



TITLE OF POST : VISITING DANCE TEACHER

PURPOSE OF JOB

- To teach Contemporary Dance classes

LESSON CONTENT

Dance teaching at JASSPA comprises the following:

- Warm-ups
- Technical skills
- Improvisation
- Routines
- Musical development
- Performance preparation

The balance of lessons is expected to vary, depending on the age of pupils, aptitude and ability of each class and musical interests.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF VISITING DANCE TEACHER

It is expected that JASSPA Dance teachers will:

- Work closely with the Director and other Jasspa dance teachers
- Run punctual, well structured classes each lasting 40/50/60mins
- Monitor students' attendance, progress and enjoyment
- Prepare classes for annual shows in our on-site purpose built theatre. Performances should exhibit pupil enjoyment and technical / creative skills appropriate to the level of class
- Encourage appropriate dance-wear including hair tied back
- Encourage regular attendance and best dancing by inspiring their pupils during lesson time
- Welcome parents to end of term Open Days
- Encourage pupils to work through exercises/routines at home mid-week prior to shows
- Be aware of JASSPA's Health and Safety policy - located in our hand book
- Be aware of individual pupil special needs/medical conditions

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JAGS is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Applicants must be willing to undergo child protection screening and appropriate to the post, including checks with former employers and the Disclosure and Barring Service.