CLRG Grade Examinations

Saturday, May 03, 2025

Exam Hours: (Estimate) 9am - 1pm

(Final Schedule will be emailed to exam participants 1 week prior to the exams)

Hosted by: An Daire Academy of Irish Dance

Payments to: An Daire Academy

Exam Location:

Cornelius Hedges Elementary School (AKA Hedges) - Gymnasium

827 4th Ave E

Kalispell, MT 59901.

Grade Examiner(s): Catherine Leneghan, SDCRG

Official syllabus of required dances:

https://www.clrq.ie/images/downloads/exams/Grade Exam Syllabus 2018.pdf

OFFERING GRADES 1 - 10

- Closing date for registration: Sunday April 20th, 2025.
- Candidates will spend approximately 30 minutes completing each grade.
- Final schedule will be available Monday, April 28th, 2025.
- Exams will be scheduled to accommodate those taking multiple grades.
- Registration and payment via www.feisworx.com.
- Registration will be capped at 100 grades.
- No refunds will be provided for any reason.

<u>Grades</u>	Price
Registration F	ee: \$35
1 – 3	\$30
4 – 6	\$40
7 – 8	\$55
9 – 10	\$55

What to wear: No costumes. Generic practice attire or all-black ensemble. No school logos, insignias, or other identifiers.

General Information: Grade exams are a progressive system of non-competitive evaluation. They are intended to offer the dancer a thorough assessment of their knowledge and technique at each level of their dance education.

Dancers should be prepared to perform steps appropriate to the Grade level...

Beginner steps for 'Easy" dances

Traditional steps for 'Basic' dances

Novice steps for 'Primary" dances

Prizewinner or Championship steps for 'Advanced' dances

Eligibility:

Dancers attempting Grade 2 or higher must present official certificates from past Grade Exams as proof of eligibility.

Dancers registered for multiple Grade Exams (i.e.: Grades 1,2 and 3) will be required to successfully pass each initial grade before attempting the next.

A three-month waiting period is required between exam sittings.

Dancers should request permission from their TCRG before registering as a candidate.

Spectators are not allowed in the preparation area or examination room.