



NUTCRACKER AUDITION DATES
SUNDAY JULY 26th & SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 20th 2026
You Only Need To Attend One Audition Date

Dear Dancer & Parent:

San Diego Ballet will present performances of the Nutcracker over one weekend. The performances will be at the Magnolia Theatre. Casting will determine the exact number of performances your child will be involved in. All dancers are expected to attend all rehearsals. The only excused absence will be that of a verified illness. Please let the office know by sending an email if your child will not be at Rehearsal. A dancer who misses or is late for TWO rehearsals may be replaced. Please check your emails every week for updates on rehearsals and fittings, and please be PROMPT to every rehearsal & fittings. It is imperative that the Parent also respects this commitment and makes every effort to ensure that his/her child attends all rehearsals and fittings on time. Please remember that rehearsal time is not a replacement for ballet technique classes. To maintain your part in the production, you need to attend your classes to keep your technique advancing. NOT taking your required classes could jeopardize your part.

During performances, children will be supervised backstage and must be signed in and out. Remind your children that they are required to follow the directions of the SDB staff, chaperones, and crew. Parents may not wait during rehearsals and performances. These rules are to ensure the safety of all the dancers.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability and death, illness, damage, loss, claim, liability or expense of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s attendance with San Diego Ballet or participation in studio programs. On my behalf, and on behalf of my child(ren), I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless San Diego Ballet, its employees of and from the Claims including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or related thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of San Diego Ballet and its employees or volunteers.

By agreeing to the conditions, this will be an exciting and enjoyable experience for everyone involved.

COMMITMENT AGREEMENT

Dancer's Name _____ Fee Paid _____

I agree to attend all rehearsals and performances and to follow the rules of conduct specified by SDB. Attached is my nonrefundable commitment fee of \$200.00. (Please make checks payable to San Diego Ballet.)

Signature _____ (Dancer's signature)

Parent Signature _____ (If dancer is under 18)

Date _____

Paid check # _____ Cash \$ _____ cc with 5% processing fee \$ _____ Date _____ (Office Use Only)