



DANCE - AUDITION VIDEO REQUIREMENTS

Admissions into the Dance Program for the Dance Major, Minor, and Certification Degree programs are by audition only. **No in-person audition will be conducted.** Dance auditions are **online only** through this application and video submission process. Students may audition prior to being accepted into the University of Houston (**Undergraduate Admissions**).

For the **2025-2026** school year, the audition submission deadlines are:

- **OCTOBER 25, 2025**
- **FEBRUARY 7, 2026**
- **APRIL 4, 2026**

Video Requirements

- Please record 2 - 3 short videos according to guidelines below.
- Videos must be from within the recent year.
- The dance faculty want to see your current level of ability in ballet and modern/contemporary dance, plus one technique or style of your choice.
- Please wear appropriate dance class attire, pull your hair up, make sure you can be seen clearly from head to toe.
- Make sure your videos are of good viewing quality.
- Find an appropriate space where you have room to dance.
- At the beginning of one video, please give a very brief verbal introduction.

Required Video #1 Ballet Video

The dance faculty want to see your body alignment from the front and side. Do some barre, center and across the floor exercises.

Required Video #2 Modern/Contemporary Video

The dance faculty would like to see the following skills (in no particular order):

1. Floorwork
2. Inversions like handstands, cartwheels
3. Turns of any kind
4. Traveling moves
5. Leaps, hops, jumps
6. Changing of directions
7. Rapid and/or complex foot moves of your choice
8. Demonstrate your artistry and performance qualities

Optional Video #3 Your Choice

The dance faculty would love to see what else you do besides modern and ballet! It can be another dance style or another movement activity that is connected to your dance skills.

For all dance audition questions please contact: **jabobet@central.uh.edu**