

2011 - 2012 Universal Dance Association All Star Competition Divisions



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ALL STAR DIVISIONS AND CATEGORIES

Tiny	• 6 yrs old and younger	• Female / Male	Open Dance
Mini	• 9 yrs old and younger	• Female / Male	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop, Prep*
Youth	• 12 yrs old and younger	• Female / Male	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop, Prep*
Junior	• 15 yrs old and younger	• Female / Male	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop, Prep*
Senior	• 18 yrs old and younger	• Female / up to 1 male	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop, Prep*
Senior Coed	• 18 yrs old and younger	• 2 or more males	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop
Open	• 14 yrs old and older	• Female / up to 1 male	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop, Prep*
Open Coed	• 14 yrs old and older	• 2 or more males	Pom, Jazz, Hip Hop

All Star Teams must have at least 4 members. There is no maximum limit. *Prep Categories please see skill restrictions below.

ALL STAR TEAM PARTICIPATION

1. The Division Age of a team is determined by the age of the oldest competitor.
2. The Age of the competitor as of August 31, 2011 will be the age used for competition purposes throughout the 2011 - 2012 season for all divisions.
3. Dancers may compete in more than one division and / or category as long as they abide by the age restrictions in all divisions in which they compete. However, each dancer can only dance three times.
4. UDA will combine Senior and Senior Coed and Open and/ or Open Coed if there is only one team entered in either division / category.
5. A dancer may not compete in more than one routine in the same category and division. (Example: A dancer may not compete in 2 Senior Jazz routines). Exception: If a dancer is on a Senior team and a Senior Coed team and UDA combines the divisions, this rule does not apply.

*ALL STAR PREP CATEGORY SKILL RESTRICTIONS

The Prep Category is offered for emerging teams. A routine in this category may incorporate any one style or combination of styles outlined in the USASF category listings. All styles will be judged against each other in this category. A dancer may not compete in a non-prep category and a Prep Category within the same style. **Prep Categories WILL be offered at all UDA Competitions, The 2012 National Dance Team Championship and the UCA/UDA International All Star Championship.**

1. Tumbling Skills in this category are limited to:
 - a. Skills with hip over head rotation must have hand support. Airborne skills with hip over head rotation are not allowed.
2. Lift / Tricks and Partnering
 - a. No Lifts allowed
 - b. Non elevated Partnering and Tricks are allowed (refer to Dance Lifts, Tricks and Partnering)
3. Skills are limited to:
 - a. No more than 3 technical skills/tricks are allowed in direct combination (see exception below)
 - b. No more than two rotations in a turn/pirouette in passe' or coupe; performing an elevated skill during the rotation is not allowed. (Example: axle, tour jette', calypso and/or turning leaps)
 - c. Fouette' turns/fouette' a la seconde (turns in second) are not allowed.
 - d. Only forward leaps/jumps are not allowed
 - e. Turning leaps / jumps are not allowed
 - f. Only single leaps, jumps and tricks are allowed. (Example: c-jumps, tilt jumps/leaps and toe touches are allowed: switch leaps and consecutive jumps are not allowed.)

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