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Dance Choreography Intensive for Teens

Eight-Week Online Program Application

Deadline: December 3, 2021

Welcome to Young Choreographers Project. Before you fill out the application, please read through the following information to fully understand what to expect out of the program.

Program Overview

Application Deadline: December 3, 2021

Application Fee: \$15 (Non-refundable application fee due at the time of applying.)

Program Dates: January 23 - March 19, 2022

Online Sessions are on Sundays from 12 pm - 2 pm and Thursdays 4 pm - 6 pm PST. Students must attend all sessions. Each session consists of the following:

- **Class Session (90 minutes):** All Young Choreographers and Mentors
- **Mentor groups (30 minutes):** 3 Young Choreographers:1 Mentor

Showcase: Saturday, March 19th (*Time to be determined.*)

Tuition: \$785.00 (Must be paid in full by January 9, 2022.)

A limited number of scholarships are available. If you would like to apply for a scholarship, please fill out [the Scholarship Application](#), due on December 3, 2021.



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There are only 12 spots available for this program, and this application determines who is selected.

You may complete an [online version of this application](#), or download and fill out this application and send it back to us through email. Please return your application to alex.floyd@ycpla.org, with the subject line: **First Name Last Name - DCI Application**.

Please direct all questions about the application or program to alex.floyd@ycpla.org.

We are committed to making our programs accessible to students of all backgrounds, and we encourage students of all experiences to apply. Dance experience is not what determines acceptance into the program.

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. These questions will help us get to know you!

Short Answer Questions:

1. PayPal transaction ID (You can find your transaction ID in the confirmation email you received when making your payment. [You can make your payment here.](#)):
2. Full Name:
3. City and State of residence:
4. Email Address:
5. Phone Number:



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6. Age:

7. Gender and preferred pronouns:

8. Parent/Legal Guardian First and Last Name:

9. Parent/Legal Guardian Phone Number:

10. Parent/Legal Guardian Email Address:

11. What is the name of the school you attend?

12. How are you currently accessing or attending school (Remotely or from home 100% of the time or part time, 100% in-person)? Please describe your situation.

13. Does your school offer dance programming or classes? If yes, are you an active participant?

14. What grade are you in?:



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15. How many years of dance experience do you have? *(Does not determine acceptance into the program.)*

16. How did you find out about this opportunity (i.e., Instagram, Facebook, a teacher, school, studio)? If a teacher, school or dance studio told you about this program, what's the name and title of the person that recommended you apply?

PLEASE SPECIFY YOUR ETHNICITY (check all that apply):

- WHITE / CAUCASIAN
- HISPANIC OR LATINX
- BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN
- NATIVE AMERICAN OR AMERICAN INDIAN
- ASIAN / PACIFIC ISLANDER
- OTHER
- PREFER NOT TO SAY



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Essay Questions:

Tell us about yourself (20 - 100 words)

17. Why did you start dancing?

18. What is your favorite genre of music to dance to, and why?

19. Explain why you like your favorite style of dance?

20. What does choreography mean to you?

Experience and Values (20 - 100 words)

21. Why do you want to be a Young Choreographer in the Dance Choreography Intensive for Teens? What would you like to learn?

22. During the program, we will guide you through solving creative problems. How would you describe your ability to be self-motivated and adaptable?



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23. There have been many challenges and changes that we all have to adapt to (school closures, virtual learning, isolating due to COVID 19, social movements). Describe a recent struggle you have experienced, and how you have overcome it.

24. What are your goals (career, personal) after highschool?

25. Do you have any access needs?

26. Does your school offer any dance programming?

Thank you for taking the time to apply to Young Choreographers Project's Dance Choreography Intensive 2022. We will notify accepted applicants by December 17th, 2021.