

# Class Categories - Category 1, 2, and 3

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Jackrabbit uses **Class Categories** to organize your database. **Category 1** is the most important one because it organizes your revenue and enrollment. Categories 2 & 3 are subcategories and provide levels or sections.

## Category 1

In the same way you organize your important documents into folders, Jackrabbit organizes your revenue and enrollment into **Category 1s**.

One of the main ways Jackrabbit does this is by assigning Category 1s to each class. The Category 1s you assign to each class will help you in organizing tuition and enrollment.

For example, if you assign all your Ballet classes a Category 1 of Ballet, you'll be able to run reports telling you how much Ballet tuition you received during a range of dates. You'll also be able to run reports that tell you how many students you have enrolled in the Ballet category.

You can also create Category 1s that aren't related to a specific class (an example might be a registration fee or a late fee), so you can create reports on those fees as well.

To create Category 1 drop-down values:













1. Go to the **Gear icon > Settings > General**.
2. Click **Drop-down Lists** in the left-hand column.
3. Click **Category 1 (Income Categories)**.

### Drop-down List Editor

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**Choose List**  
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**Class Management, Enrollment & Revenue Reporting**  
**Category 1 (Income Categories)**  
**Class**  
Category 2  
Category 3  
Duration  
Room  
Session  
Status  
**Family**  
Contact Types  
ePayment Schedule  
Membership Type  
Source (How did you hear about us?)  
Status  
**Other**  
Vendor Types (Costumes/Apparel)  
**Staff**  
Certifications  
Positions

**List: Category 1 (Income Categories)**  
Description: **Very Important!** Create a Category 1 (Income Category) for every group of income (revenue) you would like to track. This allows you to assign every class and fee to one of these categories so that you can search, sort and report on them. [Learn more about Category 1](#)  
  
Tip: Shorter values reduce word-wrapping on your screens and reports.  
  
Check **"Hide from users"** to hide a value from drop-down lists within Jackrabbit. Check **"Hide from customers"** to hide a value from drop-down lists within Online Web Registration and the Customer/Parent Portal.  
  


			Hide from customers	Hide from users	
<a href="#">Add Row</a>					
Adult Fitness			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Camp			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Costumes			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Dance			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Drop-ins			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Gift Card Sales			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>

The crayon icon lets you select colors for Category 1 classes. The color will show in the class calendar.

4. Review the **Category 1** values on the right.

- To remove **Category 1** items that don't relate to your business click the **Delete** button.





**Note:** Use caution when deleting a drop-down category. Once deleted it's impossible to search and report on any transaction that used the deleted drop-down name.

- To add more *Category 1 items*, proceed to step 5.
- Click the **Add Row** button. Enter a name for the new category.
    - Check **Hide from customers** if you do not want the *Category 1* value visible to a parent when registering on your website or in their Parent Portal. This is useful for internal use only or for categories that are no longer in use and you don't want them to be visible. This can be updated at any time.
    - Check **Hide from users** when you don't want the value to show in your drop-down lists in your database and online. When *Hide from users* is selected, the *Hide from customers* checkbox is automatically selected.
    - Click on the  **Crayon Icon** to select a color. The class will appear in your **calendar** in the selected color. You can group classes together by color. For example, all ballet classes can be purple, and tap classes can be set to green.
  - Click **Save Changes**.



Create a *Category 1* for every revenue group (income received) you would like to track and consider color-coding your *Category 1* fields. It's a great visual way of defining classes. Light colors display with black text and darker colors with white text. You can add colors now or return to add them later.

## Examples of Category 1 Lists By Industry

	<b>Dance</b>	<b>Dance genres:</b> Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Combo, Pre-Dance, etc. <b>Also consider</b> Team, Private, Competition Fee, Registration Fee, etc.
	<b>Gymnastics</b>	<b>Ages, Divisions, Skills:</b> Beginner, Little Jumpers, Tumbling, etc. <b>Also consider</b> Team, Recreation, Special Events, Insurance Fee, etc.
	<b>Swim</b>	<b>Ages &amp; Divisions:</b> Starfish, Beginners, Dolphins, Diving, etc. <b>Also consider</b> Team, Private, Competitive, Birthday Parties, etc.
	<b>Cheer</b>	<b>Ages &amp; Divisions:</b> All-Star, Recreational, Tumbling, Camp, etc. <b>Also consider</b> Competition Fee, Dance, Pro-Shop, etc.



## Music

**Instrument & Levels:** Guitar, Piano, Beginner, Advanced, etc.  
**Also consider** Private, Group, Recitals, Music, etc.

## Category 2 & 3

Category 2 and Category 3 fields are used to group classes together and can be useful when creating enrollment reports. Category drop-down values can be thought of as levels, with Category 1 being the top. Category 2 and 3 are the 'adjectives' whereas Category 1 is the 'noun'.

For example, a dance studio may have a Category 1 value of "Ballet" and want to provide a further breakdown between levels of dance such as "Beginner" and "Advanced"; they could use Category 2 for this purpose.

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#### Choose List

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Category 1 (Income Categories)

#### Class

Category 2

Category 3

Duration

Room

Session

Status

#### Family

Contact Types

ePayment Schedule

Membership Type

Source (How did you hear about us?)

#### List: Class Category2

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[Add Row](#)

	Hide from customers	Hide from users	
Special Placement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Advanced	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>
Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Delete</a>

Helpful for internal use only.

Use when you no longer need the drop-down, but you don't want to lose your historical data.

**Expand/Collapse**  
**All**

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