

Dance Ambassadors 2023-2024

Application Guidance



About One Dance UK

One Dance UK is the national support organisation, leading the way to a stronger, more vibrant and more diverse dance sector. Whoever you are, however you move - we move for you.

We support all those that love, teach, learn, work in, and perform dance.

We believe that dance is for everybody and has the power to transform and improve lives!

Who are One Dance UK's Dance Ambassadors?

One Dance UK's Dance Ambassadors are a team of young people aged 18 - 25 from across the UK who share our belief in the power of dance! Ambassadors are passionate young people who want to champion dance in their community, the wider region and nationally.

Dance Ambassadors have the opportunity to support One Dance UK and partner organisations with their activities and events, while developing their own skills and networks.

You do not have to be studying or working in dance to be a Dance Ambassador and you can love any style of dance. We want to make sure that Dance Ambassadors represent young people of all abilities, disabilities, cultures, backgrounds, religions, gender identities, sexual orientations, geographical locations and ethnicities. We want to make sure we represent YOU!

The Dance Ambassadors programme is flexible and designed to work around your current work and study commitments.



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If you join us as a Dance Ambassador in 2023-2024 you will:

- Learn about the work of One Dance UK and other dance and arts organisations
- Take part in in-person and online upskilling sessions
- Gain a wealth of new skills, knowledge, experience and contacts
- Build your CV and work portfolio
- Make a difference by volunteering your time and support on One Dance UK's projects and programmes
- Provide a vital 'youth voice' to the dance sector - have your say on the future of dance!



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As a Dance Ambassador you will be expected to:

- Attend an in-person launch day in Birmingham on Sunday 14 January 2024. All travel and refreshment costs will be covered by One Dance UK.
- Attend in-person and online upskilling sessions throughout the year, subject to availability around your current commitments.
- Be proactive and take advantage of the volunteer opportunities that are presented to you throughout the year wherever possible, around your existing work and student commitments.
- Be a member of One Dance UK - see www.onedanceuk.org for information on becoming a member. All Dance Ambassadors are eligible for our Student rate of just £20 per year!* As a member of One Dance UK you are entitled to lots of great benefits - see <https://www.onedanceuk.org/become-a-member> for more information. There are no further costs involved in being a Dance Ambassador.
- Act as a One Dance UK representative, demonstrating respect and professionalism and following all appropriate policies and codes of conduct.
- Commit to being a champion for the power of dance!

**We want everyone to be able to apply for this opportunity. Funding is available to support you if this cost is a barrier. Please contact us at danceambassadors@onedanceuk.org for confidential advice.*

In order to apply you must:

1. Be aged 18 to 25 on 1 January 2024
2. Live or study in England, Scotland, Wales or Northern Ireland
3. Be ready and willing to get involved with the opportunities made available through the year whenever you can

How to apply

Access our online application form by clicking on the link below and answer a few short questions about yourself and why you want to be a Dance Ambassador!

The form gives you options to complete either written or video responses – both are very welcome!

If you'd like to submit your application through another method or need any additional help or support, please contact us at danceambassadors@onedanceuk.org.

Good luck!

[Application Form](#)

Deadline for applications: Thursday 30 November 2023



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