

ROYAL YOUTH
DANCE ENSEMBLE PRESENTS

SUMMER *Dance Camp*



**RYDE'S 2024 SUMMER DANCE
EXPERIENCE**

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Welcome to RYDE's 2024 Summer Dance Experience...

Welcome to RYDE's 2024 summer Dance experience, where we offer a variety of dance experiences over the summer break. From weekly dance classes, 4-day themed camps, a week-long Everything Dance Camps, and intensives/workshops, we are sure your dancer will have a great experience. Dancers will not only refine their dance skills but also build confidence, make new friends, and create unforgettable memories that will last a lifetime. Come join us for a summer of dancing, crafting, and endless fun!



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Cost:

4-Day Camps: \$125 for 1 camp, \$200 for 2 camps, \$300 for 3 camps, \$400 for 4 camps

All Day Everything Dance Camp: \$200 per student for all day sessions. \$125 per student for half-day session. *Fee includes camp t-shirt, camp bag, snacks, and lunch. Additional \$30 fee for early drop off and late pick up care.

- **All day session:** 9:00 am-4:00 pm
- **First session:** 9:00 am-12:00 noon
- **Session session:** 1:00 pm-4:00 pm
- **Lunch:** 12:15 pm-12:45 pm *All day campers will receive a lunch (Mon.-Thurs.) and a hot lunch on Friday
- **Early drop-off:** 8:00-9:00 am *\$30 additional fee
- **Late pick-up:** 5:00-6:00 pm *\$ 30 additional fee

Weekly Summer Classes: \$90 for the entire 6-week session or \$16 drop in rate per class

June Intensives: \$20 drop-in rate per class

Register for 3 or more classes and classes will be discounted to \$16 per intensive

June Workshops: All workshops are FREE with the exception of the Dance Company Choreography workshop, which is covered by Dance Company Fees.

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Everything Dance Camp (EDC) (June 10th-14th):

EDC is a full day camp experience that will be offered for an entire week. Dancers may choose to come for the first session, second session or experience both sessions. Camp fee includes camp t-shirt, camp bag, two snacks, water, and one bagged lunch. A hot lunch will be provided on the last day of camp. Each day campers will explore five different styles/genres of dance: Modern, Hip-hop, Majorette, African, and Ballet. This is a great way to expand your dancer's knowledge about the rich history and foundation of dance. It will also allow them to experience and be introduced to new styles that will broaden their knowledge, exposure, and exploration of other foundations and cultures of dance. The campers will start the day off with a camp-wide warm up, break off into groups to learn about a specific style, and learn choreography to showcase their new skills to their family and friends on Friday. *No dance experience is necessary -- just come ready to move and to have fun! Camp is open to rising kindergartners through 8th grade. No special dancewear or dance shoes are necessary. Campers should wear sneakers and clothing that allows them to move easily.



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Themed Camps:

Our camps are full of excitement and fun. They are based on creative themes! The camps will include dance lessons, arts and crafts, storytelling, and fun activities. We recommend camps for those looking for an active and fun week for their child! Each week there will be a new theme and dancers will be able to spark their creativity through music and movement! Your dancer will have an opportunity to showcase what they've learned at the end of each camp/class.

Weekly Summer Classes:

Introduce your child to the world of dance with RYDE! These are beginner or intro classes for students who have no dance experience, would like to refresh their skills over the summer, or just want to come and try a 6-week summer session of RYDE dance classes. Students will experience creative movement, preschool and elementary ballet, the history and sounds of tap, the storytelling and expressions of lyrical dance, and the imagination and creativity of voice, acting, and dance in musical theatre. They will also experience a fun, high-energy kids' hip-hop session and our new all boy hip-hop crew, that will explore all things hip-hop from animations and combinations, Dub, Robotics, Popping and Locking, to street dance and breakdancing! What a great way to explore and experience the wonder and world of dance at RYDE, then to come for our 6-week session of summer dance classes.

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Summer Dance Workshops and Intensives:

Workshops and intensives are a great way for dancers who are interested in sharpening their skills from the previous dance season. It is also a great way to prepare them for new and different styles of dance by introducing new concepts, skills, techniques, terminology, and deepening their musicality and artistry. Workshops are geared towards overall health and wellness for your dancer. This summer our workshops will focus on emotional and mental wellness, physical fitness and nutrition, and dance etiquette and leadership; all of which will promote the art of being a whole, healthy, and well individual. The cost for our summer workshops will be FREE, except for the Dance Company Choreography workshop, which is included in their company fees.



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June weekly class schedule:

June 10 - June 26

Mondays: 6/10, 6/17, & 6/24 with Ms. Sandy

- o Creative Ballet – ages 2.5-4 4:00pm-4:30pm
- o Preschool Ballet – ages 4-5 4:30pm-5:15pm
- o Elementary Ballet – ages 5-7 5:15pm-6:00pm

Tuesdays: 6/11, 6/18, & 6/25 with Ms. Marie

- o Tap – ages 6-9 4:15pm-5:00pm
- o Musical Theatre – ages 6-9 5:00pm-5:45pm
- o Intro to Lyrical – ages 6-9 5:45pm-6:30pm

Wednesdays: 6/12, 6/19, & 6/26 with Mr. Greg

- o Kids Hip-hop ages 5-10 5:30pm-6:15pm
- o Boy Hip-hop Crew ages 10-15 6:15pm-7:15pm

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July weekly class schedule:

July 8 – July 24

Mondays: 7/8, 7/15, & 7/22

- o Creative Ballet – ages 2.5-4 4:00pm-4:30pm
- o Preschool Ballet – ages 4-5 4:30pm-5:15pm
- o Elementary Ballet – ages 6-9 5:15pm-6:00pm

Tuesdays: 7/9, 7/16, & 7/23

- o Tap – ages 6-9 4:15pm-5:00pm
- o Musical Theatre – ages 6-9 5:00pm-5:45pm
- o Intro to Lyrical Dance 5:45pm-6:30pm

Wednesdays: 7/10, 7/17, & 7/24

- o Intro to Hip-hop ages 5-9 5:30pm-6:15pm
- o Boy Hip-hop Crew ages 10-15 6:15pm-7:15pm

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June intensives:

Session I: Monday – Thursday

- 6/10 – Monday: Contemporary Intensive w/Ms. Rose (ages 8 & up)
*6pm-7:30pm
- 6/11 – Tuesday: Lyrical I Intensive w/Ms. Marie (ages 8 & up) *6:30pm-8pm
- 6/12 – Wednesday: Majorette Intensive w/Ms. Ruby (ages 6 & up) *6pm-7:30pm
- 6/13 – Thursday: Ballet Intensive w/Ms. Rose (ages 7 & up) *5pm-6:30pm

Session II: Monday – Thursday

- 6/17 – Monday: African Contemporary Dance Intensive w/Ms. Ruby (ages 7 & up) *6pm-7:30pm
- 6/18 – Tuesday: Lyrical II Intensive w/Ms. Marie (ages 10 & up) *6:30pm-8pm
- 6/19 – Wednesday: Juneteenth Community Celebration w/Ms. Ruby (all ages welcome) 6pm-8pm
- 6/19 – Wednesday: Acro I Intensive w/Ms. Rose *5pm-6:30pm ****based on skill-levels***
- 6/20 – Thursday: Jazz Intensive w/Ms. Rose (ages 7 & up) *5pm-6:30pm

Session III: Monday – Thursday

- 6/24 – Monday: Modern Intensive w/Ms. Ruby Heard (ages 7 & up)
*6pm-7:30pm
- 6/25 – Tuesday: Musical Theatre I Intensive w/Ms. Marie Lister (age 7 & up)
*6pm-7:30pm
- 6/26 – Wednesday: Acro II Intensive w/Ms. Rose *5pm-6:30pm ****based on skill-levels***
- 6/27 – Thursday: Musical Theatre II Intensive w/Ms. Marie Lister *6:30pm-8pm
- 6/27 – Thursday: Skills & Drills Intensive w/Ms. Rose Attea (ages 7 & up)
*5pm-6:30pm

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July workshops:

July workshops: Tuesday – Friday

- 7/23 – Tuesday: *Wellness Workshop
- 7/24 – Wednesday: *Wellness Workshop
- 7/25 – Thursday: *Wellness Workshop
- 7/26 – Friday: Student Assistant Workshop w/Ms. Rose and Ms. Marie (4:00pm-5:30pm)
- 7/26 – Friday: Dance Company *required 2-hour Choreography workshop (5:30pm-7:30pm) Ms. Rose



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4-day camp schedule:

Mon-Thurs- Sandy: 1:00pm-4:00pm (ages 3-6 years) and

Marie: 1:00-4:00pm (ages 7-14)

June

- June 3-6 (Jungle Adventure Camp) *Ballet/Jazz/Tap
- June 10-13 (Barbie & Friends Princess Camp)
*Ballet/Jazz/Tap
- June 17-20 (Mystical Mermaids Camp) *Ballet/Jazz/Tap
- June 24-27 (Charlie's Chocolate Factory Camp)
*Ballet/Jazz/Tap

July

- July 8-11 (Into the Unknown Camp) *Ballet
- July 15-18 (Swans & Sugar Plums Camp) *Classical Ballet
- July 22-25 (Under the Sea Camp) *Jazz/Tap
- July 29-Aug 1 (Nutcracker: Festival of Nations Camp)
*Ballet/Jazz/Tap/Bollywood

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Themed Camps:

June:

Jungle Adventure Camp (June 3rd-6th): Ballet/Jazz/Tap

Campers will start each morning with a creative movement class that will take them on a dance safari! Excitement awaits as they explore a variety of dance styles inspired by their favorite stories- The Lion King, Giraffes Can't Dance, Encanto, and many more! Campers will then enjoy snacks and story time, followed by arts and crafts. During craft time, students learn about costume arts and prop/set design. We will finish our magical week, of camp, with an adventurous scavenger hunt and a special performance for parents!

Barbie Dance Party Camp (June 10th-13th): Ballet/Jazz/Tap

Live all your Barbie dreams in this 4-day camp where dancers will learn different styles of dance, and get their sparkle on with Barbie themed crafts and activities, ballet-inspired dance lessons, and snacks. With this camp "YOU can be ANYTHING" with our dress-up photoshoot in our LIFE-SIZE BARBIE BOX. In addition to dance, campers will unleash their artistic flair in engaging arts & crafts sessions, where they'll have the opportunity to create dazzling masterpieces inspired by their favorite Barbie adventures. There will be a special dance performance for parents on the last day!

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June:

Mystical Mermaids Camp (June 17th-20th): Ballet/Jazz/Tap

CALLING ALL MERMAIDS!!! It's time to dive into the ocean for this 4-day camp where dancers will learn different styles of dance, create MER-mazing mermaid themed crafts, mermaid makeovers, and a special dance performance for parents on the last day! So come join us for a Magical Journey beneath the waves where dreams become reality and the sea sings it's sweet serenades. Register your little dancer today and let their imagination set sail on an unforgettable oceanic escapade!



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June:

Charlie's Chocolate Factory Camp (June 24th-27th): **Ballet/Theater Jazz/Tap**

Step into a world of pure imagination! Our Willy Wonka-inspired camp promises a week filled with singing and dancing in the whimsical chocolate factory!

Suitable for both boys and girls, this camp will aim to enhance your musical theater skills and your capacity for self-expression through dance, including ballet, tap, and theater jazz. This camp offers a golden ticket to a week filled with singing, dancing, laughter, creating crafts, soaking up the sunshine, and enjoying scrumptious snacks with friends. There will be a special dance performance for parents on the last day!



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July:

Into the Unknown Camp (July 8th-11th): Ballet and Jazz

Can't get enough of Frozen?!?! Snowflakes fill the air in this week-long camp exclusively designed for preschool and kindergarten-aged Frozen fans!

Immerse yourself in the enchanting world of ice and snow as you twirl and leap to your favorite Frozen songs! Our instructors create a special atmosphere, weaving storytelling and dancing together while teaching basic ballet and jazz skills. This camp will be filled with imaginative play, wintery crafts and snowy snacks! There will be a special dance performance for parents on the last day!

Swans & Sugar Plums Camp (July 15th-18th): Classical Ballet

Your little dancer will start each morning with an exciting Ballet class where they'll feel like characters from classical Story Ballets! Campers then enjoy snacks and storytime, followed by arts and craft led by their instructor. During craft time, students explore life at the palace and on the stage through costume arts, and prop and set design. Camp ends each day with a movement activity and dance game. Dancers end each day at camp with a take-home craft and snack. We'll finish our magical week of camp with a dress up tea party! Tea party treats and snacks will be supplied by RYDE.

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July:

Under the Sea Camp (July 22nd-25th): Jazz/Tap

Welcome to our Under the Sea Camp, where dancers are invited to dive into a world of wonder and whimsy! Set against the backdrop of shimmering seas and sparkling waves, our camp offers a delightful blend of dancing, arts & crafts, activities, and special snacks. Join us as we embark on a four-day adventure where imaginations soar and creativity knows no bounds. Dancers will be immersed in a magical realm where they can explore their inner sea creatures and embrace the spirit of the ocean. Through interactive activities, they'll unleash their artistic talents, crafting treasures from the depths of the sea with seashells, pearls, and shimmering fabrics. There will be a special dance performance for parents on the last day!

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July:

Nutcracker: Festival of Nations Camp (July 29th-Aug. 1st): Ballet/Jazz/Tap/Bollywood & More

Every day in this camp is like an adventure into a beloved Story Ballet!

Come join us as we go on a journey to the Land of Sweets! Dancers will learn about the history, art, and culture of the different countries Clara visits while on her journey. They will also work on choreography, dance moves, and scenes from Act Two of the play. In addition, each day dancers will hone their technique with the elegant art of French and Russian classical ballet that builds the basis for beautiful hands, arms and head movements, big jumps, and multiple turns. The camp will highlight and showcase different parts of the play for students who wish to perform or help in our 2024 winter production. The camp culminates in a final performance for parents on the last day!

WAIVER & RELEASE FROM LIABILITY FORM

I, _____ (print your name) have chosen to have my child, _____ (print child's name), participate in dance instruction given by The Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE. I acknowledge that I understand the nature of the activities my child will be participating in and the possibility that despite precautions, accidents and/or physical injury may occur.

I/we agree to release and hold harmless The Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE including its dance instructors/teachers, and staff members from any cause of action, claims, or demands now and in the future. I/we will not hold The Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE liable for any personal injury or any personal property damage or loss, which may occur on the premises before, during or after classes or which may occur at any Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE sponsored event outside the studio.

Furthermore, I/we agree to read and follow the class and facility policies and take full responsibility for my/our behavior in addition to any damage I/we may cause to the facilities utilized by The Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE a hard copy can also be obtained at the location.

I authorize and agree that The Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE may take and use photographs, videos or likenesses of myself or my child as needed for its record keeping, advertising, social media and/or public relations projects and that I have no rights to the same and will not be compensated for the same. Photos will not be sold, exploited, or used for personal gain.

My signature is proof of my intention to execute a complete and unconditional waiver and release of all liability pursuant to the terms herein, and agreement as to all terms and conditions contained above. I am of lawful age and competent to sign this affirmation.

I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THIS RELEASE FORM PRIOR TO SIGNING THE REGISTRATION FORM FOR PARTICIPATION IN The

Royal Youth Dance Ensemble or RYDE.

_____ Parent/Legal Guardian (Print)

_____ Parent/Legal Guardian (Sign)

_____ Dancer's Name

_____ Dancer's Signature _____ Date