

CAREERS
SNAPSHOT

DANCE



HOLMFIRTH
HIGH SCHOOL



5 REASONS WHY DANCE CAN BOOST YOUR CAREER?

1

Creativity

Dance nurtures creativity, a highly sought-after skill in any career, helping you think outside the box and approach challenges innovatively.

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Discipline

The dedication required in dance builds discipline and time-management skills, valuable traits for any profession.

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Teamwork

Collaborative performances foster teamwork and communication skills, essential for thriving in group environments.

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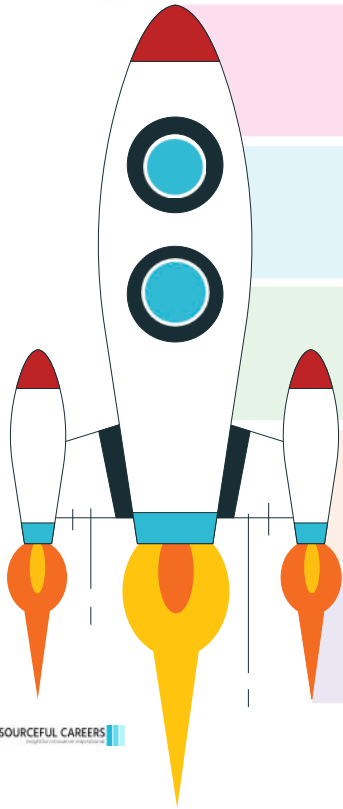
Confidence

Performing boosts self-confidence, enabling you to present yourself effectively in interviews, meetings, and professional settings.

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Health and Well-being

Dance promotes physical and mental well-being, helping you maintain the energy and focus needed to excel in your career.



WHAT SKILLS WILL YOU DEVELOP?

Different jobs need different skills but did you know studying **Dance** can help you to develop these skills.



WHAT JOBS CAN YOU DO WITH DRAMA?

Discover awesome dance jobs and see the earning potential!

Explore your options and find out what you could make each year!



ACTOR / ACTRESS

Use speech, movement and expression to bring characters to life in theatre, film, television and radio.

VARIABLE



DANCER

Dancers use movement to perform for live audiences or in recorded performances.

VARIABLE



DRAMA THERAPIST

Use group work, role play and movement to help people with their feelings and emotions.

£35,000 - £50,000



DANCE MOVEMENT PSYCHOTHERAPIST

Dance movement psychotherapists use dance and movement to help people deal with emotional, physical and psychological issues.

£37,000 - £53,000



CHOREOGRAPHER

Choreographers design steps, movements and dances, usually with music, for dancers and other artists to perform.

VARIABLE



COMMUNITY ARTS WORKER

Community arts workers help local communities plan and take part in activities like drama, dance, painting and photography.

£19,000 - £29,000

YOU COULD WORK IN THESE SECTORS...



**EVENT
MANAGEMENT**



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COUNSELLING**



**CORPORATE
TRAINING &
DEVELOPMENT**



HEALTH CARE



EDUCATION



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& MARKETING**



**ENTERTAINMENT
& MEDIA**



**TOURISM &
HOSPITALITY**

... AND WORK FOR THESE COMPANIES!

**National
Theatre**



GRAND
Theatre & Opera House Leeds



**SHAKESPEARE'S
GLOBE**

**SHEFFIELD
THEATRES**



**LONDON
COLISEUM**



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**THE
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Pearlfisher.



ELSTREE STUDIOS



NETFLIX



WHAT QUALIFICATIONS CAN HELP YOU?

Check out some of the different qualifications related to **Dance**, see what you can learn, and find out where they could take you in the future!

APPRENTICESHIPS

- Costume Performance Technician
- Props technician
- Art Therapist
- Assistant Recording Technician
- Assistant Puppet Maker
- Assistant recording technician
- Creative Industries Production Manager
- Play Therapist
- Costume Performance Technician
- Creative Venue Technician

FURTHER EDUCATION

- A Level - Drama
- A Level - Performing Arts
- A Level - Dance
- T Level - Media, Broadcast & Production
- T Level - Digital Business Services
- T Level - Digital Production, Design and Development
- BTEC - Performing Arts
- BTEC - Music
- BTEC - Theatre Studies

HIGHER EDUCATION

- HNC / HND in Performing Arts
- HNC / HND in Musical Theatre Performance
- HNC / HND in Theatre & Drama
- BA (Hons) in Acting
- BA (Hons) in Dance
- BA (Hons) in Professional Dance and Musical Theatre
- BA (Hons) in Costume Design and Practice
- BA (Hons) in Dance Theatre

WHERE CAN YOU FIND OUT MORE?

Use the information in this career snapshot to help you explore different careers, skills and qualifications needed to progress into a career related to **Dance**.



USEFUL WEBSITES

Prospects - What can I do with my degree?

Prospects is a UK-based careers website offers insights into career options, skills required, and job prospects for those who have studied a degree.

<https://www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/what-can-i-do-with-my-degree>



National Careers Service

The NCS provides information on various careers, including those that are related to mathematic and more. This resources includes details on job duties, skills, salary and entry requirements.

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk>



Career Pilot

Discover detailed job sector profiles, opportunities, skills, and educational paths related to subjects.

<https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/job-sectors/subject/dance>



Backstage

Backstage is a top online platform connecting actors with casting opportunities in film, TV, and theatre. Users create profiles, access auditions, and get industry insights and advice for career growth in entertainment

<https://www.backstage.com>

