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Please provide an image for us to clearly see the applicant. This helps us to remember you after the audition.

This can be attached to your form or emailed to the contact details overleaf.



**Audition Application Form**

Applicant’s Details

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| **First Name** |  | **Last Name** |  | | | |
| **Date of Birth** |  | **Preferred Pronouns** *(please tick)* | | She/Her  He/Him  They/Them   Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Prefer not to say | | |
| **Age on 01/09/25** |  |  | |  | | |
| **Address** |  | | | | | |
| **Postcode** |  | **Current Academic School** | | |  | |
| **Ethnic Group**  *(Optional -*  *please tick)* | White  Gypsy or Traveller  Black or Black British -Caribbean  Black or Black British - African  Other Black Background | Asian or Asian British - Indian  Asian or Asian British -Pakistani  Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi  Chinese  Other Asian Background | | | | Mixed - White & Black Caribbean  Mixed - White & Black African  Mixed -White & Asian  Other Mixed Background  Arab  Other Ethnic Background  I do not wish to give this info |
| **Please share whether you have any disabilities, access requirements or medical conditions** (*Optional*) | |  | | | | |

Parent / Guardian’s Details

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| **First Name** |  | **Last Name** |  |
| **Email** |  | **Relationship to Applicant** |  |
| **Mobile Number** |  | **Home Tel Number** |  |

Your Application

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| **Please let us know which programme you are applying for** *(please tick)* | Dance City CAT Contemporary Programme  Dance City CAT Street Dance Programme |
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| **Please let us know which Open Audition session(s) you would be available to attend.**  Please see overleaf for dates and times. We will make every effort to accommodate your first choice however, we are unable to guarantee availability. |  |
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| **Please let us know why you want to join the Dance City CAT.** | |
| To gain knowledge and experience in my favourite kind of dance as well as gaining a solid foundation in ballet - something that is so key to all styles of dance. This is a great opportunity to progress my passion in a professional environment, a real insight into how this can also be taken into a career. CAT is the opportunity I've been looking for to receive high quality training despite my lack of experience. | |
| **What are your long-term goals?** | |
| To take performance into my future at university/drama school. I love contemporary/abstract artistic movement combined with voice and acting. | |
| **Have you had any previous dance experience? If yes, please tell us more.** | |
| No formal training but danced in musical theatre shows. | |
| |  | | --- | | **How did you first hear about the Dance City CAT?** *(please circle)* | | Word of Mouth Spotted Workshop Dance Teacher **Online** Social Media Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |   **Parents or Guardians** (*This question is optional)* - Department for Education grants are available to cover all, or part, of CAT tuition fees where relevant annual household income is less then £70,000 approx. Please indicate below whether you would be eligible to apply for a grant. | |
| Yes  No | |

**Additional Information**

**Taster Workshops  
At**tending a free Taster Workshop or Boys’ Workshop will help those interested in applying for an audition to find out more about what it is like to be a CAT Student before auditioning. These sessions are an opportunity to take part in a class. Students and parents are also invited to a short presentation about the CAT, which will conclude with a question-and-answer session.

Taster Workshops or Boys’ Workshops can be booked online or by contacting the details below.

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| **CAT Contemporary** Dance City, Newcastle |  | **CAT Street Dance**  The Fire Station, Sunderland |
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| Taster Workshops   * **Tuesday 25 February 2025** * **Wednesday 23 April 2025** | Taster Workshops   * **Wednesday 19 March 2025** * **Sunday 11 May 2025** |
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| Boys Workshop   * **Thursday 24 April 2025** | **Darlington Contemporary Taster Session**  The Hippodrome, Darlington, DL1 1RR   * **Tuesday 13 May 2025** |

**Auditions**

Open auditions for entry in September are held each year for both of our CAT programmes.

Applicants must complete and return this audition application form to the contact details at the bottom of this page to reserve a place on their preferred audition date.

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| **CAT Contemporary** Dance City, Newcastle |  | **CAT Street Dance**  The Fire Station, Sunderland |
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| Open Auditions | Open Auditions |
| * **Sunday 25 May 2025** * **Saturday 14 June 2025** * **Sunday 15 June 2025** | * **Sunday 22 June 2025** |
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| **For more information about the CAT Programme, scan the QR code with your smart device’s camera.** | | |
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| **Contact:** Post: CAT, Dance City, Temple Street, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 4BR  Tel: 0191 269 5578  Text  Description automatically generatedEmail: [CAT@dancecity.co.uk](mailto:CAT@dancecity.co.uk) | | |