Chichester College Music, Dance & Drama Department

ISTD DDE – Diploma in Dance Education Interview & Audition information



Dance

Allow 2 hours for the combined audition and interview. It is essential that you confirm whether or not you are able to attend your audition.

Entry requirements:

- 1. ISTD Intermediate in the relevant dance genre
- 2. Completion of all units of DDI in the relevant dance genre
- 3. 5 GCSE passes at C or above including English
- 4. Successful audition in the relevant dance genre

Audition information:

Please ensure you bring your dance exam certificates and DDI Unit completion forms or DDI certificate with you. You must also wear the appropriate clothing for all dance auditions you are attending:

- For ballet, please bring correct shoes, leotard, tights and hair in bun, no loose clothes.
- For tap, please bring tap shoes and appropriate clothing.
- For modern, please bring appropriate footwear (jazz shoes or bare feet) & clothing.

Interview information:

- Your interview will be carried out after the dance auditions are completed.
- Bring with you writing materials, as a written assignment will be part of the interview process.



PREPARING FOR YOUR INTERVIEW

Your Interview is an opportunity for you to discuss your chosen course with of the teaching staff and to find out about the college. It is also a chance for you to ask any questions in order to ensure you have chosen the best course for your future plans.

If you, or any person accompanying you, have any individual requirements during your visit, for example disabled parking, please feel free to contact Admissions so that we can make any necessary arrangements for you.

Before the interview:

- Make sure you know where to go and who to ask for.
- Be on time allow extra time for unexpected delays. (Please be aware that visitor parking is very limited).
- Remember to bring with you all the things that you may need, e.g. Portfolio, evidence that may support your application etc.

If you are still at school or under 18:

- > If it is during school hours, let your school know you have an interview to attend.
- Your parents/guardians are welcome to attend the interview with you.
- Give some thought to what you will wear, it should be smart, clean and tidy. First impressions do count!

During the interview:

- Prepare some answers to questions you may be asked. e.g.:
 - Why have you chosen this course?
 - How do you think this course will benefit your future study/career choice?
 - Describe any employment/work experience you may have done

If you are still at school you may also be asked the following:

- What is your schoolwork record like?
- What is your attendance and punctuality record at school
- Prepare some questions that you may like to ask. e.g.:
 - What could the course lead to in the future in terms of further study or career opportunities?
 - Will there be any extra costs for books, materials and trips etc.?
 - How will my work be assessed (e.g. continuous assessment or exams)?
 - What are the IT and library facilities like?
 - What financial or other support is available for students?

This is your opportunity to find out about college life and your chosen course. Good luck!





Chichester College Travel Map

City Approach Roads



Parking information

The main car park is located at the back of the campus.

If you choose to use our campus car park, you must sign in at a Reception with your car registration details and student reference number, which can be located at the top of your interview invite. You must do this within 30 minutes of arriving to avoid a fine.

The location of where you need to register will be in your interview email.

