





Providing exciting opportunities for talented, hardworking, team performers

SQUAD! requires a different level of commitment. All members & parents must be ready to commit the time, effort & discipline to make our collective efforts rewarding. All members must be taking at least multi-discipline classes exclusively with CDC Dance. Timekeeping and attendance should be excellent. The desires to work hard & achieve great things are prerequisites

What Do We Do?

SQUAD! is our elite team of dancers who

- Are fast tracked;
- Perform more often:
- Compete in dance festivals;
- Attend auditions for TV, local productions, and vocational schools/colleges;
- Progress their amateur dancing careers further, many into professions.

SQUAD! has enjoyed success, more importantly, had a great time, performing, competing & taking workshops with some of the UK's best known dancers & choreographers at an array of events such as 'Can You Dance?' convention in Worcester, 'Chance2Dance' at Birmingham Hippodrome, Alton Towers and Drayton Manor (including park access tickets), IDTA area meetings, 'Future Starz' at the Belgrade Theatre in Coventry, 'Dance Caper' in Leicester. We've entered & placed at competitions locally, regionally and nationally, and enjoyed weekends away with our supportive families, doing what we love!

Our **SQUAD!** take additional team-based exams & will perform more routines at our charity showcases, next one being our ICONS show at The Rep Theatre 21/3/20

SQUAD! Teams

Juniors

7 to 9 year olds

Intermediates

10 to 13 year olds

Seniors

14 years +







What to Wear

SQUAD! GIRLS wear either the CDC crop top or vest, or their choice of black leotard with CDC Dance branded leggings

SQUAD! BOYS wear white sleeveless leotard or vest and black CDC Dance branded leggings

SQUAD! GIRLS & BOYS choice of **SQUAD!** branded black T shirt / sweatshirt / hoodie / onesie

ALL need black tap shoes, pink or black ballet shoes, black jazz shoes

All uniform & shoes can be bought on our website:

https://www.cdcdance.co.uk/shop

Existing CDC Dance class uniform is also fine to be worn at **SQUAD!** practice

Terms

These classes are offered at the monthly fee of £18.33 & £15 for 2nd siblings, where both siblings are in the **SQUAD!** (equivalent of £5.50/£4.50 per session)

You won't need to do anything regarding adjusting payments, you'll see **SQUAD!** as a separate line on your invoice & GoCardless will collect the new amount

Auditions Sunday 12th January

To be part of our 2020 **SQUAD!** interested parties must apply for an audition slot before the deadline of **Sunday 5**th **January**

Joining Miss Claire on the audition panel will be 3 independent assessors with extensive experience in performance arts

Ahead of the auditions, dancers should download and complete the supporting information template from the **SQUAD!** page of our website

On audition day, dancers should arrive at their allocated time, in CDC Dance uniform, with hair in plaits/buns. They must bring a printed copy of their supporting information, with a head & shoulders photo attached to the front & pay the £10 audition fee when parent signs the dancer in

At the audition each dancer will perform their individual routine, prepared beforehand. This should be a minimum of 30 seconds and maximum of 1.5 minutes

Dancers select their own music, sending it to claire@cdcdance.co.uk via www.wetransfer.com or play from Spotify or another app/device brought with them

The final element of the Junior, Intermediate & Senior auditions will be being taught some choreography as a group, to a track from Grease, which will later be one of the **SQUAD!** routines in our ICONS show

Bag your **AUDITION** now: https://www.cdcdance.co.uk/SQUAD

