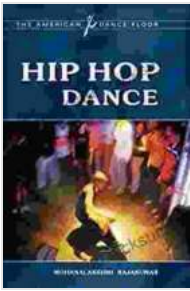


Hip Hop Dance: The American Dance Floor

Hip hop dance is a style of dance that emerged in the United States in the 1970s.



It is characterized by its energetic and expressive movements, which are often performed to hip hop music. Hip hop dance has become a popular form of expression for young people around the world, and it has been featured in a variety of films, television shows, and music videos.



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Origins of Hip Hop Dance

Hip hop dance originated in the Bronx borough of New York City in the early 1970s. It was created by young people who were looking for a way to express themselves creatively. The early pioneers of hip hop dance were influenced by a variety of dance styles, including funk, soul, and breakdancing.

Characteristics of Hip Hop Dance

Hip hop dance is characterized by its energetic and expressive movements.



The basic steps of hip hop dance include the uprock, the downrock, and the six-step. Hip hop dance also often incorporates elements of other dance styles, such as jazz, ballet, and modern dance.

Types of Hip Hop Dance

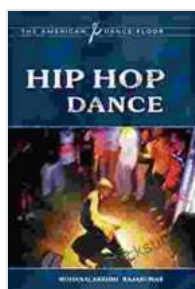
There are many different types of hip hop dance, including:

- **Breaking:** Breaking is a style of hip hop dance that is characterized by its acrobatic and power moves.
- **Popping:** Popping is a style of hip hop dance that is characterized by its quick and precise movements.
- **Locking:** Locking is a style of hip hop dance that is characterized by its exaggerated and funky movements.
- **Krumping:** Krumping is a style of hip hop dance that is characterized by its aggressive and energetic movements.
- **House:** House is a style of hip hop dance that is characterized by its smooth and fluid movements.

Hip Hop Dance Today

Hip hop dance is a popular form of expression for young people around the world. It is performed in a variety of settings, including clubs, schools, and competitions. Hip hop dance has been featured in a variety of films, television shows, and music videos. It has also been used as a form of social commentary and political expression.

Hip hop dance is a vibrant and expressive art form that has had a profound impact on American culture. It is a dance style that is constantly evolving, and it continues to inspire and entertain people around the world.



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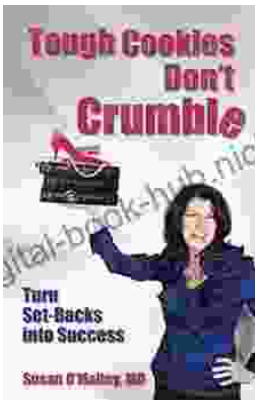
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