

SMS DANCE PROGRAM AUDITION FORM



For grade 7 students going into Dance 8 2020-2021

Spencer Dance program is a performance-based class that requires full year commitment, a positive attitude inside and outside of dance, a high level of dedication and effort, a strong passion for dance and improving one's skill level, and the ability to take direction and follow expectations. You will perform on the stage alone and in groups, as well as in front of the school, and other audiences.

Audition Requirements: Grade 7 students that are going into Dance 8 will have auditions and forms returned when we return back to school the date is undetermined at this time.

- Auditions + forms handed in (in person, when we return)

Hello grade 7 students,

You have indicated that you're interested in Dance 8 for 2020-2021 school year. The preparation will look a bit different this year, as we are not in school during this time. I hope that you're still excited for the following year and that you are still excited to be in the Spencer Dance Program. This is a fun performance-based program, and it requires a full year commitment and full effort in skills and a positive attitude. If you are in Dance 8, this will replace your ADST/exploratory classes, and you will not be taking any ADST/exploratory classes. Unfortunately, due to the higher number of students signed up, we cannot allow every student into the dance program. If you no longer wish to be in Dance 8 for next year, please email me and let me know. If you do wish to be in the Spencer Dance Program for grade 8, we will have auditions when we return back to school!

Please email if you have any questions. All the best and keep safe during this time!

~ Ms. Berenyi cberenyi@sd62.bc.ca



SMS DANCE PROGRAM AUDITION FORM

(This form will be due at your audition. Date yet to be determined)

Full Name (First + Last): _____ Current Grade: ____ Homeroom Teacher: _____

- 1) Why do you want to be in the dance program?
- 2) What skills or values will you bring to the program? (skill example: Dance, cheer, gymnastics, teamwork, value example: value working as a team, dedication, etc.)
- 3) What is a problem or an issue that you have faced this year and how did you deal with it?
- 4) What do you think is a challenge that may arise when being in a dance program, and how would you personally deal with this challenge?
- 5) What is your experience with dance?
- 6) What was your overall effort in your classes this last year? (Excellent, Good, Satisfactory, Needs Improvement) – Please explain your work habits and attitude

- 7) Please answer the following with Never (Rarely), Sometimes (half and half), Mostly, Always (all the time)
 - a) I am positive and maintain a good attitude
 - b) I try my best in school
 - c) I am a person who thinks about other people as well as myself.
 - d) I am respectful of other people's perspectives and I do not judge others
 - e) I listen and take directions well from my teachers
 - f) I am anxious and get nervous about performing
 - g) I find joy in dance and I have a strong desire to continue dance

- 8) If you got into the dance program, what are your goals for the program?
- 9) What does a successful dance class or dance program look like, sound like, and feel like?
- 10) Any other comments or anything else I need to know about you.