The Green Twig School is excited to offer a new creative movement program with Ms. Katie Reynaldo for young movers ages 21 months (1 yr. 9 months) through 3 years 5 months old. This organized and structured class is a perfect introduction to dance, movement and music in a nurturing learning environment.

Reasons to do Creative Movement:

- Body and spatial awareness, developing an expression of the body and face
- Creating awareness of their own body (where are the different body parts located and how do they move?)
- Learning to distinguish the differences between movements (how does my elbow move compared to my fingers?)
- Listening skills and following directions
- This is the best age to begin developing awareness of different feelings/movement/music etc. It may become more difficult to develop these ideas and feelings the later you begin this type of class.
- Movement and music are already a part of your children’s activities. Therefore, they will feel more comfortable and enjoy the class!

During the 45 minute class, students will be introduced to the basic elements of dance and basic ballet vocabulary in a positive and loving manner, while exploring movement and music in a fun, creative way. Our teacher, Ms. Katie, uses imagination games, upbeat age-appropriate music and props, such as hula hoops, tambourines, scarves, shapes and colors to inspire and excite the children about dance.

This class will help little ones acclimate to the structure and energy of a dance class. It is not a formal dance class, and so is typically less structured and tends to focus more on development, body and space awareness and communication. The young dancers will begin learning key motor skills, listening skills and work on following direction from someone other than their parents/guardians.

Katie Reynaldo is one of Green Twig’s teachers and has studied dance and movement for the last 21 years. After graduating from Montclair State University with a BFA in dance, she decided she wanted to spread her love of the art to kids of all ages and has been teaching at local dance schools ever since! Katie has been sharing her creative movement program since she started teaching 5 years ago. She truly has a passion for teaching little ones how to express themselves through movement and song!
Green Twig Creative Movement Program Registration Form and Tuition Agreement 2018-2019

Child’s name and DOB______________________________________________

Tuition is $420 for the full year.

Please note that space is limited for this program.

Class begins Monday, September 17th 2018 at 12:30pm. Last day of class is Monday, May 6th 2019.

Your child must be picked-up at 1:15pm in the Toddler Room by parent/guardian.

There will be an end the year performance on Saturday, May 11th 2019.

Following the Green Twig calendar, there is no class on the following days:

October 8th
December 24th & 31st
February 18th
April 15th

When accepted by The Green Twig School, I understand that this is an agreement which includes the following provisions:

1. All payments are due by the first of the month and are considered late after the 10th of that month. A $10 late fee per week late will be incurred.
2. Requests for schedule changes or cancellations must be submitted in writing (email is acceptable), with 3 business days’ notice to the office.
3. Two schedule changes are allowed per student, per school year. Thereafter, a $20 processing fee will be charged per family (including program re-entry).
4. Parents who wish to withdraw their child from the program must submit their request in writing (email is acceptable). Parents are responsible for tuition and fees owed. This includes the full cycle tuition payment for any time reserved, partial or otherwise.
5. There are no refunds, credits or make-up days due to absence, illness, vacation, or withdrawal from the program. Parents are responsible for fees for time reserved, not actual time spent in the program.

I have read and agree to adhere to The Green Twig School Creative Movement Program Enrollment Agreement and the policies and procedures listed above and in our packet. I give my child permission to participate fully in this program. I understand that failure to abide by any part of this agreement may result in dismissal of my child from the program.

Parent Signature:_________________________________________________ Date:_________________________