

# DANCE FOR ALL PROFESSIONAL DANCE TRAINING COURSE



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**2012 - 2013**

## PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

The **DANCE FOR ALL (Scotland) Ltd** three year professional dance course is run in collaboration with **Jewel and Esk College**. The college has responsibility for the delivery and assessment of the Scottish Qualifications Authority, (SQA), Certificate in Professional Stage Dance and the HNC/D in Professional Stage Dance. These qualifications constitute **only part of the full professional dance training** and **all** students will be charged fees for the vocational part of the course, payable directly to **DANCE FOR ALL (Scotland) Ltd**. Funding, for the SQA elements of the three year programme is available, providing students satisfy the eligibility criteria.

### PROFESSIONAL TUITION FEES

All students will be charged professional tuition fees of:

- **£3500** (inc. VAT) current fee for 2012-13. These fees are to be paid directly to **Dance for All (Scotland) Ltd**.
- For those students **not eligible for bursary support** or for a student loan, the fees will be **£4815** (*inc. VAT*) per year payable to Dance for All at the Theatre School.
- **In addition** students will be charged for Royal Academy of Dance, (RAD), and the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing (ISTD), examination fees.
- Some Extra tuition fees will be due for the individual tutorial fees incurred on the ISTD teaching course - **ISTD Diploma in Dance Instruction (DDI)** and **Diploma in Dance Education (DDE)**.

### FIRST YEAR (INCLUDING NC PROFESSIONAL STAGE DANCE)

The first year of training incorporates the Certificate in Professional Stage Dance, along with vocational training. Students can apply for bursary funding from Jewel and Esk College and are awarded, **subject to status**.

If the student meets the eligibility criteria the bursary will:

- *Help with Travel expenses*
- *Help with costs of equipment*

*In addition for students aged 18 and over*

- *A maintenance payment is available*

*The maintenance payment is dependent on individual financial circumstances.*

**PLEASE NOTE:** Students are always liable for the private vocational fees payable directly to **Dance for All (Scotland) Ltd**. (Please see the fee amount at the top of the page)

### SECOND AND THIRD YEAR (INCLUDING HNC/HND PROFESSIONAL STAGE DANCE)

The second and third year of training incorporates **HNC/HND in Professional Stage Dance**, within the more **extensive vocational training**. The Student Awards Agency Scotland, (SAAS), will cover the costs of the fees for the HNC/HND in Professional Stage Dance providing students meet their eligibility criteria. **PLEASE NOTE:** Students are still liable for the private vocational fees for **each year**. (Please see the fee amount at the top of the page) **Any student that is eligible with SAAS will also be eligible to apply for a student loan and possibly a student bursary.**

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## FULL-TIME VOCATIONAL DANCE COURSE

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### THE COURSE

The three-year, full-time dance course at the **DANCE FOR ALL (Scotland) Ltd**, provides an **intensive, thorough training for students who wish to pursue a career as a dance artiste and/or a dance teacher**. The school is **working in collaboration with Jewel and Esk College** and the course **incorporates HNC/HND qualifications**, preceded by an Introduction to Dance Performance Certificate. For the serious, vocational dance student, **this is the only dance course in Scotland that offers an HND in dance alongside a complete professional dance and dance teacher training**. We are able to offer all the support of an accredited school, which equips its students with the reputable training that is required for a career in their chosen profession.

The core of the course focuses **on classical ballet, jazz and modern dance techniques** with a commitment to providing the breadth of training that will enable students to achieve their individual potential and to aspire to work in as wide a field of dance as possible. To this aim, the wide range of classes includes **Classical Ballet**, along with **RAD higher grades** and **vocational syllabus** classes, **ISTD Tap, Modern and National, Contemporary Dance, Street Dance, Singing, Drama** and **Musical Theatre, Body Conditioning, Flamenco, Dance History, Benesh Notation** and **Anatomy**.

The school is an **officially approved centre for teacher training** and the professional qualifications that can be achieved on the course include the RAD vocational examinations, teacher training and **ISTD Diploma in Dance Instruction (DDI)** and **Diploma in Dance Education (DDE)**. These are considered essential qualifications in the world of dance teaching and are recognised internationally.

Students are **given opportunities to perform** in many school productions and to produce their own **choreography**. More advanced students are often able to participate in productions with visiting dance companies and may also be offered **agency work**, relevant to their course and level of proficiency.

**DANCE FOR ALL (Scotland) Ltd** and its staff have strong links with the dance profession and students gain many opportunities to work with dancers, teachers and choreographers of the highest calibre, establishing **links for future employment** in Scotland and abroad. Many graduates of **DANCE FOR ALL (Scotland) Ltd** have gone on to perform in West End and National theatres, theme parks, cruise ships and resorts. A number of graduates have either opened their own Dance Schools or teach in dance schools and colleges throughout the UK and internationally. Others have become choreographers and show directors.

### FEES: 2012-13

The three-year professional dance course is being run in collaboration with the Jewel and Esk College of Further Education. Eligible students will receive funding from Jewel & Esk College for the Certificate and for HNC/HND fees, and bursaries and student loans are available through the college for travel, equipment and, for the over 18's, maintenance. However, all students are personally liable for **£3500** supplementary fees and examination fees for RAD and ISTD exams. **Some extra tuition fees** will be due for the individual tutorial fees incurred on the ISTD teaching course - **Diploma in Dance Instruction (DDI)** and **Diploma in Dance Education (DDE)**. Students who are not eligible for Certificate & HND fees (ie: they have received funding for equivalent courses already) will be charged **£4815**.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Students are accepted on to the course through audition and interview. Previous dance experience is necessary, along with physical aptitude, artistic potential and the capacity to respond to the demands of full-time vocational dance training. If appropriate, entry may be gained directly into second year as long as the required level of training has already been achieved.

### COURSE DATES AND TIMES

The course runs in three terms from the beginning of September to the end of June. Normal daily hours will be between 9am and 5pm, with some variations depending on the amount of rehearsals or examination syllabus work a student is undertaking.