THE AILEY SCHOOL

Junior Division Academic Calendar 2025-2026

| Thursday, September 4, 2025 @ 5:30pm Friday, September 5, 2025 @12:00pm | First Steps and Bounding Boys Virtual Parent Orientation Sessions (choose one to attend) |
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| Saturday, September 6, 2025 | First Steps and Bounding Boys classes begin |
| Thursday, September 11, 2025 @5:30 pm Friday, September 12, 2025 @12:00pm | Pre-Professional Program Virtual Parent Orientation Sessions (choose one to attend) |
| Saturday, September 13, 2025 | Pre-Professional Program classes begin |
| Saturday, October 4, 2025 Date subject to change | First Steps and Bounding Boys Program Parent Welcome Day |
| Monday, October 13, 2025 | Indigenous Peoples' Day No classes. Administrative offices closed. |
| Wednesday, October 15 – Saturday, October 18, 2025 | Pre-Professional Program Parent Welcome Week |
| Wednesday, November 26 – Saturday, November 29, 2025 | Thanksgiving Break No classes. Administrative offices closed. |
| Monday, December 1, 2025 | Junior Division classes resume |
| Saturday, December 6, 2025 UPDATED Saturday, December 13 Dates subject to change | First Steps and Bounding Boys Parent Observation Day Fall Term Parent Observation Day |
| Monday, December 8, 2025- Saturday, December 13, 2025 UPDATED Monday February 9, 2026 – Saturday February 13, 2026 Dates subject to change | Pre-Professional Program Parent Observation Week Parent Observation Days |
| Monday, December 22, 2025 – Saturday, January 3, 2026 | Winter Holiday Break No classes. Administrative offices closed. |

| Monday, January 5, 2026 | Junior Division classes resume |
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| Monday, January 19, 2026 | Martin Luther King Jr. Day No classes. Administrative offices closed. |
| Monday February 9, 2026 – Saturday February 13, 2026 Dates subject to change | Pre-Professional Program Parent Observation Week Parent Observation Days |
| Saturday, February 14 – Friday, February 20, 2026 | Mid-Winter Break No classes. Administrative offices closed. |
| Saturday, February 21, 2026 | Junior Division classes resume |
| Saturday, March 21, 2026 Date subject to change | First Steps and Bounding Boys Parent Observation Day |
| Thursday, April 2 – Friday, April 10, 2026 | Spring Break No classes. Administrative offices closed. |
| Saturday, April 11, 2026 | Junior Division classes resume |
| Wednesday, April 22 – Saturday, April 25, 2026 Dates subject to change | Pre-Professional Program Parent Observation Week |
| Saturday, May 2, 2026 | Last day of First Steps and Bounding Boys Classes |
| Sunday, May 3, 2026 | First Steps and Bounding Boys Performances at Ailey Citigroup Theater |
| Saturday, May 9, 2026- Saturday, May 16, 2026 | Pre-Professional Program Technical Rehearsals at Hostos w/ Last week of classes at Ailey School |
| Friday, May 15 – Sunday, May 17, 2026 | Pre-Professional Program Spring. Concert at Hostos Community College |