

Dragon Youth
DAZZLERS



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2026 Choreographer & Head Coach



Justine Orf is excited to share her love for dance and performance with the Dragon Youth Dazzlers again this season!

- Selected for the NBA's Dallas Mavericks Dance Team, where she danced on the Mav's home court for three seasons.
- Five years dancing on the NFL sidelines with the world famous Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders.
- Member of the DCC's elite Show Group, and traveled with the USO on seven tours overseas to perform for our Armed Forces.
- Served as a DCC Group Leader, was selected as the 2010 Pro Bowl Cheerleader Representative, and appeared throughout five seasons of DCC Making The Team reality show, and also continued to represent the DCC organization for an additional three seasons as an All-Star.
- Taught in Plano at KJ Dance for over 20 years, and served as the hip hop team director while pioneering the Drill Team and Pom



Justine Orf



2026 Requirements



CLASSIC & ELITE SQUADS

- Attend CISD schools or be living within the city of Southlake
- Must be in 2nd–6th grade as of Fall 2026 (2026/2027 school year)
- Enrollment in a technique dance class beginning April 1st and throughout the Dazzler Season (Summer and Fall included)
 - Classes that qualify as technique include: ballet, jazz, contemporary, lyrical, drill team prep, leaps/turns or progressions
 - Classes that do NOT qualify as technique: hip hop, tap, or other dance styles not included above
 - Private lessons do NOT qualify as a technique class
 - Summer requirements: 8–12 hours of technique taken
- Purchase and wear the approved uniform, accessories, and jazz shoes during all performances and practices
- Parents will need to download and utilize SportsEngine for weekly RSVPs



2026 Requirements



CLASSIC & ELITE SQUADS

- Participation in both Dazzler dance intensives, where all choreography will be learned:
 - Intensive 1: Aug 1st & Aug 2nd
 - Intensive 2: September date TBD
- Attend Uniform Fitting May 16th - NEW Uniforms!
- Attend ALL practices*
 - Practices are closed to parents.
 - Practices will be held either Friday or Sunday afternoons. These will be either outdoor field practices or indoor studio practices.
 - Please note that for outdoor practices throughout the year we will have a safety team on site, as temperatures are typically 100+. We only cancel in very extreme heat situations, so please expect that we will be outside in these months rehearsing.
 - If a Dazzler is unable to attend a practice without prior approval, they will not be able to participate at the following performance.
 - PLEASE RSVP in Sports Engine as soon as you are able. **Formations are created off of the responses and formation changes impact the entire team.**

**Absences due to illness will be excused with proper communication to Admin group*



2026 Elite Requirements



ELITE SQUAD

- The Elite squad is ideally made up of 20-40 dancers
- Auditions will be held for any Dazzler enrolled in **grades 4th – 6th** that would like to be considered for the Elite Squad
 - Please note that while 4th graders are welcome to audition, priority will be given to 5th-6th graders who meet the dance qualifications
 - Returning Elites are required to audition again and are **NOT** guaranteed a spot
 - Dancers who express interest will be sent a video a week before the audition and will be asked to perform what they learned in the video.
 - Please do not book private lessons for the audition dance. It's important that dancers show they can learn new choreography quickly with limited direction. They're welcome to practice on their own or in small groups
 - If not selected for the Elite squad, dancers will automatically be enrolled on the Classics squad
- The Elite Dancers will be doing more intricate choreography, formations, and skills. Therefore, the dance requirement outside of Dazzlers is higher than with Classics. Elite members must be enrolled in 3 or more hours of dance per week.
- Dancers need to be currently enrolled in the hours to fulfill the necessary technique qualifications:
 - General requirements include (but are not limited to) technically and correctly executed double pirouettes, leaps, kicks/extensions, calypso, etc.
 - Flexibility, performance and energy are a huge part in the dancers' all around success.



2026 Fees & Uniform



CLASSIC & ELITE SQUADS

REQUIRED ITEMS:

- Registration fees = \$175
- Dazzlers field uniform & practice uniform :
Classic = appx. \$300
Elite = appx. \$325 + Elite Jersey – appx. \$75

NOTE: NEW uniforms this year! Uniforms will remain the same for at least 2 years

- Handheld poms = \$50
- Headpiece & earrings = \$30 – \$40
- Boots (drill team style) = \$60
- Shoes (tan jazz shoes) = \$45
- Suntan tights = \$20

OPTIONAL ITEMS:

- Dazzler warm up set = cost TBD
- Dazzler Spirit Wear by Team Glam, Pinpoint and Paper Flower = cost TBD
- Dazzlers backpack = \$60
- Dance bra = \$35
- Dazzler Yard Sign = \$50



**Please note that these are estimates only and pricing is not final*



2026 Important Dates



April 1st: Registration opens on website, 9AM

April 5th: Registration closes on website

April 26th: Elite squad tryouts

- Video will be released on 4/21
- Team announced by EOD 5/1

May 16th: Uniform fitting and spirit wear sale

August 1st and 2nd: Two-day mandatory dance intensive at Harlen House studio

- Classics: 8:00–11:00
- Elites: 11:30–2:00

Aug 8th: Team Kickoff Party at PinStack

August 9th: Weekly practice begins

- Practice runs from August 9th – November 15th
- Classics: 4–5P or 5–6P
- Elites: 4:30–6P
- Weekly practices will vary between Friday and Sunday, dependent upon field availability/need
- The halftime performances and Friday practice dates will NOT be announced until we have the football schedules (mid-August). Please note all half time performances will be held at games within Southlake, as we perform at homes games only.

August (late, date TBD): Southlake community pep rally at Dragon Stadium

September (date TBD): DYF night at Dragon Stadium

September (date TBD): Opening weekend, all DYF games begin, 2nd Intensive date (mandatory – TBD)

November 23rd: Southlake Tree Lighting (Elites)

December 10th : End of year banquet

**Note: we are at the mercy of DYF for schedules and everything is subject to change*



Coaching & Volunteer Positions



Dragon Youth Dazzlers relies heavily on volunteers to ensure the season runs smoothly. We would love for you to volunteer!

Classics coaching expectations include:

- Substantial dance history/experience
- Weekly availability for Friday/Sunday practices and Saturday performances
- Attendance during coaches rehearsals where dances are learned

If you are interested, there will be a box you can select during registration that will enable us to contact you for further information.

Additional volunteer opportunities include:

- Safety team to be present at all outdoor events to set up tents, water coolers and cooling towels
- Weekly Dazzler of the Week flower courier
- Banquet setup/takedown team

If you are interested, please email the admin team once registered.





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SHIMMER \$500

Logo inclusion on sponsor shirt given to all Dazzlers and the start of season

SPARKLE \$1000

Shimmer benefits
1x social media post from Dazzler account with 900+ followers
Logo displayed at EOY Banquet with Dazzlers and parents
Logo inclusion on step and repeat banner used throughout the year at events for photos



SHINE \$2500

Shimmer benefits
3x social media post from Dazzler account with 900+ followers
Logo displayed at EOY Banquet with Dazzlers and parents with special mention at presentation
Logo inclusion on step and repeat banner used throughout the year at events for photos

DAZZLE \$6000

All level benefits plus:
5x social media post from Dazzler account with 900+ followers
Photoshoot at business with Dazzlers and photo release





**Thank you and we look
forward to a fabulous
2026 season!**