

ACSA Dance Documents

1. IASF Dance Rules:
 - Outlines the rules for All Star Dance.
2. IASF Dance Glossary:
 - Outlines terms used and their definitions.
3. ACSA Dance Age Grid:
 - Outlines the divisions on offer, including ages, team sizes and levels for each division.
4. ACSA Dance Deduction System:
 - Outlines the definitions for routine infractions and rule violations for All Star dance routines.
5. ACSA Dance General Scoring:
 - Outline general information regarding divisions and dance styles.
6. ACSA Novice Dance Rules:
 - Outlines specific requirements within the novice division.

1. Age Grid Notes

- 1.1. The eligible age for an athlete is determined by the BIRTH YEARS column on the Age Grid.
- 1.2. Any teams seeking to compete internationally need to ensure their athletes adhere to the age and division requirements of the competition they are attending.
- 1.3. An Asterix (*) indicates that teams in these divisions will be eligible to compete for Worlds Bids. Exception: Junior Lyrical / Contemporary is not offered at Worlds.
- 1.4. Please note that if the IASF make any future changes that impact the Worlds Bid divisions, the below table will be updated accordingly.
- 1.5. All Dance divisions are as defined by the IASF rules.
- 1.6. University Open Dance Teams (includes non-registered Uni students) are to compete in the All Star dance divisions under the All Star rules.
- 1.7. Currently High Kick Worlds Bids can only be offered to IASF Dance Worlds in Junior and Open divisions

ACSA Age Grid				
Division	Birth Years	Age	#Athletes	Style
Tiny (Nov)	2018 or later	6 & Under	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT
Tiny (Int & Adv)	2020-2018	4-6	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT
Mini (Nov)	2015 or later	9 & Under	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT
Mini (Int & Adv)	2019-2015	5-9	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT
Youth (Nov)	2012 or later	12 & Under	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT
Youth (Int & Adv)	2018-2012	6-12	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT
Junior (Nov, Int & Adv)	2016-2009	8 -15	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT, HK
Senior (Nov, Int & Adv)	2013-2006	11-18	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT, HK
Open AG (Nov, Int & Adv)	2010 or earlier	14+	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT, HK
Open Coed (Nov, Int & Adv)	2010 or earlier	14+	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT, HK
Adult (Nov, Int & Adv)	2002 or earlier	18+	5-38	JZ, HH, PM, LR/CT, HK
Athletes aged 18+ are encouraged to provide a Working With Children Check or equivalent				

ACSA Scholastic Age Grid			
Division	Grade	#Athletes	Style
Primary	6 & Below	5-38	JZ, HH, PM
High School	7-12	5-38	JZ, HH, PM

ACSA DanceABILITY Age Grid			
Division	Age	#Athletes	Style
DanceABILITY (Independant)	All Ages	5-38	Dance
DanceABILITY (Unified)	All Ages	5-38	Dance

IASF Age Grid 2023/2024 season (The ages are based on the year the international competitions are held (2024).		
Division	Gender	#Athletes
Open Elite Hip Hop	No Males	6 - 15 members
Open Coed Elite Hip Hop	Female/Male	6 - 15 members
Open Premier Hip Hop	No Males	16 - 30 members
Open Coed Premier Hip Hop	Female/Male	16 - 30 members
Open Male Hip Hop	No Females	6 - 30 members
Open Jazz	No Males	6 - 30 members
Open Coed Jazz	Female/Male	6 - 30 members
Open Pom	No Males	6 - 30 members
Open Coed Pom	Female/Male	6 - 30 members
Open Open (Contemporary/Lyrical)	Female/Male	6 - 30 members
OK Open Kick	Female/Male	6 - 30 members
Junior Dance	Female/Male	6 - 30 members
For more detail and ages / years see https://www.iasfworlds.net/?page_id=463		