

tDF NEWS
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♥ **WINTER SHOWCASE DETAILS** – Be sure to read through all of our Winter Showcase details on the [NEWS](#) page to prepare for this weekend! The pages include costumes, practice videos, hair/makeup details, frequently asked questions and more. We are so excited for our show!

♥ **SANTA PHOTO CONTEST** – Don't forget about our DF LOVES SANTA photo contest! If you lost your postcard you received, there are a few in the front door postcard holder. Take a photo with Santa and tag us on social media to be entered to win a \$100 account credit! Each postcard has Santa's schedule listed for your convenience.

♥ **PARENT OBSERVATION WEEK – THIS WEEK!! DECEMBER 2-5** – Teachers will individually come to the front door to let their classes' parents in for the last five minutes of class. Please do not enter the studio until your child's class is called. Please plan to be in the mall, outside of the studio, ten minutes before your dancer's class concludes. Each dancer may invite two observers to watch them. Parent Observation Week is open to studio dancers 3 years old - high school. Our Parent Toddler, Mini, PC and Company classes do not participate in Parent Observation Week

♥ **DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS** - Dancers with a birthday in December: stop by the front desk for a treat!

♥ **WINTER BREAK** - The studio will close on December 22nd to observe Winter Break. Regular classes will resume on January 6th. If you are in our Winter Showcase this weekend - yes! - we still continue dancing for a couple weeks before your break begins.

♥ **REMIND** - If you are currently not receiving text message updates from us, please text '@DFSTUDIO' TO '81010' - we use this free text messaging system to keep you updated with reminders and communicate urgent messages.

♥ **NEWS PAGE** - Our [NEWS](#) page will house all of our newsletters and important information for the year. Please be sure to check it frequently.

♥ **DF NIGHT AT ZOO LIGHTS** - We encourage all Dance Factory families to join in on the fun at the Topeka Zoo on Friday, December 20th! Enjoy performances from our Performance Company dancers from 5-6pm and then wander through the magical Zoo Lights! We would love to fill the evening with Dance Factory families supporting our Topeka Zoo. Link to purchase tickets can be found [HERE](#)

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

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| → DECEMBER 2-5 - PARENT OBSERVATION WEEK | → FEBRUARY 3-6 – PARENT OBSERVATION WEEK |
| → DECEMBER 5 - TUITION DUE | → FEBRUARY 5 - TUITION DUE |
| → DECEMBER 7 - LATE FEES APPLY | → FEBRUARY 7 - LATE FEES APPLY |
| → DECEMBER 7 - WINTER SHOWCASE - TPAC - 12:00 PM | → MARCH 3-6 – PARENT OBSERVATION WEEK |
| → DECEMBER 19 - LAST DAY OF REGULAR CLASSES | → MARCH 5 - TUITION DUE |
| → DECEMBER 20 - DF NIGHT AT ZOO LIGHTS | → MARCH 7 - LATE FEES APPLY |
| → DECEMBER 22-JANUARY 5 - WINTER BREAK - STUDIO CLOSED | → MARCH 14-23 – SPRING BREAK – STUDIO CLOSED |
| → JANUARY 2-3 – COMPANY CONCERT REHEARSALS AT DF (COMPANY ONLY!) | → APRIL 5 - TUITION DUE |
| → JANUARY 4 - COMPANY CONCERT - TPAC - 6PM | → APRIL 7 - LATE FEES APPLY |
| → JANUARY 5 - TUITION DUE | → APRIL 7-10 – PARENT OBSERVATION WEEK |
| → JANUARY 7 - LATE FEES APPLY | → MAY 5 - TUITION DUE |
| → JANUARY 6 - CLASSES RESUME | → MAY 7 - LATE FEES APPLY |
| | → JUNE 2-6 – DRESS REHEARSAL WEEK |
| | → JUNE 6 - JUNE CONCERT |
| | → JUNE 7 - JUNE CONCERT |