SCORES AND DEDUCTIONS

A panel of judges who specialize in various styles of dance will judge all registered entries. All entrants agree that the time, manner, and method of judging the entrants shall be solely within the discretion of the judges and staff of i am DANCE and that all decisions are final.

If dance movements, music lyrics, or costuming are deemed to be too suggestive or otherwise inappropriate for our family audience, or if the music contains vulgar or inappropriate lyrics, the routine will be scored lower by the judges or disqualified from the competition.

A 5-point deduction will be made for routines that are not completed unless due to a costume malfunction that would result in an immodest performance.

A deduction of one tenth point (.1) per judge will be made for every 15 seconds (or any portion thereof).

Entry with prop must notify the Backstage Manager prior to scheduled performance time. If setup exceeds 30 seconds you can add additional setup time at the time of registration.

Up to 30 seconds will be allotted for setup and another 30 seconds for tear down with a total of 1 minute.

If needed more time you have the option to purchase up to 8 minutes for your /Line Production and 4 minutes for Small/ Large Groups.

To register for extended time, please check the box on the routine that indicates "Request Extended Time" on your online studio account.

NOTE: Entries that are over the time limit will result in automatic deduction of one point or a fraction thereof for every 5 seconds of overtime if extended time has not been registered for that entry.

STYLE POINT DEDUCTIONS

It is the right of the judges to deduct Style points due to inappropriateness, explicit content in music/choreography, improper attire/costume.