

SD Public School, Pitampura Delhi
Kathak Dance Annual Planner (Classes 3–8) –
Session 2026–2027

Planner for Classes 3–5

Month	Topic	Activities
April–May	Introduction to Kathak	History of Kathak, posture, basic hand gestures
July	Tatkar Basics	Ta Thai Thai Tat practice, coordination of hands and feet
August	Devotional Dance	Simple Ganesh Vandana with expressions
September	Rhythm	Introduction to Teen Taal (16 beats), simple Tihai
October	Abhinaya	Krishna theme expressions and gestures
November	Chakkar Practice	Basic spins and Tatkar drills
December	Dance Composition	Short Kathak routine (group practice)
January	Patriotic Theme	Dance on patriotic song for Republic Day
February	Revision	Revision of all steps learned
March	Performance	Annual presentation and assessment

Planner for Classes 6–8

Month	Topic	Activities
April	Revision	Revision of basic Tatkar and hand gestures
May	Advanced Tatkar	Faster footwork and multiple Chakkar practice
July	Taal Study	Teen Taal and introduction to Jhaptal
August	Vandana	Ganesh or Saraswati Vandana performance
September	Toda/Tukda/Tihai	Practice of traditional Kathak compositions
October	Abhinaya	Radha–Krishna theme expression dance
November	Layakari	Practice in slow, medium and fast tempo
December	Dance Composition	Solo or group choreography
January	Patriotic Dance	Republic Day presentation
February	Revision	Practice of complete repertoire
March	Final Performance	Stage presentation and evaluation