

THE GET DOWN BATTLE CREW

September 2025 - May 2026

OUR VISION

Battling is the fundamental core of breaking which is why we're overjoyed to be able to offer a Breaking Crew at Motion & Music. The Get Down Battle Crew is a breaking program that is going to focus solely on battling. The main component that will be focused on with The Get Down Battle Crew is gaining the self-confidence to be able to express yourself and showcase the moves/movements you genuinely feel inspired to do.

This program acts as a bridge for recreational breakers to progress into competitive breakers.

Your child will learn all the fundamental elements of battling I.E:

- Proper battle etiquette (Dos & Don'ts of battling)
- Movement storytelling (Learning how to have conversations within your movement against your opponent and for the audience/judges)
- Musicality adaption (Learning how to adapt and adjust to any song at any given time)
- Battle Theory & History
- Identifying your breaking style & whether you're a more choreographed, freestyle or combo breaker.
- Judge Theory (Learning the elements of Breaking that judges will be judging you upon)
- And Many more individual and character building tools

BATTLES

How They Work

Battles are a Street Style Dance Competition, where dancers face off with an opponent usually in a "rounds style battle". Battles are very free-flowing and offered throughout the whole calendar year for different age groups and levels. Whenever a battle pops up outside the studio, you will be emailed with as much notice as possible so that you and your child can attend. It is NOT mandatory to attend every battle, but the more battles you do attend the faster your child will progress and the more confident they will become with their

movement in a battle setting. As stated above the main goal is to simply gain confidence and practice battling, and there's no better way to do that than actually battling!

Parent Responsibilities

This program is very independent and **parents are fully responsible for taking their dancer to and from the battles** and watching them for the duration of the battle. Most of the time there will be NO teacher or studio representative at the battles (If you are in our MDC programs, this is a very different concept!).

TUITION & ADDITIONAL FEES

Deposit: \$30 + GST/Dancer

The registration fee covers our year end recital in May

Tuition

For Non-MDC Dancers: \$610+GST

For MDC: The class hour is calculated into your dancer's weekly hours and will correspond on the Tuition Fee Chart (located in your MDC information package).

Additional Fees

Spin Toque (possible T-shirt or track suits): We will place an order for spin toques in the late fall for those who do not have one from previous years or classes.

Battles: Entry Fees are an additional cost

Attire: You will need to provide clean indoor sneakers and appropriate, easy to move in attire for your dancer for class and battles.

Please email admin@motionandmusic.ca if you have any questions.