

Warnings / Discipline Sanctions

It is very important to me that your children have fun through dance but you need to consider the commitment it can involve particularly when it comes to attendance, competitions, festivals and shows.

All require extra taxi services, time, money and rehearsals.

A certain level of behaviour and hard work comes with the discipline of learning to dance so certain codes of conduct need to be adhered to.

Generally I don't like to shout. I do not believe this is the correct way to 'enhance' students self-believe and confidence and do feel this is quite an old fashioned way of teaching.

Of course sometimes this may be necessary.

If a student's behaviour is causing me concern I work on a 3 warning system.

They are warned once, then if they don't settle, they are then warned twice and if they cannot adhere to what I am asking then they will be given a third warning and asked to sit out and watch until I feel they are ready to join in again

If there was a serious behaviour problem then I would wish to discuss this personally between ourselves as to what best suits the particular individual. They may have to be excluded until we can come to an agreement.

Unacceptable behaviour involves lack of respect, messing about, not listening, not concentrating or distraction of fellow pupils.

This kind of behaviour cannot be tolerated and can be tiresome and disappointing

Everyone needs to work together to make a constructive, happy, positive atmosphere.

Miss Dawn