



# *InMotion School of Dance* *Student Assistant Program*

The student assistant program at InMotion is designed to give older dancers experience in teaching and working with younger dance classes, to provide assistance to teachers of younger classes, and provide role models for our little dancers at the studio, providing connections between our age groups.

Student assistants must be in the 7th grade or older and be enrolled the style of dance they are assisting. They must be dependable, willing to take instruction from the teacher, take initiative to provide assistance when they see it is needed in class.

There are two tracks for assisting to accommodate your goals!

- 1) "Just for fun" track. This is for dancers who don't necessarily want to teach in the future, but just love working with kids and sharing their love of dance!
- 2) "Aspiring teacher" track. This is for dancers who really want to teach their own class in the future! Future class assignment will be based on readiness and class availability in our schedule. On this track, the teacher will be more intentional about sharing teaching strategies and assigning small responsibilities in teaching to the student assistant.

**Attendance** for assistants will be taken. Having an assistant for the classes assigned is a very important part of the classroom environment and your commitment is not to be taken lightly.

We will do our best to assign you to a class that matches your schedule. However, there are several classes on each night at the studio who would benefit from a student assistant!