



Barrington Dance Ensemble 2021-2022 COMPANY AUDITION

Sunday, May 16th

10:30-11:00 Junior IV-Inter II Warmup

11:00-12:00 Junior IV-Inter II Audition

11:30-12:00 Inter III-Advanced Warmup

12:00-1:00 Inter III-Advanced Audition

Auditions will be held in person at the BDA studio. Masks are required, and physical distancing will be maintained throughout the audition. If you need to attend virtually due to COVID concerns, please contact us for a zoom link.

Dancers should pre-register by Monday, May 3rd, by filling out an online [Audition Registration Form](#) with \$20.00 audition fee (cash or check). Please review the BDE company contract prior to auditioning.

Barrington Dance Ensemble (BDE) is a not for profit 501(c)(3) which engages and inspires the community by providing cultural enrichment through exceptional dance education, performance, and scholarship. BDE, formed in 1989, provides ongoing education and unique performance opportunities melding student and professional dancers, and has become a local standard bearer for the arts. BDE is a company of gifted dance students 11-18 years of age, who audition, and once chosen, undertake a comprehensive training program, which includes roles in BDE productions and community outreach.

Female dancers must be at least 11 years old, taking three ballet classes per week, and dancing on pointe in order to audition. Male dancers must be 11 years old with three years of previous training. Audition attire for ladies consists of a black leotard, pink tights, and pink ballet shoes (ladies should also bring pointe shoes). Audition attire for men consists of a white t-shirt and black shorts or pants.



All auditioning dancers who are new to BDE company must attend a **parent & dancer informational meeting** prior to auditioning, scheduled for **March 4th, 6:30pm** at BDA (Virtual option available by request). Current ensemble members and parents will participate in a contract review as well, details to be announced. Dancers must be fully available for all performances in 2021-2022 in order to audition. Company contracts are available for review in the BDE office. Please contact the Barrington Dance Ensemble if you have any questions about the audition, the company, or your dancer's readiness to audition.