



Berklee
City Music

Dance Discipline Audition Requirements for the Preparatory Academy

Prepare to:

1. Learn a dance!
2. Wear something that is easy to move in, elastic material or loose fitting. Avoid jeans and dresses/skirts. If you have long hair, wear it up or pulled back.
3. Bring a water bottle and a snack should you need it.
4. Arrive at the audition site no later than fifteen (15) minutes before your audition time. Give yourself plenty of time to accommodate traffic delays, etc.

ABOUT THE AUDITION:

Dance auditions are done in a group setting. The audition may be recorded.

You and the other Berklee City Music Preparatory Academy dance applicants will start with a warm up and short class.

You will learn a short dance combination from the teacher. After you have learned it and practiced for a few minutes, the staff will watch you perform this combination.

There will also be extra time if you want to show us your own style, or improvise some movement that feels more specific to you, in addition to the material provided.

The styles you can expect to work with at the audition will be Hip Hop, Afrobeat and Contemporary.

Dance experience is not required. If this is your first time going to a dance class or learning this style of dance, that is okay. Come ready to have fun and try your best!