AUDITIONS!
The Nutcracker Ballet
Stephens Auditorium
Sunday, September 9, 2018
12:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Details:
- Registration begins at 11:15 a.m.
- Parking is available in Lot B-3 (South side of Center Drive).
- Enter Stephens Auditorium at the Southeast Corner.
- DO NOT drop off or park in the loading dock area.
- Dancers need to be dressed, warmed-up and ready to audition at the times listed below.
- All dancers should wear leotards, tights, and ballet or pointe shoes.
- Dancers MUST be enrolled in a dance studio and Pointe dancers MUST be studying pointe to perform.
- Children must be 6 years of age or older to perform.
- You may be cast in a part which you did not audition. We reserve the right to cast you in ANY part.
- Dancers are encouraged to audition for every role they are capable of performing.

Schedule:
* The order of roles below may vary within each audition period.

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION for 2018:**
- Carefully review the 2018 Nutcracker Rehearsal Schedule (see page 2) and note potential conflicts.
- You MUST attend the first rehearsal for your role. If you miss more than one rehearsal, we reserve the right to replace you.
- First rehearsal will be at the Ames Dancer South, 319 South 17th Street, Ames, IA 50010.
- Call the Dancer center at (515) 233-0826 with any questions.
- There is a costume cleaning fee of $25 per performer. A $5 late fee will be added after 10/12/18.
- **YOUR HELP IS NEEDED** – A Volunteer Coordinator will contact all participating families for backstage help at rehearsals and performances. Families of each cast member are required to provide volunteer help in lieu of supplemental participant fees. This helps keep costs down and keeps our performances running smoothly and safely.
This is a tentative schedule, subject to change as necessary. Updated schedules will be posted weekly at the studio and on the web site http://www.rtdance.com/downloads

**Rehearsal Address:** Ames Dancenter South -319 South 17th Street-Ames, IA 50010—(515) 233-0826

### Saturdays, September 22 – October 6

**Studio B**
- 2:00 – 2:45 Mother Ginger’s Kids
- 2:45 – 3:45 Angels
- 3:45 – 4:45 Snow
- 4:45 – 5:15 Flutes
- 5:15 – 6:45 Flowers
- 6:45 – 7:45 Flower Soloists & Dew Drop Fairy

**Studio A**
- 2:00 – 3:00 Irish (Costume Fitting 10/6)
- 3:45 – 5:15 Puppets (Costume Fitting 10/6)
- 5:15 – 6:00 Neapolitans
- 6:00 – 6:30 Chinese
- 6:30 – 7:15 Spanish

### Sundays, September 23 – October 7

**Studio B**
- 11:00 – 11:15 Harlequins, Indian Boys & Drosselmeyer starting 10/7, Harlequin Costume Fitting 10/7
- 11:45 – 12:45 Dolls, Drosselmeyer & Indian Boys
- 12:45 – 1:45 Adult Party Guests, Maids & Drosselmeyer
- 1:45 – 2:45 Clara & Friends
- 2:45 – 3:45 First Lieutenant, Soldiers & Nutcracker
- 3:45 – 4:45 Fritz & Friends
- 4:45 – 5:45 Mice
- 5:45 – 6:45 Russians
- 6:45 – 7:30 Hungarian

**Studio A**
- 6:00 – 7:00 American (Costume Fitting 10/7)
- 7:00 – 8:00 Arabians

### Saturday, October 13

**Studio B**
- 2:00 – 2:45 Mother Ginger & Mother Ginger’s Kids
- 2:45 – 3:15 Nutcracker & Clara
- 3:15 – 3:45 Nutcracker, Clara, Angels & Godmother
- 3:45 – 4:45 Snow
- 4:45 – 5:15 Flutes
- 5:15 – 6:45 Flowers, Flower Soloists & Dew Drop Fairy

**Studio A**
- 2:00 – 3:00 Irish
- 3:45 – 5:15 Puppets (Puppets Makeup w/parents 10/13)
- 5:15 – 6:00 Neapolitans
- 6:00 – 6:30 Chinese
- 6:30 – 7:15 Spanish

### Sunday, October 14

**Studio B**
- 11:00 – 11:45 Harlequins, Indian Boys & Drosselmeyer (Harlequins Makeup w/parents 10/14)
- 11:45 – 12:45 Dolls, Drosselmeyer & Indian Boys
- 12:45 – 1:45 Clara & Friends
- 12:45 – 3:45 Adult Party Guests, Maids, Drosselmeyer & Indian Boys

**Studio A**
- 6:00 – 7:00 Americans
- 7:00 – 8:30 Arabians

### Saturdays, October 20 – December 1

**Studio B**
- 11:00 – 11:15 Harlequins, Indian Boys & Drosselmeyer starting 10/7, Harlequin Costume Fitting 10/7
- 11:45 – 12:45 Dolls, Drosselmeyer & Indian Boys
- 12:45 – 1:45 Adult Party Guests, Maids & Drosselmeyer
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**Studio A**
- 6:00 – 7:00 American (Costume Fitting 10/7)
- 7:00 – 8:00 Arabians

### November 3 – 6

**Rehearsal at Stephens Auditorium**
[Dec. 7 is a SNOW CANCELLATION DAY (if necessary)]
6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
All performers rehearse at Stephens Auditorium

### December 8 – 9

**Performance at Stephens Auditorium**
- Saturday, December 8, 2018 1:30 p.m.
- Saturday, December 8, 2018 7:30 p.m.
- Sunday, December 9, 2018 1:30 p.m.