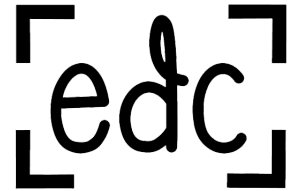


Position: Dance Teacher

Written Date: June 21, 2023



Position Description:

Elevation Dance Company is growing! We are looking for an exceptional individual to join our team as a part time dance teacher with afternoon and evening availability. This position would be in person, and require teaching at our studio in Pendleton.

At EDC, we are committed to providing our families with exceptional customer service, and you will be expected to be an important part of spreading that level of service to our dancers. As a member of our teaching team at Elevation Dance Company, you would be expected to uphold our mission and values. We are committed to providing dancers with great dance technique, as well as giving them lessons that will serve them for a lifetime, all while making dance the highlight of their week!

Estimated Hours Per Week:

- During the Season (September-May): estimated 8-12 hours per week.
- During the Summer (June-August): Some seasonal work may be available.

Tasks and Responsibilities:

We are looking for a creative and confident dance teacher that is comfortable teaching kids of multiple ages, especially preschoolers.

Day To Day - What You'll Be Doing:

Teaching Dance Classes

- Work with our director to plan activities for dancers during each class.
- Have classes that are based around having fun while teaching good, solid technique.
- Choreograph and teach any routines that will be performed in our recital.

Miscellaneous Jobs

- There may be times when we can provide opportunities for extra hours that include activities that are outside the purview of this job description.

Technology Use

- Basic computer skills.
- Access to the internet is a must.
- BAND will be used to stay in contact with staff.
- Gmail, Google Forms, Google Docs, and Google Sheets will be used for planning and organization.

Ideal Candidate Profile:

- You love kids, especially preschoolers! We want the person in this position to have a passion for kids and helping them learn and grow.
- You have experience teaching dance to younger kids.
- Calm and Collected - You don't get overwhelmed when there is a lot going on. Dance class can sometimes get chaotic. You don't panic, you can stay cool and can lead through the chaos while teaching your class and holding the attention of the group.
- People skills - When in contact with parents, though infrequent, we want you to be confident and positive when talking to them about dance classes and their child.
- You have afternoon and evening availability. Most of our classes at the studio happen from 4-9pm.
- Confidence - You will need confidence to be able to control a room of dancers, especially preschoolers. Be strong in your ability!

This position is great for you if:

- You match the description above.
- You are very outgoing.
- You love being around kids!
- You have a solid base of dance technique and are comfortable and confident teaching that to younger dancers.
- You do not need this position as a full time job.
- You have a consistent schedule and can fulfill all of your classes September-May.
- You would be open to future and further employment if mutually beneficial.

This position may not be for you if:

- You are looking for an immediate full time position.
- You do not have transportation to get to your classes.
- You are not sure if you can handle a room of children and be in charge.
- You are not sure that you would be great under pressure and being in charge.
- You haven't taught dance before.
- You need rigid instruction and management in order to complete a job.

What do you think?

If you've read this and it sounds like a great fit because you know you could completely own and deliver in this role, we would love to learn more about you!

About Elevation Dance Company

Elevation Dance Company is a dance studio that is committed to not only providing quality dance instruction, but we want our dancers to thrive as leaders in our community. We believe that the lessons you can learn in a classroom will take you far beyond the dance floor, and will

last long after you retire from dance. We want to create a positive environment where dancers can learn great technique, but they have fun and feel loved doing it!