



Top Hats and Tails

All Boys dance class ages 2-6

Inspired by famous leading men Fred Astaire and Gene Kelly, Top Hats and Tails is an age specific 45 minute all-boys dance class containing tap, jazz and hip-hop movement. Geared toward a young boys' active and physical nature, the purpose of the class is to introduce young male dancers to the three styles of dance and inspire movement and creativity through jumps, turns. Dancers also learn basic steps and terminology. For example, all dancers will learn what a "shuffle" is and how to demonstrate one.

Tap - 20 minutes

Tap Warm Up: Uptown Funk (video)

Tap Barre: Shuffles, Shuffle Hop, Shuffle Hop Toe, Shuffle Jump (video)

Tap Center: Flaps towards the mirror (video)

Tap Across the Floor: Boogie Shoes - Hopping on one foot

Tap Combo: Ball in the Jack (video)

Jazz - 15 minutes

Jazz Warm Up: Party Rock (video)

Jazz Across the Floor: Chasses, Battements, Jumps over bear

Jazz Combo: Stayin Alive (video)

Hip Hop - 10 minutes

Hip Hop Center: Get Up (video)

Hip Hop Tricks: kip up, candlestick, donkey kick, shoulder roll (video)

Hip Hop: Following Directions (video)

Hip Hop: Freestyle Circle