



Ballet Petit

Junior Company Application Form 2009-10 Purple Form

Ballet Petit Studio - 30060 Mission Blvd. Second Floor - Hayward, California, 94544 - Phone: 510 324-4988 - www.balletpetit.com

Junior Company Application Form Due 9/15 for Regular Registrants 9/16 - 9/30 for Late Registrants (\$10.00 late fee applies)

Dancers will be notified no later than October 4 of acceptance, conditional acceptance, or offer to reapply in 2010.

Your Name _____ Today's Date _____

If you feel that you can or can continue to meet the above criteria for acceptance, please answer the questions below.
Please state one or more reasons why you would like to be a member in Ballet Petit's Junior Company.

Please list any positive qualities your membership would bring to this group.

Have you been a member before ? If yes, when? _____

How would you rate your performance as a Junior Company member in the past?

Is it clear to you that you are expected to attend all sessions, from beginning to end and that all absences are to be approved at least one week ahead of time, in writing, for events such as family trips, school commitments, etc. ? Do you understand that you are supposed to attend all sessions, but if you must be excused, it must be for important reasons, and there must be two or fewer of those for the entire year? Are you clear that arriving late and leaving early counts as an absence in most cases? _____

Is there any reason you may not be able to fulfill the class attendance requirement of 3 days per week minimum?

Is there any reason you may not be able to fulfill the Junior Company attendance requirement of full session attendance and less than 2 excused absences from them? _____

In the event of acceptance I, _____, agree to follow all rules and procedures of the Junior Company, including those regarding attendance requirements. I will do my best .

Signed and Dated :

(student applicant signature) _____ (parent signature of applicant) _____

Date: _____

Dancer's e-mail address _____ Parent's e-mail address _____

A special e-mail group will be set up where both parents and dancers receive notices pertaining to the Junior Company. You will be notified via e-mail no later than October 4, 2009 of your acceptance, conditional acceptance, or offer to re apply in 2010. Dancers will be responsible for getting their own uniform by the first session on Oct. 16, 2009. If there is a new color it will be announced on Oct. 4th, 2009. **Payment is due at the time the application is submitted.** This fee covers the cost for costuming necessary for the Junior Company work to be presented at the Spring Concert. **Checks will be held until October 4 and will be processed only if the dancer is accepted.**



Ballet Petit

Junior Company Application Form 2009-2010 Purple Form

Ballet Petit Studio - 30060 Mission Blvd. Second Floor - Hayward, California, 94544 - Phone: 510 324-4988 - www.balletpetit.com

Ballet Petit invites you to join the 2009-2010 Junior Company!

Statement of Purpose

It is our hope at Ballet Petit to provide our students with a well rounded ballet curriculum. An important aspect of this curriculum is that of the performance realm. Ballet Petit invites its more serious and skilled dancers to focus specifically on various aspects of the performance experience through full participation in the Junior Company.

The Junior Company is a place for serious students to further study their art. Junior Company members will learn more about traditional ballet repertoire, stage make-up, costuming, various composers, famous ballet companies, etc. Members will explore a variety of choreography- traditional, famous, and experimental. Members will also have the opportunity of creating pieces themselves. Field trips to professional performances, often models of master choreography and performance, will be scheduled as appropriate.

The Junior Company serves as the core of Ballet Petit's performance group and will have the opportunity to perform several times each year in a variety of settings. All members are expected to participate fully in all performances and activities of the Junior Company.

Requirements for Membership - Applicants must meet each of the following requirements to be considered for membership:

- be a student already placed in Pointe 2 regularly attending regular ballet classes a minimum of three days per week
- have and maintain good behavior and regular class and rehearsal attendance
- adhere to all rules, policies, and procedures of Ballet Petit
- be committed to attend all Junior Company sessions from beginning to end
- agree to request, in advance, to be excused only for extremely important matters
(It is expected that there will be none to two or fewer EXCUSED absences and/or illness absences. 2009-10 graduates will be granted one additional excused absence to be used only for verifiable/official graduation activities.)
Early departures will count as an absence. Sessions end at 7:00 p.m.
- be responsible for knowing all rehearsal and performance schedules, special requirements, etc.
- pay annual membership of \$200.00 when applying.
- always attempt to set a good example to other Ballet Petit students, families, and guests
- satisfactory completion of this application

All Junior Company members must adhere to these criteria in order to retain membership. Failure to maintain one or more of the standards set forth here will be cause for a variety of sanctions ranging from casting deletions to dismissal from the Junior Company. Under most circumstances reapplication will not be possible until the open application period the following August. Dancers will be dismissed following their third unexcused absence.

Our Junior Company Calendar for 2009-10 : Fridays 4:30-7:00

Register for classes, Nutc., and apply for Junior Company by Sept. 15.

All Junior Company applicants/ BP registrants 9/16-30 pay late reg. fee

Oct. 16, 23	Nov. 6, 20	Dec. 11	Jan. 29	Feb. 5, 19, 26
March 5, 19, 26	April 16, 23, 30	May 7	June 4	Party TBA in June

Other dates to note: *Nutcracker - Dec. 4th and 5th, 2009, and Spring Concert - tentative May 15, 2010

Scheduled Field Trips: We will schedule field trips to professional productions as the opportunities arise. Try to attend. Ticket costs will vary from show to show.

Is your check included with your application? Yes _____ check # _____