



PADA Student Membership Season 2026/27

Disclaimer

- I understand and agree that both students and responsible adults must adhere to the **PADA Standards** at all times.
- I acknowledge that all students attending classes will be fully supervised. CCTV operates throughout the venue, which is managed by Bellfield Primary School.
- I accept responsibility for reviewing and understanding all PADA policies and procedures and agree to follow them accordingly. This includes the **Parent & Carer Code of Conduct Policy** and the **Student Code of Conduct Policy**. In the event of any issues, I will use these policies to help resolve matters appropriately and respectfully.
- I accept and respect the ethos, aims, and curriculum of Phoenix AcroDance Academy (PADA).
- I understand that PADA is a structured academy dedicated to supporting the development of acrobatic dancers, as well as essential life skills such as leadership, teamwork, responsibility, confidence, self-motivation, supporting others, and assisting.
- I understand that PADA is unable to provide full 1:1 support for SEND students throughout entire classes and rehearsals, as staff must support all students. SEND students are welcome at PADA. For further information, please refer to the **SEND Policy**.
- I acknowledge that PADA is a privately operated business and accept responsibility for paying all academy invoices promptly by the specified due date. I understand that a £5 late fee will apply if payment remains outstanding for three or more days. Please refer to the **Payments & Fees Policy** for further details or changes.
- I understand that PADA reserves the right to revoke memberships or registrations at any time, which may result in a student being withdrawn from the academy.

Waiver

- I understand that PADA staff are trained to deliver all activities safely, minimise the risk of injury, and educate students on how to care for their bodies. However, due to the nature of acrobatic activities, I acknowledge that accidents and injuries may occasionally occur. A qualified first aider will be present on site at all times.
- I acknowledge and accept that participation in PADA activities carries inherent risks. Phoenix AcroDance Academy cannot be held liable for any accidents or injuries, including but not limited to: fractures, ligament injuries, head or brain injuries, bruising, soft tissue damage, spinal injuries, trips, falls, loss of balance, mental health concerns (including self-harm), or, in extreme circumstances, death.
- I give permission for PADA to seek and administer appropriate first aid and to obtain any necessary medical advice or treatment in the event of an injury or emergency.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to inform PADA, via email, of any student illnesses, injuries, existing or new medical conditions, or concerns relating to self-harm or suicidal thoughts or behaviours (whether suspected or confirmed). I recognise that while PADA aims to support all students, effective support relies on open communication and cooperation from parents or legal guardians.
- I give consent for PADA staff, support staff, guest teachers, student teachers, assistant teachers, examiners, course facilitators, students, and volunteers to provide hands-on support ("spotting") where necessary. This physical guidance is used solely to ensure safety, assist with correct technique, and minimise the risk of injury during training.

Compulsory Conditions

- I understand and accept that students at PADA are required to complete monthly homework as part of their training, with a minimum commitment of four days per week. I acknowledge that it is ultimately the student's responsibility to complete this work, and I will support them in doing so and ensure it is returned on time in their homework folder.
- I recognise that regular attendance and commitment to classes are essential for all PADA students and are compulsory for members of the Performing Team. A separate **PADA Performing Team Standards** must be followed for students who are part of the Performing Team.
- I understand that parents or guardians must notify PADA by email of any **student absence** on the day of the absence, prior to the class start time. This applies to all classes, including *PADA Performing Team sessions*.
I agree to inform PADA of any absence in accordance with the **PADA Attendance & Communications Policy**.

This document serves as the official PADA Student Membership Disclaimer, Waiver, and Compulsory Conditions for the 2026/27 season.
The signed copy, completed by the parent or legal guardian, is securely stored by PADA.