

Certificate in Dance Teaching Application Form for entry in 2026

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OF DANCE

Please write or type in black ink and use BLOCK CAPITALS.
Refer to the application guidelines on how to complete this form.

1 APPLYING FOR THE CERTIFICATE IN DANCE TEACHING

You are applying for the Certificate in Dance Teaching programme starting in **January 2026**
This programme is delivered by distance-learning and part-time.

To apply please send the following items to the Royal Academy of Dance:

- Application Form
- Reference Form
- Evidence of Qualifications
- Equality and Diversity Form (optional)

All items should be posted to:

Admissions Officer: Faculty of Education
Royal Academy of Dance,
188 York Road, London,
SW11 3JZ, UK

Or emailed to faculty@rad.org.uk

Or sent directly to the RAD National Office in your country of residence.

2 YOUR CONTACT DETAILS

Title (e.g. Mr, Mrs, Ms, Miss etc.):	Surname/Family Name:
First/Given Name(s):	
Postal Address:	
Country:	
Home Tel:	Mobile Tel:
Email:	

3 OTHER DETAILS

Age at start of programme	Years	Months	Date of Birth	D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gender:		Nationality:									
What is your first language (refer to guidelines point 3.1)											
What languages are you prepared to study in?											
Country of permanent residence											
If successful, how do you intend to finance your studies?											
Please give details of any reasonable adjustments or support required due to a disability or medical condition: (refer to guidelines point 3.3)											

4 EDUCATION, ACADEMIC & DANCE QUALIFICATIONS COMPLETED

Please list any relevant as well as highest qualification achieved to date in each category.

SECONDARY, FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION QUALIFICATIONS

Institution	Subject & Level (e.g. A-Levels, BTEC, BA, MA etc.)	Grade	Month	Year

DANCE & DANCE TEACHING QUALIFICATIONS

Examining Body	Genre & Level	Grade	Month	Year

Please attach copies of the highest dance/dance teaching qualifications obtained to date.

5 QUALIFICATIONS CURRENTLY BEING TAKEN including examinations not yet taken or where results are not yet published (refer to guidelines point 5)

Institution	Subject & Level	Month	Year

Please make a photocopy of this page if you need more space to list your qualifications.

6 PRACTICAL TEACHING PLACEMENT

Please provide the name and address of a dance school where you could undertake your practical teaching placement. You will be asked to confirm the proposed placement details during the first two months of the programme.

School Name	
Contact at School	
Address	
Country	

7 PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Starting with the most recent first, include any dance, performance or teaching experience that you may have.

From (Month/Year)	To (Month/Year)	Name of Company/School and Location	Position Held

Please make a photocopy of this page if you need more space to annotate your qualifications.

8 PERSONAL STATEMENT QUESTIONS

Please respond to the following questions. You should not exceed a 600 word count limit.

Question 1: What attracts you to the Certificate in Dance Teaching programme?

Question 2: What are your career aspirations?

Question 3: What qualities do you think are important for a dance teacher and why?

Question 4: What resources have you accessed (e.g. videos, books, articles, social media etc.) in relation to dance and dance teaching? What have you learned from these sources?

Question 5: What are your expectations of studying via distance learning? What do you think might be challenging about studying by distance and how might you approach this?

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If you wish to receive any information about or from the RAD please tick here ☐

We may, from time to time, send you targeted communications about other carefully selected third party services which we think may be of interest to you. If you wish to receive such information from the RAD about carefully selected third party services, please tick here ☐

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Declaration: I confirm that the information given on this form is true, complete and accurate and no information requested or other material information has been omitted. I agree that if I am admitted to a programme of study at the Royal Academy of Dance, I shall abide by the Regulations of the Academy. I have read the statement on Data Protection and agree to the use of my personal data as outlined and the RAD's rules and policies on the use of personal data.

Applicant's Signature <i>Do not type signature as this will not be accepted.</i>		Date	
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Where did you hear about the programme of study for which you are applying? *(please tick box)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> RAD Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Prospectus | <input type="checkbox"/> Eventbrite Webinar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RAD Social Media | <input type="checkbox"/> RAD Advertising | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RAD Teacher | <input type="checkbox"/> RAD Open Days | |

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