



BalletX's In-School Outreach Program, Dance eXchange, is seeking mature, responsible dance educators for the 2019-20 school year. Our teaching artists work with 3rd and 4th graders throughout the School District of Philadelphia and work in pairs to lead class sizes ranging from 20-30.

Based on the award-winning methodology of the National Dance Institute (NDI), Dance eXchange uses live music and structured creative learning to teach Philadelphia students the basic vocabulary of dance, while fostering personal growth skills like self-confidence, focus, teamwork, and determination. Founded in Spring 2014 with a class of 24 students at Andrew Jackson School, the program has since grown to reach nearly 300 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade students.

The ideal applicant should:

- possess energy, enthusiasm, and a love for education and children
- be available for a 2-week teacher training in NYC (Monday July 29<sup>th</sup>-Friday Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 2019) with National Dance Institute ([nationaldance.org](http://nationaldance.org))
- commit to 20 weeks of weekly in-school classes from September 2019-March 2020, plus curricular planning meetings with fellow teaching artists
- be prepared to choreograph final dances for the March 2020 Final Performance
- must have, or can obtain PA Criminal Clearance, FBI Background Check, and PA Child Abuse Clearance.

Applicant should have a BA in Dance or Dance Education, or similar years' experience in dance education.

To apply, please send a letter of intent, resume and headshot to Anne White, Education & Community Relations Specialist, at [awhite@balletx.org](mailto:awhite@balletx.org).

For more information about Dance eXchange, visit [BalletX.org/danceexchange](http://BalletX.org/danceexchange).