

# Dance Excellence Los Angeles Payment structure & Application Conditions

<b>NOW!</b>	- USD \$100 deposit. This is non-refundable and will be sent straight to Dance Excellence- this deposit holds your space, as there are limited spaces for dancers for 2011.
<b>June 26th 2010</b>	- Full payment for all flights due and NZD \$450 for extra fees.
<b>July 1st 2010</b>	- USD \$500 - Installment for tuition Fees.
<b>October 1st 2010</b>	- USD \$500 - Installment for tuition fees.
<b>February 1st 2011</b>	- USD \$500 - Final installment for tuition fees.

Please be aware that all course fee installments are in USD dollars. This payment simply passes through us, as payments must be submitted by the studio. All payments are to be made by the dancer/parent straight into the L'Academie de Danse USD bank account.

## **Conditions of application:**

1. Students must be attending at least 2 classes at L'Academie de Danse for term 3 and 4 2010 and term 1 2011
2. Students must attend all rehearsals leading up to the event.
3. Students are responsible for their entry visa into the United States.
4. Students must be 9yrs or older at the time of the trip April 17<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011
5. All 9-10yr olds must be accompanied by their parent.
6. Students must make their own way to the Auckland International Airport.
7. Travel insurance is optional and that responsibility remains with the student and their parents.
8. Any fees incurred outside of the Dance Excellence course fees while in L.A. will be passed onto the parent or guardian.
9. Attending students and parents must comply with all instructions and requirement of attending Los Angeles and Dance Excellence.

## **Fundraising:**

It is my dream that L'Academie de Danse will take a group of students to L.A. every year, but of course due to the cost this annual expense is impossible for some. To minimize the cost and increase the sustainability of this event, I would like to look at fundraising, however due to the amount of events that already exist at L'Academie de Danse, our staff do not have time to head these projects. We will be creating many dance pieces with the LA team for Dance Excellence and our hope is that these items could be used to put on small shows to fundraise as the year goes on. I am really looking for the students and parents involved with L.A. to organise fundraising so the cost can be decreased for the students who attend.

In addition to this, the team that travelled to Dance Excellence in 2010 raised \$25,000. This was due to the time and effort put in by both the students and their parents. Without this help this would not have been possible.

If you would like to be involved with fundraising, please let me know and I will put you in touch with other parents who are interested. Together I'm sure we can raise some money to be shared among the dancers to help pay for the trip.

**Ashleigh Habgood**