



Rejoice School of Ballet ([Rejoice - About Us \(rejoiceballet.com\)](http://rejoiceballet.com)) is a non-profit organization that provides affordable and scholarship dance training to children in the Greater Nashville area.

Our mission: Motivated by Christ's love, Rejoice School of Ballet empowers youth to realize their potential by training, nurturing and celebrating young dancers from diverse racial, socioeconomic, and cultural backgrounds.

Position Summary: Dance instructors at Rejoice School of Ballet teach regularly scheduled classes on a weekly basis which foster a safe and caring environment for students to learn and improve their knowledge and skill in the art of ballet, tap, and modern. Rejoice faculty are expected to organize and plan classes in advance to maximize high quality training and classroom management. Rejoice faculty must be organized, punctual, and prepared for all of their classes. Instructors at Rejoice embody the mission of Rejoice, and set the highest standards for professionalism, understanding, and customer service.

Roles We Are Currently Hiring:

- Intermediate Ballet Instructor
- Beginning/Intermediate Modern Instructor (*could be combined with Intermediate Ballet position*)
- Children's Ballet / Creative Movement Instructor

Qualifications for Intermediate Ballet and/or Beginner/Intermediate Modern Instructor:

- Significant training in classical ballet and/or modern including at the collegiate level, and/or semi-professional/professional level
- Experience teaching youth and teens, and an understanding of appropriate teaching methods for those age groups, with the ability to layer in technique training in an age-appropriate manner
- Ability to manage a classroom of youth and teen students in a productive and positive manner

Qualifications for Children's Ballet / Creative Movement Instructor:

- Ballet training and experience with children ages 4-8 in large group settings
- Strong affinity with children and a desire to inspire their creativity and to share the joy of dance
- Ability to manage a classroom of children in a positive and disciplined manner while maintaining an imaginative and fun atmosphere
- Knowledge of, or willingness to learn, early childhood development milestones and to use that knowledge to inform class curriculum and structure

Other Information:

- Rejoice School of Ballet operates on a 30-week schedule beginning the Tuesday after Labor Day through the first week in May.
- Rejoice faculty members attend occasional paid teacher meetings, retreats, trainings, etc.
- Rejoice faculty members attend or assist with occasional extra rehearsals and performances, or studio-wide events.

- Rejoice faculty members are paid a competitive wage commensurate with experience

Application Requirements:

Interested candidates are requested to provide the following documents:

1. Resumé
2. Cover Letter
3. A brief video of yourself teaching a class in the style of the role you are applying for (if you are applying for the children's division role, please provide a video of yourself teaching a children's ballet / creative movement class; if you are applying for the modern role, please provide a video of yourself teaching a modern class, etc).

NOTE: If you are unable to provide a video, we may request an in-person class demonstration as an alternative.

Please send the above items via email to office@rejoiceballet.com.

Top candidates will then be contacted about next steps which may include, but are not limited to, an interview and an in-person class demonstration.

Thank you for your interest in working with Rejoice School of Ballet.