

GLOUCESTER
DANCE
FESTIVAL

Saturday 26th October - Friday 1st November 2024
Ribston Hall High School Stroud Road Gloucester GL1 5LE
Adjudicator: Miss Jacqui Ison

Welcome to Gloucester Dance Festival 2024

Gloucester Dance Festival provides a stage competition for children during the Autumn half term school holidays for those who are willing to be measured for an artistic standard by a professional adjudicator. We aim to create a well organised and friendly competition for the many talented young performers in Gloucestershire and the surrounding counties.

Venue: Ribston Hall High School is an excellent venue with parking, a large stage 6130mm deep x 9940mm wide plus wings, tabs and electronic curtains used for group dances. Ten changing rooms including for boys and females with male parent/carer. Hot/cold refreshments available.

Age is taken as on 31st August in the year of the festival.

Solo, duet, trio/quartet 5-18 years.

Group dances: Junior 5-10 years. Intermediate 14 & under. Senior 19 years & under.

Entry forms: Invited dance studios will receive priority entry forms. Entries accepted from additional studios if time permits. Entry forms are not available on our website.

Confirmation for all entries will be sent electronically giving the competitors ID entry number.

Programmes: All Competitors receive a complimentary programme.

Audience admission: £5.00 per adult per day to include a programme whilst stocks last.

Pre-booked Wristbands: October the registered parent/carer may pre-book and pre-pay £25.00 for all seven days, alternatively, the registered parent/carer may pre-book and pre-pay for individual days for themselves and family members @ £5.00 per day per adult.

No charge for accompanied children under 18 years or former competitors still in education.

NEW for 2024: * **Uploading your music online will replace CD's**

BACK for 2024: * **Improvisation** for Intermediates and Seniors

IMPORTANT TIMELINE DATES

Closing Date: There is no closing date, entries will be accepted until we have reached capacity.

GDF Priority Entry Forms:	May for invited dance schools entering group dances.
Provisional running order:	June/July
Provisional timetable:	July/August
Printed programme:	Second week in October
Corrections for reports and certificates:	Wednesday 16 th October
Uploading music online:	September/October
Pre-paid wristbands by registered parent/carer	Last day to book and pay Monday 21st October
Championship entries:	Closing date and time on individual invitations
All correspondence via Email only:	info@gloucesterdancefestival.co.uk
All documents: <i>excluding entry forms</i>	www.gloucesterdancefestival.co.uk
All the latest news:	Gloucester Dance Festival Facebook page

If you have any queries, or require further information regarding GDF 2024 contact:-

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