**Pupil Guidance for August 2020 with Social Distancing**

The studio has seen many changes and improvements over the year in which we have been closed. The government guidelines, policies and laws are ever changing at the moment so please keep an eye on changes that may involve the studio via our website and social media.

The government has announced that from March 2021 there will be a phased reopening of different parts of our society until we return to normal, which gives them an opportunity to deal

with any spikes or reduction in the COVID situation. Our childrens classes will return in Phase 2 (12th April 2021) and adult classes phase 3 (17th May 2021) and finally social events and activities in phase 4 (21st June 20201) all these dates are subject to change in line with government guidance. At this time (1st April 2021) no areas are considered to be a hotspot nationally however anyone travelling from an international location should follow the government travel guidance.

The Studio - CT has now issued its own Social Distancing policy and risk assessment for operating in the studio please take a look at this and the measures that will need to be taken when entering and operating in the studio.

<https://www.thestudio-ct.com/reopening>

**Pupil Guidance Notes**

Prior to your class/lesson:

* Booking to be made online via the online system, or message in advance
* Customers/clients must provide contact details in advance for track and trace.
* Payment is only to be taken electronically.
* Waiver **must** be filled in online for every time you visit The Studio – CT.

On the day of your lesson/class:

* Please do not arrive early.
* Upon arrival, please ring the doorbell and wait outside to be let into the premises
* Parents of children over 6 years old to use our ‘drop and go’ policy, as found in our social distancing policy on the website.
* Wash/sanitise your hands-on entry to the studio
* If you wish to wear a mask in to the studio or for your lesson you may.
* Everyone must adhere to the social distancing policy
* Ensure you are medically fit and healthy to take part in dance, first aid will be given for life threatening reasons, but in all other circumstances First Aid will be external to the The Studio - CT first aiders.
* The kitchen area is off limits to customers, but you are welcome to ask your teacher for a water top up.
* Please wash hands between lessons/classes and change clothes where possible between teachers.
* The studio will be cleaned three times a day and adequate ventilation
* No food or drink is to be consumed in the studio premises, unless for exercise purpose
* Reduce touch and contact
* Minimal belongs to be brought to your lessons.
* Exit is through the fire exit to ensure a one way policy.

**Please note: Lesson and class durations**

* Lessons and classes will be booked as 60/45/30 minute slots; however, lesson times will be reduced by five minutes to allow teachers and clients to change over and wipe down ready for the next lesson/class.