## SEISKAYA ACADEMY FALL 2024 SCHEDULE 7 FLOWERFIELD SUITE 16, ST. JAMES, NY 11780

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MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY	
Studio A	Studio B	Studio A	Studio B	Studio A	Studio B
A-LEVEL 2/3 ADV. BEG/INTER 10:00-11:00AM				A-LEVEL 2/3 ADV. BEG/INTER 10:00-11:00AM	
AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM
ACD GRP 5 BEGINNER 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 1-1 START BEG. 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 2 ADV. BEG. 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 1-1 START BEG. 5:00-6:00PM	ACD GRP 4 ADV. BEG. 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 1-1 START BEG. 5:00-6:00PM
ACD GRP 3 INTER. 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 4 ADV. BEG. 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 3 INTER. 6:05-7:05PM	Y-LEVEL 1-2 BEGINNER 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 3 INTER. PTE 6:05-7:05PM	C-LEVEL 3 INTER. 6:05-7:05PM
DDEDDO	ACD CDD 0	DDEDDO	A-LEVEL 1	DDEDDO	ACD CDD 0
PREPRO 90 MINUTE ADVANCED POINTE 7:10-8:40PM	ACD GRP 2 ADV. INT. PTE 7:10-8:10PM	PREPRO 90 MINUTE ADVANCED TECHNIQUE 7:10-8:40PM	BEGINNER 7:10-8:10PM	PREPRO 90 MINUTE ADVANCED POINTE 7:10-8:40PM	ACD GRP 2 90 MINUTE ADV. INTER. POINTE 7:10-8:40PM

THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY	
Studio A	Studio B	Studio A	Studio B	Studio A	Studio B
				ACD GRP 5 BEGINNER 10:00-11:00AM	Y-LEVEL 0 PRE-SCHOOL 10:00-11:00AM
				ACD ADVANCED SPANISH. 11:05AM-12:05PM	Y-LEVEL 1-1 START BEG. 11:05AM-12:05PM
AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM	AM/PM
ACD GRP 4 ADV. BEG. 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 0 PRE-SCHOOL 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 3 BEGINNER PTE 5:00-6:00PM	Y-LEVEL 2 ADV. BEG. 5:00-6:00PM	ACD ADV 3/2/1 CHARACTER 12:10-1:10PM	ACD INTER SPANISH 12:10-1:10PM
ACD GRP 2 ADV. INTER. 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 5 BEGINNER 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 2 ADV. INT. PTE 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 3 INTER. 6:05-7:05PM	ACD GRP 2 ADV. INTER. 1:15-2:15PM	ACD INTER 5/4/3 CHARACTER 1:15-2:15PM
PREPRO OPEN 90 MIN ADVANCED TECHNIQUE 7:10-8:40PM	A-LEVEL 2 BEGINNER 7:10-8:10PM	PREPRO 90 MINUTE ADVANCED POINTE 7:10-8:40PM	REHEARSALS	PREPRO OPEN 90 MIN ADVANCED TECHNIQUE 2:20-3:50PM	REHEARSALS
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## THE SEISKAYA ACADEMY IS A 10-MONTH COMMITMENT

CURRENT HEALTH GUIDELINES, IF ANY, WILL BE POSTED IN THE STUDIO

The 2024/25 Academy year runs September 3, 2024 through June 30, 2025 THIS SCHEDULE IS EFFECTIVE 9-3-24 & IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

## **Academy Year**

The Seiskaya Academy is a unique program designed to provide career training for students desiring to pursue advanced goals in classical dance. The strength of Seiskaya Ballet is its unified pedagogical system which is steeped in Vaganova methodology. Class size is restricted, and all students are selected through auditions or staff reviews. A very limited number of merit-only partial scholarships are awarded annually. The Academy program is intended to serve talented, focused and committed dancers. All Academy students and parents must read the "Little Green Book" (LGB) which is on-line at www. seiskaya.com. Along with the LGB, this annual class schedule outlines all major policies and the Academy's expectations of its students. A signed registration card plus payment of the current registration fee must be provided prior to attending classes. Payment of the registration fee (automatically updates any previously signed registration card) shall be deemed as acceptance of all contract terms and conditions.

All Academy students are accepted for a ten-month <u>contract term</u> - September 2024 through June 2025 - for which tuition, <u>as a courtesy</u>, is due monthly on the first of each month during the full ten-month term. No student will be permitted to register for the 2024/25 year if a prior outstanding balance is unsatisfied. Tuition is to be remitted whether or not classes are attended. There are no make-ups because students are permitted unlimited classes at or below their assigned Academy class level. (In the event of inclement weather, students should call the studio at 631-862-6925 for class information). Only a bona fide medical reason will be considered for a tuition waiver. Any physician-validated illness or injury must be in excess of one month to qualify for consideration. Vacations, personal commitments, etc. are not valid tuition waiver considerations. For early withdrawal, an Official Seiskaya Drop Notice Form must be properly filed. There is a one-month tuition payment penalty for early withdrawal in addition to the full tuition due for each month where <u>any</u> classes were attended. Failure to file the form and pay the penalty will result in all remaining contracted tuition becoming immediately due and payable.

Academy groups 2 - 5 must observe the following **dress code:** official navy blue Seiskaya leotard, pink tights, pink full-sole slippers and (if applicable) pink pointe shoes. Only **PREPRO students** are permitted a black leotard with ballet pink tights, pink full-sole slippers and pink pointe shoes. In addition, black short pants, waist-high or jumper-style tightly fitted knitted warm-ups or a black short skirt will also be allowed when a dancer's condition warrants. Failure to follow the dress code will lead to disciplinary action. **The Academy class schedule is subject to change and may also be affected by government guidelines.** 

The following average minimum class frequency is required: PREPRO (6), Academy 2 (5), Academy 3 (4), Academy 4 (3) and Academy 5 (2) in addition to a character class for ACDs 2, 3 & 4. Excessive absences, tardiness, participation in unauthorized activities, substandard performance, inappropriate weight control, below B average academic grades, poor tuition payment record or lack of parental support are grounds for dismissal from the academy. Any student can be dropped from the program by the Directors at any time, for any reason, with no tuition refund nor discussion.

Academy students are expected to participate in all BESFI functions. Minimum strongly recommended attendance requirements for the BESFI Summer Program are: PREPRO-4wks, ACD III-3wks, ACD III-3wks and ACD IV-2wks. Parents are expected to help in fund raising activities and/or contribute services. Each Academy student is required to purchase five tickets (total \$125) to the annual BESFI Benefit. Re-acceptance to the Academy program in September 2024 will be predicated not only on the student's performance, but also on the familial commitment during the 2023/24 year. A letter inviting returning students back will be mailed during the last week of August indicating acceptance status and Academy level. An annual Academy parent meeting is held in September where questions can be addressed and comments made. For questions requiring immediate answers, please call 631-584-0192.

For families with two or more academy students, the combined total tuition (except registration fee) will be **discounted 20**%. Discounted amounts are rounded to the next highest whole dollar amount.

Academy Level	Monthly Payment		
PREPRO	\$600.00		
ACD 2	\$520.00		
ACD 3	\$460.00		
ACD 4	\$350.00		
ACD 5	\$260.00		

Monthly tuition payments must be received by Seiskaya Ballet prior to the 8th of each month. Thereafter, a \$30.00 late fee will also be due. Outstanding balances in excess of a month will incur additional late fees. Returned checks - a handling charge of \$35.00/each occurrence.

