

1. The **DANCE CLASSES** at TOHS are for **any** student (male or female) who has had **zero to very extensive** dance experience. There are approximately 20-40 students in each of the classes. We have one beginning class, one intermediate classes, and one advance class (classes are made depending on the needs of students). In order to be placed in the higher level dance classes, ***you must audition.*** (To add the beginning dance class, you just need to sign up through your counselor). ***More experienced dancers need to:***

- Fill out a registration forms (cover sheet with picture)
- Attach a copy of your **third quarter** report card to the application
- And you'll need to get a teacher recommendation on the form provided in the packet.
- *These audition packets will not be available until April.*



2. We have several **COMPETITION DANCE TEAMS:**

- **A Varsity Dance Team:** This team studies lyrical, hip-hop, contemporary, and jazz emphasis. It competes and performs at school events (football games, rallies etc.) They meet sixth period everyday as well as rehearsals two nights a week. Time commitment is large.
- **One training team:** (TFT: Technique for team) This team trains in jazz, contemporary style and hip-hop styles. This group also meet twice a week for six hours and is required to take PE/Fine arts class 5th period.
- **Tryouts for each group is in May 2020.**

Each of these tryouts will take place in the month of May.

An interested student can pick up an *audition packet* starting on April 30 @ TOHS activities office.

Thanks for your interest and if you should have any questions,
please email me @ jaleenmurphy@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Jaleen Murphy

TOHS Dance Director for 28 years

NOTE: I strongly encourage you to attend our **Winter Dance Concert** this week, **December 5-7** and our annual **Spring Dance Concert**. It would be a great way to familiarize you with this program. The dates are **April 23-25** in the high school gymnasium. Show times are @ 7pm nightly and a matinee @ 1:30 on Saturday. Tickets are available from any current dance class member or from Mrs. Murphy.