

PLATFORM DANCE STUDIO

Company Auditions 2021-2022

June 5, 2021

We are so excited to start Year 2! Our goal is to create a Platform in which dancers can express themselves openly and freely in an environment that is safe, exciting, and cultivates positive energy. We can't wait to experience this journey with you.

We will be selecting the following company teams:

Form (Jazz/Contemporary & more)

Elevate (Jazz/Contemporary & more) No Sundays (based on number of auditions)

Blackout (Hip Hop)

Young Bucks (All Boys Hip Hop)

Tap

Be sure your dancer is aware that our company standards require extensive technical training and commitment to their team, their instructor and themselves.

Auditions are based on the dancer's age as of January 1, 2022.

Audition Times:

- 9:00-10:00 am 5-8 years old Form/Elevate
- 10:00-11:00 am 5-8 years old Blackout/Young Buck
- 11:15-12:15 pm 9-11 years old Form/Elevate
- 12:15-1:15 pm 9-11 years old Blackout/Young Buck
- 1:30-3:00 pm 12-14 years old Form/Elevate
- 3:15-4:30 pm 12-14 years old Blackout
- 4:45-6:15 pm 15-18 years old Form/Elevate
- 6:30-7:45 pm 15-18 years old Blackout
- 8:00-9:00 pm 11-18 years old Tap

Form/Elevate Auditions:

- The audition will consist of your splits in the center, a ballet combo, one across the floor combo, and a combination in the center with improv. Please come to the audition warm, as we will not have time to warm you up.

What to Wear:

- Please wear ALL BLACK form fitting clothing. We need to be able to see your movement and body placement. If needed, you can bring shoes for turning.

Blackout Auditions:

- The audition will consist of a combination in the center with freestyle
- Across the floor for 6-8 year olds

What to Wear:

- Loose fitting comfortable clothes (no booty shorts/leotards) ALL BLACK. Please wear shoes!

Tap Auditions:

- The audition will consist of a combination in the center with improv

Audition Fees:

1 Audition: \$20

2 Auditions: \$30

3 Auditions: \$35

Require to bring to auditions:

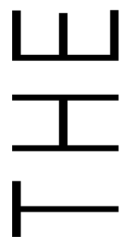
- Audition Form Signed
- Current photo
- Cash for Audition Fee

Results:

Company Groups will be emailed to you by 7/12/2021.

Additional Communications:

- We follow the Gilbert school district for breaks. We will be closed for Fall Break (October 4-10) and Spring Break (March 7-13). If you attend other school districts, we will need you to be available for Competitions, Conventions and Rehearsals. All competition dancers will need to be available during the entire months of November, December, and January. This is when we will learn the choreography for the bulk of our dances. If your dancer has issues during this time, it may impact their placement in company dances. This also applies to Veteran's day weekend, MLK weekend and President's Day.
- After your dancers placement has been determined, please email us if you have any conflicts or prior engagements. Communication is key and always the best option.



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Dancer Name _____

Parent Name _____

Parent Email Address _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Parent Cell Number _____ Home Phone Number _____

Dancer Cell Number _____ Dancer's Current Age _____

Dancer's Age on 01/01/2022 _____ Date of Birth _____

Grade Entering 2021-2022 _____ School Attending _____

Please select which company you are interested in auditioning for:

☐ Form ☐ Elevate (No Sundays) ☐ Blackout ☐ Young Bucks ☐ Tap

Please list ALL previous dance experience

Please list any other activities you plan to be involved in during the 2021-2022 school year (school dance teams, sports, pom, student council, etc.)

Please tell us the maximum number of dances you would be able to afford for your dancer to participate in. Please also know the time commitment that comes with each additional dance on Fridays and Saturdays. This does not guarantee you will be put in the number of dances you choose. Large groups are selected first, then small groups and trios. Solos are not included on the list. Each dancer that makes Form company and each dancer that makes Blackout company are required to participate in one company dance for each company team they're on.

Form/Elevate _____ Blackout _____ Young Bucks _____ Tap _____

I have read all the information in this packet and understand the commitments involved with The Platform Dance Studio Competition Program.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return this form at or before AUDITIONS JUNE 5th or you will NOT be able to attend auditions. Dancers will not be considered without a SIGNED parental consent and COMPLETE form.

The Platform Dance Studio Release Form

Student's name _____

Date of Birth _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Parent's Email Address (If student is under 18) _____

If Parents cannot be reached, whom should we contact in case of an emergency? (name & cell phone):

PERMISSION AND RELEASE:

My son/daughter _____ has my permission to participate in dance activity. I RELEASE The Platform Dance Studio from any and all liability, damages, COVID-19 claims or claims whatsoever for any injury or harm that may occur to my child while participating in any class, rehearsal, activity or performance. I agree that I will make no claim or demand against The Platform Dance Studio or any organization or facility used for rehearsal, production purposes, or performance. This RELEASE extends to all employees, subcontractors, volunteers, or other staff of The Platform Dance Studio.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Parent: _____ Date: _____