## **Rules of Etiquette for Students**

- 1. Teachers must be greeted upon arrival girls curtsy, boys bow and properly addressed as Mr. ... or Ms. ...; girls curtsy at the end of class and boys bow.
- 2. Students must arrive early with sufficient time to fix their hair and warm up before class.
- 3. No shoes in the studio at any time except designated ballet shoes.
- 4. No food or drink other than water allowed in studio.
- 5. No jewelry in the studio.
- 6. No makeup for children under 15.
- 7. No colored nail polish on fingers or toes.
- 8. Proper uniform must be worn at all times.
- 9. No talking in the classroom unless addressing the teacher.
- 10. No photos or videos may be taken or recorded during any class, rehearsal or performance.
- 11. If arriving late, a student must provide a valid reason; if late by 10 minutes or more, the student will be asked simply to observe the class.
- 12. A positive attitude is required at all times in the school.
- 13. A lack of concentration and an inability to follow instructions may result in exclusion from the class.

Students will treat one another with respect at all times. In dance, as in any physical activity, individuals will occasionally make contact with one another. When such accidental contact occurs, students are expected to give and accept apologies, after which the matter is to be considered closed.