

A little about us...

- We are located at 1075 E. Highland Street, Aurora, Missouri. We are a small, close knit studio. We offer a variety of classes each week in three different studio settings.
- Our classes are in the afternoons and evenings on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday evenings, occasionally during the day on Fridays and Saturdays.
- Hours of operation vary from day to day, but you can usually find us at the studio between the hours of 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- We start regular classes at age three. Wiggles and giggles begin as soon as you'd like!
- We offer different classes based on your ability level and age level.

Our Experience...

- Gotta Dance Studio has been under the direction of Cari Swadley since 1997.
- All of our instructors and assistants are current or former dancers from Gotta Dance Studio.



Misc...

- If Aurora Schools are out due to winter weather, our classes will be canceled as well. A make up class will be scheduled. If Aurora schools are out due to a scheduled vacation day we will still have classes.
- All dancers should remain in the waiting room until the teacher comes to get the class. Children under 7 years of age should not be left in the waiting room without supervision. Parents are welcome to remain or leave and return when class is over.
- Our studio insurance stipulates that no one is allowed in the dance studios unless they are enrolled in that class with a signed liability waiver. We will invite you into the studio from time to time for a peek at what we are doing. Otherwise, class can be viewed via closed circuit TV in the waiting area.
- There is a yearly calendar available on the window, hard copies are always available as well, please pick one up so you will be "in the know." Newsletters are available on a **semi monthly** basis and we keep our website up to date. Facebook is also great way to keep up with what we are doing.
- We accept payment via cash, check or CashApp at the studio, or you can pay online via PayPal.

We are so glad you're here!



Gotta Dance Studio

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<https://www.facebook.com/Gotta-Dance-Studio-19652474683/>

The very BEST way to get Miss Cari is to text her. You are NEVER a bother. If she doesn't get back to you **right away**, it probably just means she's teaching class.

We believe that dance is for everyone, that dance forges lifelong relationships; dance breeds confidence, and dance teaches teamwork and perseverance—skills that serve us all in every area of life.

Gotta Dance Studio Fees for the 2022-23 dance year:-

- \$40 per student per month for one class. Classes are charged by the month, not by the individual week. We don't pro-rate fees and no refunds are given for any reason. If you miss class, like school, you just miss out. If you prefer, we will give you a comparable class to attend to serve as a make up class.
- \$20 for each additional class for the same student each month
- \$10 registration fee per family
- Family discounts are available--the third (and beyond) student in the same family is half price.
- Private lessons for solos, duos or trios are given in the summer for the upcoming dance year. Choreography costs are listed inside studio one.
- \$5 Fall Recital Costume rental due in October and \$1 per spectator for our Fall recital. You will rent a costume from the studio for the Fall.
- Spring recital costume fees are \$75 per class. Recital tights and props are included in this cost. Recital costume fees are due in December at the latest but may be paid at any time before final payment is due. The spring costume is yours to keep. There is no cost for the spring recital.
- Shoes and tights are an additional cost and may be ordered from the studio or purchased on your own.
- Company Class fees are the same per month but competitions have separate fees and requirements.
- Wiggles and Giggles is our ONLY drop in class. Please see the Wiggles and Giggles description on the opposite of the page.

*while we intend for this list to be all encompassing, we are human and we may have left off something here or there. Please see your monthly newsletter for up to date information.

There are several opportunities for growth and performance at Gotta Dance Studio. We have work shop opportunities both in the studio and out. We have three recitals per year; one in the fall, a large one in the spring and a small one in the summer. We perform outside the studio at festivals, and anywhere else we are asked to perform! We love to dance! In the spring, our competition company travels and competes at regional competitions. If you are interested in the competition company, please let Cari know.



Meet our teachers:

Miss Cari:	Owner/Instructor
Mr. Tim:	Business Manager Owner/Instructor
Miss Sarah:	Assistant Director Tumbling Director Instructor
Miss Chloe:	Hip Hop Instructor
Miss Crysten:	Company Instructor

Classes we offer...

Traditional dance classes:

This is where most people begin the dance journey. A combination class of ballet, jazz, and tap. Classes are based on age and ability. Shoes and tights required.

Tumbling classes:

This is a class where students learn the basics of acrobatics. Classes are based on age and ability.

Hip hop classes:

Like you see on tv, baby! Learn to pop, lock, and break your way to the stage! Our hip hop classes begin at age 5.

Pre-pointe and pointe classes:

Completely ballet centered. An advanced ballet class to prepare the dancer for pointe shoes. Pointe classes are highly selective and have many requirements before enrollment. Permission must be obtained before enrollment.

Wiggles and Giggles:

Creative movement with music for little ones who feel the beat in their feet! Caregiver is required to participate with little one. Classes are \$15 per dancer per week for drop in fun, or \$40 per month to enroll. No charge for caregivers.

Occasionally we offer ballroom dance classes and adult dance classes. If you are interested in these classes, gather up 3-6 of your friends and we can set up a six week program. These classes are \$5 per dancer per week.

Classes are 45 minutes long except for Wiggles and Giggles and select Company classes.