

2026 MYB Workshop Performance Contract

REHEARSAL PERIOD REQUIREMENTS

- Rehearsal Casting will appear on the "Workshop Rehearsal Casting" Tab on your profile. Please review it carefully.
- **ALL** planned/potential conflicts must be listed in the designated area.
- Only **2** excused absences from rehearsals are allowed with PRIOR written documentation. Missing more than 2 rehearsals can result in a casting change and/or removal from a role or performance.
- Absences must be submitted via email to BOTH Deborah Wingert (d.wingert@manhattanyouthballet.org) and Vincent Paradiso (vsp@manhattanyouthballet.org)

TECH AND PERFORMANCE WEEK REQUIREMENTS

- Technical rehearsals will be held Monday, March 9th - Thursday, March 12th. We will do our best to have all students 12 and under released by 7:00pm.
- Performances will be March 13th-16th. Performance times are as follows: Friday evenings at 7pm, Saturdays at 2pm and 6pm and Sundays at 3pm and 7pm.
- All students **MUST** be available for ALL technical/dress rehearsals and performances.
- Students must sign in each day beginning with dress rehearsals and performances after their warm-up class. Sign-in will be posted next to the Dressing Room downstairs by the theater.
- Students should not leave MMAC during tech rehearsals/run throughs unless given permission from faculty. We recommend bringing snacks and water for any long rehearsal days.

REHEARSAL AND PERFORMANCE CASTING

- Casting is subject to change. Being asked to learn a role does not guarantee being cast in a performance.
- Performance casting will be emailed to you.
- All casting decisions are made by choreographers and the artistic faculty. These decisions are non-negotiable.

FEES

- There is a non-refundable performance fee for Workshop (\$350 for Level B; \$500 for Levels C-F)
- Failure to sign-in will result in a \$10 fine to be paid to the Manhattan Youth Ballet Scholarship Fund.
- Failure to comply with backstage etiquette and staff instruction will result in a \$10 fine to be paid to the MYB Scholarship Fund.
- Failure to properly hang up any and all costumes at the end of a tech rehearsal, dress rehearsal, or performance will result in a \$20 fine to be paid to the MYB Costume Fund.

REHEARSAL ATTIRE AND BEHAVIOR

- Ladies: Pink or skin tone tights and a leotard of your choice.
- Men: Tights or leggings and a clean fitted t-shirt.
- Warm-ups are permitted for the first 15 minutes of rehearsal.
- All hair must be secured tightly off the face.
- Students should arrive prepared for rehearsal with all necessary shoes, props, etc.
- **Dancers are responsible for warming-up on their own if a class is not provided.**
- Students are expected to carry themselves responsibly and respectfully in all rehearsals as students of MYB.

PHOTO/VIDEO

Periodically, photographers/film crews will be present to shoot Manhattan Youth Ballet classes/rehearsals. Permission for resulting photographs/film footage that include both students and/or their parents/guardians is assumed to be granted in perpetuity by them for promotional purposes on television, in magazines or other media.