



RICHLAND
ONE'S

GIFTED & TALENTED
ARTISTIC:

DANCE & THEATRE
PROGRAMS

WELCOME!



GIFTED & TALENTED DANCE AND THEATRE

Dance and Theatre are forms of communication and expression that are basic to human life. They involve response and expression through the senses, imagination, and the cognitive and emotional dimensions of our being. Most importantly, theatre and dance education concern the integrity of the individual as creator, appreciator, and life long consumer.

Auditions are required by the State Department of Education for all middle and high school students who participate in the programs.

Dance Auditions Require:

- Movement Combination
- Improvisation
- Interview

Theatre Auditions Require:

- Monologue Performance
- Improvisation
- Interview

RICHLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT ONE CURRENTLY OFFERS DANCE AND THEATRE PROGRAMS IN ALL MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOLS.

These instructional programs provide standards-based, concentrated study in Dance and Theatre for :

“students who are identified...as demonstrating high performance ability or potential in artistic areas and therefore require an educational program beyond that normally provided by the general school program in order to achieve their potential.”

Gifted and Talented students may be found within any racial, ethnic, or socioeconomic groups; within any nationality; within both genders; and within populations with physical disabilities, learning disabilities, or behavioral problems.

(From South Carolina’s definition of Gifted and Talented in R 43-220)

There is no fee for these courses. All courses meet during the regular school day.



GIFTED & TALENTED DANCE AND THEATRE

The purpose of the dance and theatre education process in Richland School District One is to provide students with a comprehensive sequential, rigorous, and balanced approach to learning through critical thinking and creative problem solving. This process involves a discipline based approach with experiences in the production, appreciation, and knowledge of dance and theatre through an understanding of the developments in history and culture, the development of judgments about dance and theatre, and the practical applications of dance and theatre practices.

Richland School District One believes the arts allow us to celebrate and preserve our cultural heritages and explore the realms of expression, imagination and creativity resulting in new knowledge. Therefore, every individual should be guaranteed the opportunity to learn about, create, and value visual and performing art.



Interested?

Contact your school's Guidance Counselor or the Office of Visual and Performing Arts for the required Student Referral Form & additional information.

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