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Salsa Dance: Rhythmic Origins and Energetic Characteristics

Short Answer

1. Describe the historical origins of Salsa dance and its connection to New York City.
2. What role does improvisation play in Salsa dance, and how does it contribute to the uniqueness of each performance?
3. Explain the importance of the connection between partners in Salsa dancing and how they communicate while dancing together.
4. How do hip and body movements enhance the overall appeal of Salsa dance? Provide examples of these movements.
5. Name two Latin American dance styles that influenced the development of Salsa dance in New York City.

