

Nutcracker AUDITIONS

Saturday September 12th 2026

2026 NUTCRACKER CASTING NOTICE

Presented by Friends of DanceWorks Nonprofit

AUDITION LOCATION & TIMES

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12th 2026 at DanceWorks Studios

11005 NE Fourth Plain BLVD Vancouver, WA 98662

12:30-1:00pm: All Boys Ages 5+

1:00-2:00pm: 5-6 year-olds

2:00-3:00pm: 7-9 year-olds

3:00-4:00pm: 10-18 yrs old (on flat, no pointe experience or less than one full year Pointe at time of audition, attend in flat ballet shoes)

4:00-5:30 pm: 12+ (En Pointe, minimum 1 year experience, attend in pointe shoes)

All students who take Acro will be asked to show their Acro skills during their Ballet Audition. Students who only take Acro need to attend the audition time for their age group.

Full Info Scan Me!



NOTES FOR AUDITIONING

- Dancers: HAIR MUST BE IN A BUN! Please wear a leotard, tights, and ballet/pointe shoes for auditions. Boys may wear a white T-shirt and black shorts.
- The audition is open to students registered at DanceWorks & to dancers within our community ages 5 and up.

COST

\$425 - Performance Fee | Due October 15th
Includes; Audition fee, Costume rental, Two tickets (\$70 value), Performer Photo Shoot with complimentary group digital photo, 4K Digital Video of performances & live production photos.

Please Note: Fees do not run automatically.
Complimentary Ticket codes are not given until all fees are paid in full.

2026 PRODUCTION INFORMATION

The more parts you have, the more rehearsals you will have!

Rehearsals are held at DanceWorks Performing Arts

11005 NE Fourth Plain Blvd. Vancouver, WA 98662

Rehearsals will be on Fridays & Saturdays beginning Friday September 25th

The November and December schedule is sent out at the end of October.

NO Rehearsals Thanksgiving Break | Nov 25th-Nov 29th

All rehearsals are subject to change.

Only one (1) missed rehearsal is allowed. If you cannot commit to this schedule, please do not do this production.

First time students are only cast in one role. If a dancer does not take Ballet, they can only expect one role.

NOT ALL AUDITIONERS WILL BE CAST

Tentative Important Dates | NOT CONFIRMED

COSTUME FITTINGS

Sept 18th-19th

PICTURE DAY

Sunday November 15th

IN STUDIO DRESS REHEARSAL

Saturday December 5th

TECHNICAL REHEARSALS AT THEATER

Dec 8th-10th

PERFORMANCES

Friday, December 11th: 7pm

Saturday, December 12th: 2pm & 7pm

Sunday, December 13th: 1pm

Technical Rehearsals & Performances at

FORT VANCOUVER HIGH SCHOOL

5700 E 18th St, Vancouver, WA 98661