



artsUMBRELLA™

SUMMER DANCE INTENSIVE 2010
NEW ADVANCED LEVEL IN COLLABORATION WITH **BALLET BC**

august 2 - 20
monday - friday

AUDITION APPLICATION FORM

Photo by: David Cooper

Join world-renowned teachers on scenic Granville Island for a summer training experience that will help you reach your performance potential!

Important Dates

March 15, 2010	Final application deadline. All audition applications and fees must be received at Arts Umbrella by this date.
March 21, 2010	Live auditions in Vancouver at Arts Umbrella, Granville Island: check website for audition times.
April 6, 2010	Application deadline for DVD audition submissions.
April 12, 2010	Successful applicants notified via email by this date. Online registration begins.
June 11, 2010	Eligible bursary applications based on financial need and supporting documentation due.
July 2, 2010	Registration deadline for successful applicants. Payment in full is due by this date. (Please note you must pay for the entire three week session, no partial registrations allowed.) Once registered a refund (less \$150) will be issued only under extenuating circumstances or with a physician's note.
August 2, 2010 (BC Day)	First day of Summer Dance Intensive. Orientation and placement classes begin at 9:00 am sharp in the Granville Island studios. Regular classes will commence in the afternoon.

Admission Requirements and Placement

Arts Umbrella Summer Dance Intensive is intended for serious dancers ages 12 and up. Students must be committed to the study of dance, must be following a disciplined program, and have a minimum of three years dance experience. All students must attend level placement session on August 2.

Dress code: hair neatly pulled back, appropriate dance attire (no baggy, loose clothing) and ballet shoes (including pointe shoes for those already on pointe). Jazz shoes are not required.

DVD and Letter of Reference

Applicants who cannot attend the Vancouver audition in February (and have never attended Arts Umbrella Summer Dance Intensive) must submit a DVD and letter of reference with their application form. The letter must be from a current dance teacher supporting the student's application and outlining the student's work ethic, focus, strength and stamina, and ability to take direction and excel in an intense program.

DVD must demonstrate the following elements:

Close-up of face and figure

Barre work (one side only) including pliés, tendus & dégagé, adagé with arabesque and attitude lines, grands battements

Centre practice & pirouettes from 5th, 2nd or 4th position on the right and left sides, en dehors and en dedans

Allegro including one warm-up jump to include sauté, glissade, assemblé, and travelling jumps including grand jeté en tournant and jeté en avant

Pointe work (for girls) including echappé relevé in 2nd and 4th positions, retiré relevé, and diagonal of piqué turns

Solo 1-2 minute solo variation in classical or contemporary

Boys: all of the above (except pointe), as well as tour en l'air (single or double), and batterie

Fees for accepted dancers:

\$1100 CDN for Arts Umbrella students

\$1300 CDN for Canadian students not currently enrolled in Arts Umbrella Dance

\$1600 CDN for International students

Applicant's Name (first and last)	Birthdate	Grade as of Sept. 2010	Age as of Aug. 2	M/F
Address		Postal Code	Phone	
Email (required for notification purposes)				
Parent's Name	Cell	Phone	Email	
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Current dance school	# Of Classes / Week	Method / Level	Last exam passed	

Please indicate below which program/level you are auditioning for:

Summer Dance Intensive
August 2-20, 2010

- Junior (ages 12+)
- Elementary (ages 13+)
- Intermediate (ages 15+)
- Senior (ages 17+)
- Advanced (Ballet BC) (ages 17+)

Comprehensive Program
September 2010 – June 2011

- Level 1 (ages 13+)
- Level 2 (ages 13+)
- Level 3 (ages 15+)

Professional Training Program
September 2010 – June 2011

- Pre-Elementary 1 (ages 11+)
- Pre-Elementary 2 (ages 11+)
- Elementary 1 (ages 13+)
- Elementary 2 (ages 13+)
- Intermediate (ages 15+)
- Senior (ages 17+)
- Grad/VCC Diploma (ages 17+)

don't forget!

Fax, mail or drop off your completed audition application form to Dance Registrar:
1286 Cartwright Street, Vancouver, BC V6H 3R8. Fax: 604.681.5272

Applicants from outside Canada can avoid Canada Customs charges and delays by making the following declaration on the package:
"Personal Audition Video: No Commercial Value".

- Audition Application form
- DVD/Video and letter of reference (if required)
- \$20 Audition Fee

Money order / Cheque, payable to Arts Umbrella OR

Credit Card Visa Mastercard

Name on card _____

Card number _____

Expiry date _____

Signature _____

- Bursary application form*

*Bursary assistance, based on family means, is available to Canadian and landed immigrant students. Application forms will be made available on our website.

- Please do not provide information on future Arts Umbrella events or fundraising.