



How can I apply for an audition?

Open auditions are held in May each year for entry to the CAT in September. Applicants must complete and return an audition application form before Friday 9 May 2014 to reserve a place on their preferred audition date. Please return your completed application form to the address provided at the bottom of this page.

What happens at a CAT audition?

There are two stages to the CAT audition process. Applicants will attend a First Stage Open Audition which will consist of a short ballet class and a contemporary technique and creative movement class. Applicants will receive a letter no later than two weeks after the First Stage Audition to inform them whether or not they were successful at this stage.

Applicants who are successful at the First Stage Audition will then be invited to a Second Stage Audition, where they will take part in another classical and contemporary dance class. A list of names will be put up straight after this audition class to indicate which applicants have been asked to stay behind for an interview and physical screening. Interviews will take place with the CAT Manager. Applicants are also required to undergo a physical screening with the Student Health and Well Being Coordinator to check their long term suitability for contemporary dance training at this level. Applicants must be accompanied by a parent or carer during the interview and physical screening process.

After Second Stage Audition you will receive a letter by Friday 27 June 2014 to inform you whether or not you have been offered a place at the CAT for September. If you are successful you will be invited to the Summer Induction days which will take place on Monday 21 and Tuesday 22 July 2014.

Audition dates

First Stage Open Audition Dates

Saturday 17 May 2014, 1 – 3pm at Dance City
Saturday 17 May 2014, 3.30 – 5.30pm at Dance City
Sunday 18 May 2014, 10.30am - 12:30pm at Dance City
Sunday 18 May 2014, 1 – 3pm at Dance City

Applicants who are successful at a First Stage Open Audition will be invited to attend on one of the following dates for a second audition:

Second Stage Auditions (by invite only)

Saturday 7 June 2014, 11am – 5pm (latest) at Dance City
Sunday 8 June 2014, 11am – 5pm (latest) at Dance City
Saturday 14 June 2014, 11am – 5pm (latest) at Dance City

If you would like to apply for an audition please complete the form overleaf and return it by post to:

Marian Milbourne
CAT Coordinator
Dance City
Temple Street
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE1 4BR

Dance City CAT

Audition Application Form



Please affix a passport size photograph here...

This helps us to remember each person after the audition.

Applicant's details

First name

Last name

Date of Birth

Address

City Postcode

Telephone Mobile

Email

Name of School

Parent or carer details

Name

Contact number

Email

Your application

I would like to attend the first stage audition on:

Sat 17 May 2014, 1 – 3pm Sat 17 May 2014, 3.30 – 5.30pm

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Please let us know why you want to join the Dance City CAT.

What are your longer term dance goals?

Do you have any medical condition (s) that we need to be aware of?

How did you first hear about the Dance City CAT?

To help us understand if you are eligible for financial support, please indicate your annual household income. *This question is optional.*

Applicants signature

Parent or Carer signature