



EVALUATION CARD

Summer 2026

STUDENT NAME: Shanice Gitau

TEAM LEVEL: Advanced Beginner

MANDATORY TRAINING	COMMENTS
Advanced Beginner, Intermediate TRIAL	LOVE seeing you enjoy training! Continue to work on the following concepts: Avoid looking down in solowork or partnerwork (this takes away from posture), work on spotting with a full range of motion even in simple figures, work on expanding your body movement from rib cage rather than arms, keep your legs closer together when coming out of turns and traveling figures for better balance and responsiveness, using hip movement for better momentum in preps/turns.

"TRIAL" indicates a 2-week period in the assigned class level where the instructors will observe a new student's ability to keep up with the class to ensure the level is the best fit. Students will only be contacted at the end of the 2-week trial period if the teaching team determines that a level change is necessary. If no contact is made, the student may continue in the assigned class level

SCORES	CRITERIA DESCRIPTION
Salsa On2 Timing & Musicality	Score: 3 About 60% awareness of the beat and connection to tempo; may fall off timing occasionally in between transitions of shines or partner work; can catch basic accents and breaks in the music.
Connection to Partner & Responsiveness	Score: 3 Basic lead/follow skills are present and intentional; may occasionally misinterpret a cue or signal; minor interruptions in partner connection.
Posture / Alignment & Frame	Score: 3 Basic posture and alignment is clear and understood; minor misalignment or weight placement issues.
Body Movement & Flow	Score: 2 Developing coordination, but struggling with smooth and natural transitions between movements or steps.

Footwork Precision & Cleanliness

Score: 3 | Clean and intentional footwork with minor inconsistencies; may lack control at times.

Expression & Styling

Score: 2 | Hesitant to add flavor; attempts are made, but still hesitant; styling is not yet coordinated or clean.

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