



2019 CONTRACT

Congratulations on being accepted onto the EDGE Dance Crew! We look forward to meeting all EDGE dancers, families, and creating an exciting, challenging, and FUN EDGE Dance Crew!

Your EDGE Dance Crew team leaders and dance educators/choreographers are :

Jana Belot, Executive Director
[Kathleen Beatty](#), EDGE Crew Director
[Tom McKie](#) EDGE Crew Co-Director/Educator/Choreographer
[Phoebe Ballard](#), Educator, Choreographer
[Olivia Sharber](#), Educator, Choreographer

Throughout the season, all questions and communications should be made using EDGEGottaDance@gmail.com. Please know that your questions will be answered quickly and efficiently by our dedicated EDGE email instead of the Gotta Dance Office email.

EDGE will hold 8 rehearsals in February & March on the weekends at the Basking Ridge studio and team day in the Warren studio. Dress rehearsal and final performance will be held on March 1st and 2nd, respectively.

ALL REHEARSAL DATES:

Saturday, February 2nd
 Sunday, February 3rd
 Saturday, February 9th
 Sunday, February 10th
 Friday, February 22nd
 Saturday, February 23rd

Sunday, February 24th
 Friday, March 1st in **Warren MANDATORY DRESS REHEARSAL & Team Day (WHOLE CREW) 7:30pm-10pm**
 Saturday, March 2nd **MANDATORY PERFORMANCE**
 at Princeton University's Jadwin Gym
 Performance Time are 3:40pm & 4:20pm plus 5 minute half time show

[Princeton University's Jadwin Gym](#) is the second-largest on-campus college basketball arena in New Jersey. The Princeton Tigers will take on the Harvard Crimson Women's Basketball team on the Performance day!

Friday 2/22 TBD

4:30-5:00 5:00-5:30 5:30-6:00 6:00-8:15 8:15-8:45 8:45-9:15	Studio A Green Jazz Green Ballet Magenta Ballet HALFTIME (everyone) Magenta Jazz Silver Jazz
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Studio B Silver Modern Magenta Tap Green Tap Silver Contemporary Silver Hip-Hop

Saturdays 2/2, 2/9, 2/23 in Basking Ridge

3:15-4:15 4:15-5:15 5:15-6:15 6:15-7:15 7:15-8:15 8:15-9:15	Studio A Silver Jazz Magenta Jazz HALFTIME(everyone) Magenta Ballet Green Ballet Green Jazz
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Studio B Silver Hip-Hop Silver Contemporary Green Tap Magenta Tap Silver Modern

Sundays 2/3, 2/10, 2/24 in Basking Ridge

9-10 10-11 11-12 12-1:15 1:15-2:15 2:15-3:15	Studio A Green Jazz Green Ballet Magenta Ballet HALFTIME(everyone) Magenta Jazz Silver Jazz
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Studio B Silver Modern Magenta Tap Green Tap Silver Contemporary Silver Hip-Hop

3/1 in Warren from 7:30-10pm TEAM DAY



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EDGE Dance Crew Policies:

Please Read Carefully As a member of the EDGE Dance Crew, you will be expected to understand and abide by all of the terms of this contract:

- Attend rehearsals and perform in ONE Final Performance. EDGE Dance Crew will be performing at Princeton University on Saturday, March 2nd . Dancers are responsible for their own transportation to and from the Princeton University. Dancers are asked to arrive promptly at 2:45pm.
- Be on time for all rehearsals and performances. Schedule reminders and updates will be emailed at various times throughout the process. Attendance will be taken at the beginning of all rehearsals.

3 Strike Policy

It is required that dancers arrive on time to rehearsals. Every time a dancer is late, it is disruptive to the team and the choreographer. For every 5 minutes a dancer is late to rehearsal they receive 1 strike. 3 strikes equals 1 absence. Should a dancer be late or absent again after 3 strikes or their 1 absence, they will be removed from the team. there are no exceptions.

Excused Absences

Dancers are entitled to miss **one rehearsal** that is **not a mandatory rehearsal**, you must notify us by email prior to that rehearsal.

Mandatory Rehearsals

Dancers are **required to attend all mandatory rehearsals**. Absence from a mandatory rehearsal will result in being removed from the team.

- Adhere to the Gotta Dance dress code for all rehearsals. See the Gotta Dance website for class attire guidelines under Current Students if you are unsure.
- Be responsible for learning your choreography and retaining it from week to week. Act in a professional manner during all rehearsals.
- Act professionally during all rehearsals and final performance by being on time for all entrances, wearing your costume as instructed, and remaining in designated dancer areas in The Liberty Science Center. The consequence for repeated disciplinary actions is dismissal from the EDGE Dance Crew.

Gotta Dance Anti-Bullying Policy: Gotta Dance is committed to providing a safe and supportive community that fosters a lifelong love for dance and creative expression. In order to guarantee that all of our dancers are able to best pursue their passion, we have implemented a comprehensive anti-bullying policy applicable to our students, dance families, staff, and employees. We define bullying as any behavior; physical, verbal, written (either electronically or in person), that detrimentally targets another dancer. This behavior is described as bullying if it physically or emotionally harms a dancer, targets a dancer for any actual or perceived characteristic, or creates a hostile environment in the dance studio. Gotta Dance will not tolerate bullying in any form; physical, emotional, social or otherwise. Please refer to our [Anti-Bullying policy](#).



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All EDGE Dance Crew costumes and accessories are the property of Gotta Dance and are to be returned at the end of the performance.

- Performing with EDGE Dance Crew is a reward. We ask that you respect your fellow dancers by not discussing EDGE Dance Crew during class time.

- Note: Gotta Dance is not responsible for dancers when they are not in rehearsal

Performance Tickets & Parking

Tickets to the Princeton game cost \$5 per person in advance through your family portal. Your dancer needs to purchase a ticket. It is not mandatory that families purchase tickets through Gotta Dance. The price of tickets purchased at the door at Princeton University cost \$10 per person. Parking is FREE and families should park in Lot 21 which is 1/2 a block from Jadwin Gym.

REGISTRATION-DEADLINE - January 18, 2019

PRODUCTION FEES

1 Subject: \$335 • 2 Subjects: \$420 • 3 Subjects: \$505 • 4 Subjects: \$590 • 5 Subjects: \$675 • 6 Subjects: \$760 • 7 Subjects: \$845

Apparel

NEW Innovated Style Team Sweatshirt, Thermal, or Hoodie each Season (Required for Closing Number) = \$70

NEW Sneakers for the Performance = \$33

REGISTER FOR EDGE Dance Crew

(By registering you are agreeing to all the terms outlined in this contract)

1. [Log in to your portal](#) on www.gotta-dance.com. Select Classes & Events , Find Events, Add Filter, Event Type Choose the number of subjects you are registering for. Fees will be automatically charged to your credit card on file with Gotta Dance.

2. Email a good quality head shot of yourself to EDGEGottaDance@gmail.com no later than February 1, 2019

The photo submitted (school photos are perfect) will be used for internal purposes. Please do not respond to this email, start a new email with subject "EDGE Photo".

*By registering for EDGE Dance Crew, I give Gotta Dance Inc. permission to publish in print, electronics, or video format the likeness or image of my dancer to be used for marketing purposes. I release all claims against Gotta Dance Inc. and associated photographers with respect to copyright ownership and publication including any claim for compensation related to use of the materials.