

# Etymology Project

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Attitude

Pointe

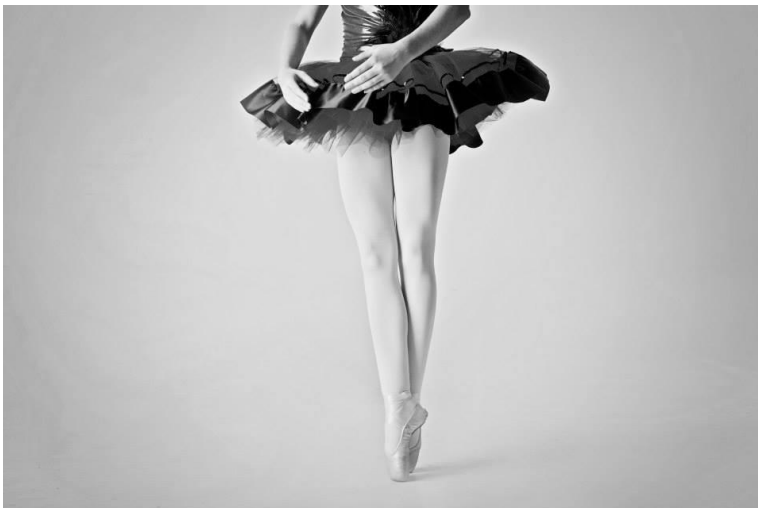
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# Pointe

[French pawnt, point]

Function: noun

1. (Ballet) the tip of the toe
2. A position on the extreme tips of the toes



# Pointe

## Etymology:

- French origin from 1820-1830.



# Attitude

[at-i-tood, -tyood]

Function: noun

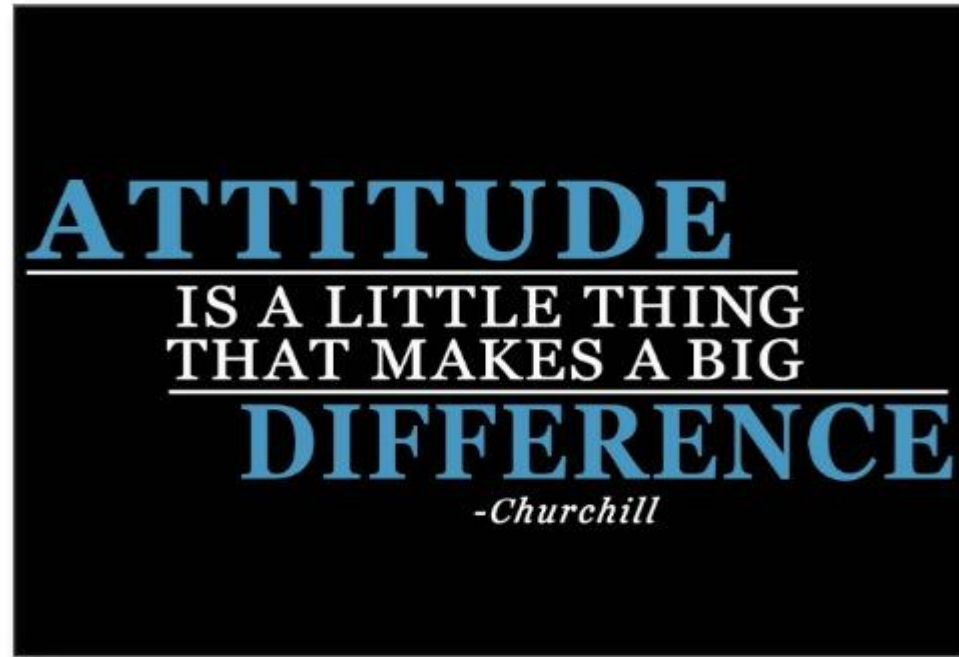
1. manner, disposition, feeling, position, with regard to a person or thing, tendency or orientation
2. (Ballet) a pose in which the dancer stands on one leg, the other bent behind



# Attitude

## Etymology:

- French, Latin, Italian origin from 1660-1670.



**POSITIVE  
ATTITUDE**

# Sydney

[SID-nee]

## Meaning:

- Wide island

## Origin:

- Old English

## Ranked in the US:

- #98



*Sydney*

# Lee

[LEE]

## Meaning:

- Clearing

## Origin:

- Old English

## Ranked in the US:

- #667

Lee



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