them experience classes with master teachers as well as a chance to compete with their team.

PADlock Audition Requirements:

- Must be 6 years of age or older as of Jan. 2026
- Must take Hip Hop Intensive and 5 Class Punch Card or 2 Hip Hop Intensives
- \$30 Audition Fee & PADlock Dance Crew Application due at the time of audition
- **Audition Date(s): Friday, August 8th - Saturday, August 9th**
 - Dancers will need to register for the **PADLock Audition Class** through their customer portal or online at www.padbuda.com.
 - Registration closes on **Friday, July 25th**
 - Once all registrations are in you will receive an email with your dancer's audition times and number/letter.
- 2025 - 2026 PADlock Company Members will be announced within 24 hours.
 - Mandatory Company Meeting - TBD
- Crew Rehearsals begin in September

Expectations of our Company Members:

Conventions/ Competitions

- Specific fall conventions/master classes are mandatory for all PADLock Crew members.
- Specific spring competitions are mandatory for all PADLock Crew members.

Class Requirements

- Must take Hip Hop at PAD during the 2025 - 2026 School Year
 - Class absences must be kept to a minimum. Two per semester (make-ups available)

Rehearsal Requirements

- Crew rehearsals are held on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday. This will be based on the number of crew members for 24-25.
 - Crew members will rehearse TWO - THREE times a month.
 - Crew members will receive a schedule two months at a time to allow for planning etc.
 - PADlock crew members must notify the director/instructor of any absences for company rehearsals by email. **Absences need to be kept to a minimum** as the director has the right to remove any dancer after 3 missed rehearsals.

Uniform & Required PADlock Attire

- Performance & uniform attire is estimated between: \$150 - \$200
 - Will include: shoes, top, pants, jacket, etc.
- Crew Shirt - \$25
- Rehearsal attire: Proper Dance Attire
 - PADLock required tennis shoes (link to be sent after auditions)
 - T-shirts, shorts, leggings, etc. (NO JEANS)
 - Hair pulled back from face

PADlock Company Tuition

- Crew members - **\$65 PADlock Tuition per month** (2 - 3 rehearsals per month)
- Competition Fees - **\$75 - \$85 per routine** depending on competition
- Competition Media Packages - **\$30 - \$50 per competition if available**

PADlock Calendar for Conventions/ Competitions

TBD ** All Competition Fees are per dancer and per routine. **

**** Full Pricing and Schedule of Payments Due will be available during our mandatory Parent Meeting ****



**PADlock Dance Crew
AUDITION APPLICATION 2025 - 2026**

DANCER'S NAME: _____ **DANCER'S AGE:** _____

DANCER'S EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PARENT'S NAME: _____ **PHONE #:** _____

PARENT'S NAME: _____ **PHONE #:** _____

DANCER PARTICIPATED IN SUMMER PUNCH CARDS AND HIP HOP INTENSIVE: YES / NO

Medical Release:

I fully understand that Pivotal Academy of Dance's instructors, agents and employees are not physicians or medical practitioners of any kind. With the above in mind, I/we hereby release and grant permission to the Pivotal Academy of Dance Staff to render temporary first aid to my/our child in the event of any injury or illness, and if deemed necessary by the Pivotal Academy of Dance Staff to call a doctor to seek medical help, including transportation by a Pivotal Academy of Dance Staff member, whether paid or volunteer, to any health care facility or hospital, or the calling of an ambulance for said child should the Pivotal Academy of Dance Staff deem this to be necessary.

PARENT'S SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

Code of Conduct:

Pivotal Academy of Dance is dedicated to providing quality dance instruction in a safe and nurturing environment. Any of the below scenarios may be cause for immediate dismissal from PADLock Dance Crew or Pivotal Academy of Dance.

1. Attitudes that are disrespectful, uncooperative, or aggressive do not have a place at Pivotal Academy of Dance.
2. Students and parents will not speak negatively about one another or the instructors.
3. Any inappropriate or slanderous remarks about Pivotal Academy of Dance, PADLock Dance Crew, its staff members or other students/parents on any social media site will be cause for immediate dismissal from the studio.
4. As a member of PADLock Dance Crew you are a representative of Pivotal Academy of Dance and our mission to provide quality, respectful and well-rounded dancers.
5. The use of social media (example: Tik Tok, Instagram, Snapchat, etc) with inappropriate movements and vulgar language is in violation of Pivotal Academy of Dance's mission statement.

If you have a concern or grievance you must make an appointment with the studio director, or you are welcome to send an appropriate email to discuss the issue.

BY SIGNING I HAVE READ THE ABOVE INFORMATION AND UNDERSTAND THE REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS OF A PADlock DANCE CREW MEMBER.

DANCER'S SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

PARENT'S SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____