

NIDC News

SUMMER NIDC CLASSES FOR AGES 8 & UNDER

Summer 2026

Dive into a summer of rhythm and movement at Northern Illinois Dance Center!

Unleash your passion for dance with our exciting new punch card option this summer! Whether you're a seasoned dancer or just stepping onto the dance studio floor, our punch card allows you to groove at your own pace while enjoying the flexibility of attending classes that fit your schedule.

Immerse yourself in a world of creativity as our expert instructors guide you through a variety of dance styles, from our themed preschool classes to graceful ballet and everything in between. The punch card not only offers a fantastic opportunity to refine your dance techniques but also invites you to explore your artistic side in a fun and supportive environment.

Why settle for ordinary when you can make your summer extraordinary? Join us for an unforgettable dance experience that combines the precision of technique with the joy of expression. Let the rhythm take you on a journey of self-discovery, fitness, and, most importantly, FUN!

Secure your spot on the studio floor today with our exclusive summer punch card. Your dance adventure awaits — let's make this summer one to remember!



Choose the flexibility that fits your summer! Our punch card options range from 3 to 18 punches, giving you the freedom to customize your dancer's journey.


- Just want a taste? Grab a 1-punch card.
- Ready to go all in? Choose 18 punches for a full summer of fun!
- Or simply pay as you go — \$16 per hour.

👉 Each punch is good for 1 hour of dance.

👉 All summer classes are 1-day sessions.

To help our teachers plan and keep class sizes manageable, we will confirm all class rosters 1 week before each class.

Here's what to expect:

- You'll receive an email to confirm your dancer's spot.
- 6 days before class, if we haven't heard back, your dancer will either be:
- ☒ digitally punched if you have a punch card
- OR
-  charged the \$16 hourly rate

This system helps us prepare effectively and open up spots for dancers on waitlists when needed.

CLASS SCHEDULE

Month : June -July

Year : 2026

JUNE 16

TINY TIARAS & BRAVE HEROES

MS. SAM ●●●

06:00 - 07:00PM

AGES: 3-5 YEARS OLD

Step into a magical Disney adventure designed just for our littlest dancers! ✨ In Tiny Tiaras & Brave Heroes, dancers ages 3–5 will explore movement and imagination inspired by their favorite Disney princesses and heroes. This one-day class focuses on creative movement, basic dance skills, and playful storytelling through music and dance. Dancers will build confidence, coordination, and self-expression—all while having a magical time! Costumes encouraged for extra fun!

JUNE 23

DISNEY DANCE ADVENTURE

MS. SAM ●●●

06:00 - 07:00PM

AGES: 5-8 YEARS OLD

Calling all Disney fans! 🎵✨ Disney Dance Adventure is a high-energy, one-day class for dancers ages 5–8 who love to move and perform. Dancers will learn fun, age-appropriate choreography inspired by popular Disney movies while working on musicality, coordination, and performance skills. This class encourages confidence, teamwork, and creativity in a positive and magical environment—perfect for dancers of all experience levels!

JULY 8

TIPTOES & TAP SHOES

MS. RAELYN ●●●

05:00 - 06:00PM

AGES: 3-5 YEARS OLD

A playful introduction and refresher for little dancers! Tiptoes & Tap Shoes focuses on basic ballet and tap skills through fun music, creative movement, and simple rhythms. Dancers will practice coordination, balance, and listening skills in a supportive, joyful environment—perfect for beginners or dancers who want a confidence boost!

JULY 8

BALLET & TAP BLAST

MS. RAELYN ●●●

06:00 - 07:00PM

AGES: 5-8 YEARS OLD

This high-energy refresher class is designed to strengthen ballet and tap fundamentals while keeping things fun and engaging! Dancers will review basic positions, steps, and rhythms while improving technique, musicality, and confidence. A great one-day class for dancers looking to sharpen their skills or try ballet and tap in a low-pressure setting.

JULY 13

PRINCESSES, PRINCES & PLIÉS!

MS. RAELYN ●●●

05:00 - 6:00PM

AGES: 3-5 YEARS OLD

Step into a royal ballet adventure where dancers will practice basic ballet positions, pliés, and graceful movements—all while twirling like their favorite fairy tale characters! We'll bring the magic of ballet to life through imaginative dance activities, a fun ballet game, and a creative craft fit for royalty. Get ready to dance like a true prince or princess in this delightful class!

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JULY 13	SASSY JAZZ	MS. RAELYN ● ● ●
06:00 - 07:00PM AGES: 5-8 YEARS OLD	Get ready to strike a pose and bring the sass! This high-energy, one-day jazz class is perfect for dancers ages 5–8 who love to move, groove, and show off their personality. Dancers will learn fun, upbeat jazz choreography while working on basic technique, musicality, and confidence. With a focus on expressive movement and BIG performance energy, this class is all about having fun and feeling fabulous!	

JULY 15	BALLET & TAP BLAST	MS. RAELYN ● ● ●
05:00 - 06:00PM AGES: 5-8 YEARS OLD	This high-energy refresher class is designed to strengthen ballet and tap fundamentals while keeping things fun and engaging! Dancers will review basic positions, steps, and rhythms while improving technique, musicality, and confidence. A great one-day class for dancers looking to sharpen their skills or try ballet and tap in a low-pressure setting.	

JULY 15	DEFY GRAVITY – A WICKED DANCE EXPERIENCE!	MS. SAM ● ● ●
06:00 - 7:00PM AGES: 5-8 YEARS	Step into the world of Wicked with a musical theater dance class that will have you acting, dancing, and performing like a true Broadway star! Dancers will learn a fun and expressive routine inspired by the show's iconic songs, play a theatrical game, and create a magical craft to complete their journey through Oz. Whether you dream of being Glinda the Good or Elphaba the Powerful, this class is your chance to shine on stage and defy gravity!	

JULY 22	BLUEY’S BIG DANCE PLAYDATE	MS. SAM ● ● ●
06:00 - 7:00PM AGES: 3-5 YEARS	Get ready to move, imagine, and play! In Bluey’s Big Dance Playdate, little dancers will explore creative movement and simple dance steps inspired by the fun and adventurous world of Bluey. This one-day class focuses on coordination, listening skills, and confidence through playful games, music, and lots of giggles—perfect for ages 3–5!	

JULY 27	TIPTOES & TAP SHOES	MS. RAELYN ● ● ●
06:00 - 7:00PM AGES: 3-5 YEARS OLD	A playful introduction and refresher for little dancers! Tiptoes & Tap Shoes focuses on basic ballet and tap skills through fun music, creative movement, and simple rhythms. Dancers will practice coordination, balance, and listening skills in a supportive, joyful environment—perfect for beginners or dancers who want a confidence boost!	

JULY 30	TUMBLE, TURNS & TECHNIQUE	MS. SAM ● ● ●
06:00 - 7:00PM AGES: 6-9 YEARS	This high-energy class is designed for dancers ages 6–9 who want to improve their acro skills, turning ability, and overall dance technique. Tumble, Turns & Technique focuses on building strength, flexibility, and control through a combination of acrobatics, proper turning mechanics, and foundational dance techniques. Dancers will work on mat skills such as rolls, cartwheels, and walkovers, as well as drills to improve balance, spotting, and coordination for turns. This class is perfect for those looking to enhance their technical abilities in a fun and supportive environment.	



Summer 2026 Punch Card Prices

1 1-hour class = \$16.00

1 hour = 1 punch

3-punch card  **\$45.00**

5-punch card  **\$70.00**

10-punch card  **\$130.00**

12-punch card  **\$144.00**

15-punch card  **\$165.00**

18-punch card  **\$180.00**

Punch cards are non-refundable.
Unused punches are non-refundable.
These are only good for the Summer 2026 session.
They expire on 7/31/26.

Our 2026-27 dance year begins August 17