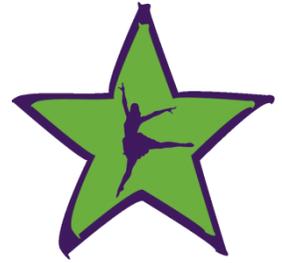


Starpath Dance Academy

where dancers shine...



TA Program 2021-22

Starpath Dance Academy's teaching assistant program is one that affords young dancers interested in learning about teaching dance and working with children the opportunity to help with Starlight and pre-level classes at our academy.

This program is selective, and successful candidates will be chosen based upon their previous behaviors in class, their written responses to application questions and interviews with our instructors and staff.

TAs will be required to wear a uniform provided to them by Starpath (no replacements available).

TA responsibilities will include, but are not limited to:

- Talking in a respectful, confident, polite and positive manner to dance families
- Answering questions to the best of their abilities from dance families
- Helping dancers enter and exit the dance rooms and find their parents
- Following instructions from the instructor
- Leading across the floor activities
- Demonstrating and helping with props
- Reading regular communications from Miss Lindsey
- Watching videos and learning curriculum and choreography
- Maintaining absolute confidentiality with all curriculum and personal information received
- Attending class's recital and helping as needed
- Helping with as many recitals as possible
- Taking dancers to the bathroom (protocol will be discussed)
- Assisting with students' dancewear, including tying dancers' shoes

- Taking dancers out of class for water breaks
- Encouraging shy dancers
- Maintaining clean studio dance rooms, including the floors
- Policing bathroom cleanliness
- Maintaining a positive attitude and respectful behavior at all times

For the 2021-22 season, TAs will be working with Starlight and Pre-level classes at the Cary Park location which is now The Starlight School at Cary Park. They will act as studio concierges.

All TAs will receive one free costume for recital and 4 free recital tickets. TAs ages 15+ will be paid.

TAs will receive at least monthly communications from Miss Lindsey that they will be required to sign to have understood and acknowledged. They will have two meetings with their teachers/Miss Lindsey per dance season for their continuing education and evaluation feedback.

We are excited to provide this unique opportunity to our dancers to allow them to get real-world experience in a fun environment while pursuing some of their dreams! Thank you for your interest!