

Arts Education Student Opportunity Program (AESOP)
Dance Prompt

This dance opportunity will be under the direction of Ms. Jessica Taylor, Piscataway High School Dance Teacher and Dance Team Coach. For consideration into AESOP Dance, Ms. Taylor is asking that you submit a video using Schoology explaining what dance means to you. Please follow the prompt guidelines below for nomination into the program. Ten students from each district middle school will be selected.

Upload a video one minute in length answering the following questions:

1. First, state your name, school you attend, counselor's name, your email address and your parent or guardians email address. Next, answer the following questions.
2. What does dance mean to you?
3. Why do you want to dance in AESOP?
4. Share with me your previous dance experience. You can include: where you have previously danced, styles of dance you are experienced in, performances you have been a part of.
5. If you were in AESOP Dance last year, please tell me why you would like to be in AESOP Dance again.

Directions to send a message with your video to Ms. Taylor on Schoology:

1. Log into Schoology and join the AESOP Dance course with the following access code **SNWX6-8X5Q3**. Please be aware that this is a course and not a group.
2. Click on calendar assignment for the video submission. This is located on the right side of the main course page.
3. Follow directions in order to upload and submit.

All videos must be submitted to Ms. Taylor by Friday, January 19, 2018. It is essential to consider the attached rehearsal and performance schedule to be certain that students are available for participation if selected. Consideration will be given to all applicants. Please contact Ms. Taylor with if you have any questions regarding the program. Selected applicants will be notified by the end of January. Good luck!

Ms. Jessica Taylor
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PISCATAWAY MIDDLE SCHOOLS ARTS EDUCATION STUDENT OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM DANCE

AESOP Dance rehearsals will take place after the school day using the schedule below. Rehearsals will be held at Piscataway High School Dance Studio, or Performing Arts Center, both of which are in close proximity to the Patton main office. Students from each middle school will be transported to the high school at the end of the school day for dance. We will rehearse from 2:40-4:10pm, and then all students will be bussed home from Piscataway High School.

REHEARSAL AND PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Location
2/7	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
2/14	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
2/21	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
2/28	NO REHEARSAL	
3/7	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
3/14	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
3/21	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
3/28	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
4/4	NO REHEARSAL	
4/11	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
4/18	2:40-4:10pm	Rehearsal @ PHS Dance Studio-Patton Bldg
4/23 (Mon.)	Dancers arrive at 6:00pm for 8:00pm concert	Concert @ PHS

CONCERT INFORMATION

The concert will take place at Piscataway High School in the Performing Arts Center. Performing students are expected to arrive dressed in their concert attire at the call time that will be set by the dance director.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me:

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