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2026-27 Fee Schedule & Class Information

The 2026-2027 Season will be broken down into 2 16-week semesters:

Semester 1: August 23 - December 19

Semester 2: January 10- May 15

Fees

Fee/Deposit	Description	Amount
Registration Fee	Annual, non-refundable, per student fee. Required to register for classes.	$30.00
Tuition Deposit	Required to register for classes. 1st month's tuition (25%) deposit will be calculated after discounts have been applied.	25% of Semester Tuition (after discount applied)
Late Payment Fee	Applied monthly to accounts with overdue balances	$15
Change Fee	Processing fee for early withdrawal from season classes or enrollment changes past the 30 day grace period.	$30

Tuition Rates

Individual Class Rates				Tuition Rate Discount Schedule (Per Student)	
Class Duration	Monthly Tuition Rate (4 payments per semester)	Total Semester Tuition		Number of Classes per Week	Percent Discount on Tuition
30 Minutes (.50)	$47.00	$188.00		1	No Discount
45 Minutes (.75)	$70.50	$282.00		2	5% (.05)
60 Minutes (1.00)	$94.00	$376.00		3	10% (.10)
75 Minutes (1.25)	$117.50	$470.00		4	15% (.15)
90 Minutes (1.50)	$141.00	$564.00		5	20% (.20)
105 Minutes (1.75)	$164.50	$658.00		6	25% (.25)
120 Minutes (2.00)	$188.00	$752.00		7	30% (.30)
				8	35% (.35)
				9 or more	40% (.40)

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Tuition Credits and Discounts

Discount	Description
Multi-Class	A percentage discount will be applied to the full semester tuition for all dancers enrolled in more than one class. Note: Multi-class discount is applied only if a student regularly attends and pays for all enrolled classes. See the Discount Rate above.
Ballet Chelsea Alumni	Alumni will receive 50% off classes and drop-ins. Please contact/email us before registering or dropping in. Alumni are Ballet Chelsea students who have either: ● Graduated from high school and danced with Ballet Chelsea for the entirety of their senior year. -or- ● Who are 19-years-old or older and danced with Ballet Chelsea when they were 18 years old or until they began their professional career.

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Registration and Enrollment

- Student accounts must have a zero balance to register for 2026-27 Season Classes.
- Payment of the Annual Registration Fee ($30) and Tuition Deposit (1st month's tuition (25%)) due at time of registration. These are nonrefundable.
- Class size is limited, and enrollment is on a first come basis. Please only sign up for classes you are serious about taking to allow others the opportunity to also register.
- Classes may be canceled if minimum enrollment is not met. Tuition deposits and payments for canceled classes will be refunded or applied as a credit to your account.
- Registrations for all level Ballet 1 and above classes are subject to the review and approval.
    - Placement questions should be directed to School Manager, Aja Brandmeier, aja@balletchelsea.org.
- Students will be notified promptly if they cannot be enrolled in a requested class, alternatives will be offered.
- For your convenience, students will auto-enrolled in the same class(es) Semester 2. **To make changes to enrollment for Semester 2, please contact annie@balletchelsea.org before November 20th.**

Tuition Payment Schedule

Deposit Semester 1: Payment 1 Time of Registration	1st Month's Tuition (25%)
Semester 1: Payment 2 September 1, 2026	2nd Month's Tuition (25%)
Semester 1: Payment 3 October 5, 2026	3rd Month's Tuition (25%)
Semester 1:Payment 4 November 2, 2026	4th Month's Tuition (25%)
Semester 2: Payment 1 December 7, 2026	1st Month's Tuition (25%)
Semester 2: Payment 2 January 11, 2027	2nd Month's Tuition (25%)
Recital Fee February 1, 2027	For applicable recital classes (TBA)
Semester 2: Payment 3 March 1, 2027	3rd Month's Tuition (25%)
Semester 2: Payment 4 April 5, 2027	4th Month's Tuition (25%)

- Families must sign up for "Auto-Pay" to pay semester tuition in monthly installments, which will be automatically deducted from their checking or savings account or charged

to their credit card based on the above schedule.

- Prior to each auto-payment, you will receive statements and reminders via email.
- If you would prefer to pay in full, please contact annie@balletchelsea.org at the time of registration.
- To request an exception to the Auto-Pay requirement, or to set up a payment plan, please contact Registrar, Annie, annie@balletchelsea.org BEFORE registering.

Acceptable Methods of Payment

Ballet Chelsea kindly requests that all payments be made online through the Ballet Chelsea online portal's auto-pay system. If you would prefer to pay another way please contact us at office@balletchelsea.org.

Online Payments through, DSP (Ballet Chelsea's Online Portal)

- Credit cards (Visa, MasterCard, Discover and AMEX)
- Debit Cards
- Direct (ACH) Payment from checking or savings accounts.

Financial Aid

- Ballet Chelsea has worked to revitalize its financial aid program to support any family who needs assistance. We are proud to offer this program to help our students achieve their goals and encourage any dancer who wishes to get more training, but cannot afford the cost, to apply for financial aid.
- To inquire about our financial aid program, please email office@balletchelsea.org.
- Applications for financial aid are due by July 31, 2026

Withdrawal from Classes

- Registration Fees and Season Tuition Deposits are nonrefundable.
- There is a 30-day grace period. This grace period starts the first day of classes per semester after 30 days you are agreeing to commit to the full Semester payments for 16 weeks of instruction. Should you choose to drop a class you will not be reimbursed for the first 2 monthly payments of that class.
- Any class changes after the 30-day grace period will be charged an administrative change fee of $30.00.
- We do not reimburse students for dropping from a current dance semester. If you have a prolonged absence due to illness, emergency, or injury; please email info@balletchelsea.org and an Administrator will contact you.
    - If applicable, a tuition refund will be issued; prorated for the date notification was received.

Make-Up Classes

- Students are strongly encouraged to make up any missed class.
- Make-up classes are only available during the semester the absence occurred.
- Please email School Manager, Aja Brandmeier, to confirm your make-up class selection.