SALSA ON2 DANCE ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

Criteria	Exceeds Expectations (4)	Fully Meets Expectations (3)	Meets Expectations (minimal level) (2)	Not Yet Within Expectations (1)
Creative Dance Sequence	Develops a dance sequence that is creative, complete and displays lots of effort and practice. clearly demonstrates 5 individual steps displays many styling elements of body and space awareness, qualities and relationships sequence is consistent all of the time	Develops a dance sequence that is creative, complete and displays some effort and practice. demonstrates 4 individual steps displays some styling elements of body and space awareness, qualities and relationships sequence is consistent most of the time	Develops a dance sequence that is not very creative, incomplete and displays little effort and practice. demonstrates less than 3 individual steps displays few styling elements of body and space awareness, qualities and relationships sequence is often inconsistent	Develops a dance sequence that is uncreative, incomplete and displays no effort or practice. OR Does not develop a dance sequence. unclearly demonstrates some individual steps no attention to styling elements sequence is different each time
Dance Terminology, Steps, and Directions	Always able to explain or demonstrate dance terms, the count, steps and directions with no errors. understands and follows all dance terms and directions given knows all new steps accurately performs all dance steps with ease	Mostly able to explain or demonstrate dance terms, the count, steps and directions with few errors. understands and follows most dance terms and directions given, watches others at times knows most new steps accurately performs most dance steps, struggles at times	Sometimes able to explain or demonstrate dance terms, the count, steps and directions with some errors. understands and follows some dance terms and directions, watches others often knows some new steps accurately performs some dance steps, struggles often	Rarely able to explain or demonstrate dance terms, the count, steps and directions with many errors. understands and follows few dance terms and directions, always watches others knows few new steps accurately performs few dance steps, always struggles and looks overwhelmed
Partner / Overall Performance	Performs complete dance with lots of confidence and enthusiasm, making few errors. • performs all sequences from memorization • rarely needs to be corrected on timing • always demonstrates enthusiasm by showing energy in movements and giving their best	Performs complete dance with some confidence and enthusiasm, making some errors. • performs most sequences from memorization • sometimes needs to corrected on timing • sometimes demonstrates enthusiasm by showing energy in movements and giving their best	Performs complete dance with little confidence and enthusiasm, making many errors. • performs some sequences from memorization • mostly needs to be corrected on timing • rarely demonstrates enthusiasm by showing energy in movements and giving their best	Performs complete dance with no confidence or enthusiasm, making constant errors. OR Does not perform complete dance. unable to perform any sequences from memorization always needs to be corrected on the count never demonstrates enthusiasm