

Guidelines for TDC Company Auditions

Many Parents and Dancers start asking questions about TDC Company Auditions. We thought it would be helpful to give you some additional insight:

Is my Dancers ready to Audition to be on TDC Company? OR is my dancer going to advance if they are currently on Company?

Here is a list of questions you will need to answer for yourself to see if your dancer and your family is ready to commit.

- Has my dancer Completed Level 3 and/or 4 Classes?
 - o TDC has a set Curriculum for each level to ensure dancers progression
- Does my dancer currently attend all of her Dance classes with good attendance?
- Does my dancer come on time, is prepared for class (ex. Wearing the correct dance clothes and hair pulled up) and works hard the whole class?
- Does my dancer frequently sit out due to health issues or other reasons?
- Does my dancer show respect to their teachers, directors and peers? Promotes unity and uplifts others?
- Is my dancer proficient in all three genres? Ballet, Modern and Jazz
- Is my dancer ready to dance more hours a week? Can we support our dancer coming more hours a week and support the TDC Company Schedule?
- For the safety of each dancer a “pointe test” will be given to determine pointe readiness. Are you willing to trust the Ballet Instructor/directors analysis?
- Can you support purchasing new pointe shoes each time your dancer needs them?
- Can we support purchasing the TDC jacket, Company Leo and any other items needed to participate on TDC Company?
- Can I support my dancer and TDC in extra activities outside of class time?
 - o Company Concert Rehearsals
 - o Workshops at TDC and other locations (for older Companies)
 - o Dance Convention and/or Tour
 - o Company Socials
 - o Any other activities that may come up during year

Our goal at TDC is not only focusing to help dancer improve and grow in their talents as a dancer but to build confident, dependable, hard working and successful INDIVIDUALS.

Auditions Outline

Mandatory Parent Meeting / Friday April 17th / 5pm-6pm

Saturday April 18th / Current Company 1 & Current Company 2 Dancers / 9am-11am
Current Level 3 & Current Level 4 Dancers 12pm-2pm

Saturday April 25th / Current PDC & Current Dance Company / 9am-11am
Current Senior Co & Current Junior Co 12pm-2pm