

IBC Annual Calendar 2026-2027

August

- 8/8 - Saturday - Open House for new students
- 8/10 - Monday - First day of Fall Semester
- 8/15 - Saturday
 - Preparatory parent meetings (Prep parents)
 - Pre-professional parent meeting (Level parents)
 - YAGP information meeting for new families
- 8/22 - Saturday
 - Nutcracker casting (All Level 1 & Prep 4, No Prep 1-3 dancers)
 - Penrod rehearsal
- 8/29 - Saturday
 - Penrod rehearsal

September

- 9/7 - **No classes- Labor Day**
- 9/12 - Saturday - Penrod Arts Festival - Selected Performances - No Classes
- 9/18 - Fundraiser Event - Polo at Sunset
- 9/14-9/18 - Parent Observation Week
- 9/26 - Carmel International

October

- 10/3 - Sobre de las Olas
- 10/24 - Halloween Party (Dogs, Choreography, and Costume Contest)
- 10/31 - **No evening classes – Halloween**

November

- 11/1 - Practicum Schedule for Nutcracker
 - Normal Prep & Adult Ballet
- TBD Carmel Clay Outreach Performance for Nutcracker
- TBD Christkindlmarkt Performance (Selected Nutcracker Excerpts)
- TBD Theatre Dress Rehearsal
- 11/23-11/26 – **No classes - Thanksgiving Break**
- 11/27 - IN STUDIO REHEARSAL & Notes
- 11/28 - Nutcracker Performances @ Palladium (2 pm & 7 pm shows)
- 11/29 - Nutcracker Performances @ Palladium (1 pm & 6 pm shows)
- 11/30 - **No Classes Monday after Nutcracker**

December

- TBD - Cumberland Weinachtsmarkt Performance
- 12/11 - Day Program Fall Semester Exam Considered audition for Spring Show
- 12/12 - Prep & Pre-Professional Fall Semester Exam *Considered audition for Spring Show*
- 12/18 - Last day of Fall Semester
- 12/10 - Parent/Faculty Conferences
- 12/21-1/3 – **No Classes - Christmas Break**

January

- TBD - ADC/IBC Chicago
- TBD - (including 3 day break!) First day of Spring Semester
- 1/18 – **No classes - Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
- 1/20 - YAGP Run-through at Tarkington

February

- TBD YAGP CHICAGO
- 2/13 & 2/14 - Love is in the Air Fundraiser event- in studio
- 2/15 – **No classes - Presidents Day**
- 2/19-2/21- UBC CHICAGO (TBD)
- 2/22-2/26 - Parent Observation Week

March

- TBD for YAGP Indy
 - Normal Preparatory & Adult Ballet
- TBD YAGP Indianapolis Regional
- TBD No class Monday after Indy YAGP
- 3/27-4/2 - ADC/IBC Finals (TBD)

April

- TBD Carmel Children's Festival (selected performances)
- 4/16-4/18 – UBC CHICAGO (TBD)
- 4/19- Practicum schedule for Spring Show
- 4/26-5/2 – YAGP FINALS (TBD)

May

- 5/7 - Day Program Spring Semester Exam

- 5/8- Prep & Pre-Professional Spring Semester Exam
- TBD Early May Prep Spring Show
- TBD In-studio dress rehearsal
- TBD load-in/dress rehearsal at theatre
- TDB Spring Performance
- 5/22 - End of Spring Semester
- 5/25 - Parent/Faculty Conferences
- TBD - UBC Finals

June

- TBD – Summer Session Evening Classes
- 5/31-6/18 Summer Camp (age 3-5)
- 5/31-6/18 IBC Young Dancer Summer Intensive (age 6-9)

July

- 6/21-7/23 IBC Summer Intensive
- TBD SI Gala
- 7/4 Carmel 4th of July Fest Parade & Performance