WELCOME AND OVERVIEW
Dear Parents and Dancers,
With summer fast approaching, we hope you are as excited as we are with anticipation of our summer ballet programs. In preparation for the program we have prepared this orientation and arrival packet for your review. It is chock full of information regarding arrival, on site orientation, staff contact information, summer activities & shows, performance details and so forth.

While attending the Summer Young Dancer Ballet Intensive program in New York, students will also be exposed to New York’s unparalleled dance community. Not only will students receive world class training, they will also have the opportunity to see performances by New York’s resident companies, such as American Ballet Theater and New York City Ballet, along with other major American and international dance companies.

You will find a description of all of our after school activities in this packet as well as directions on how to buy tickets. We have a limited number of tickets which always get sold out, so please sign up and buy the tickets as soon as possible.

DATES & TIMES
June 9th - August 3rd, 2013
Days: Monday - Friday
Hours: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

TRAINEE PROGRAM
DANCERS! Are you interested in our Full Year Trainee Program? If so, please contact Trey Ervine at: tervine@joffreyballetschool.com
www.joffreyballetschool.com/thesixty.html

MASTER INSTRUCTORS

JO MATOS
Artistic Director of Children’s Program & Young Dancer Program

YOUR AMAZING SUMMER FACULTY INSTRUCTORS
Dress code will be enforced and Joffrey uniforms must be worn in class with a student’s name tag.

Uniforms and Joffrey merchandise can be purchased from:
American Dance Apparel at: www.americandanceapparel.com

American dance apparel

ADA, the dance-inspired activewear collection worked closely with the Joffrey Ballet School to create new designs. Their designers search the fashion world to bring fashion and function to dance attire. As a sponsor of “The Joffrey Ballet School” both in the US and around the world, we are the #1 choice of dance attire for professional dancers and choreographers.
ORIENTATION AND ARRIVAL
Orientation and arrival times depend on whether or not you will be staying in our housing facilities.

If you are not staying at our housing facilities then you will attend the Orientation for non-housing students on Monday morning in Studio 3 located at the DNA Satellite Studios located at 280 Broadway – enter at 53 Chambers St. Please arrive at 8:15 AM and proceed to Studio 3.

If you are staying at a Joffrey Dormitory you will receive an orientation for the housing facilities on Sunday evening at 7PM after you check in. Then you will attend the Orientation for the Young Dancer Ballet Intensive on Monday morning at 8:15 AM in Studio 3 located at the DNA Satellite Studios located at 280 Broadway – enter at 53 Chambers St.

AIRPORT TRANSFER TO HOUSING
For those of you who have signed up for the Joffrey airport transfer service it is important that you enter in all your flight and arrival information online. Your booking is not confirmed until we have received all the information and issued you an airport transfer specific confirmation number (this is not your receipt number you received when you registered online). If you have questions regarding the process or wish to confirm your reservation is made please contact Tia Feather at tfeather@joffreyballetschool.com.

SCHEDULES AND CLASS ASSIGNMENT
Specific schedules and level assignments will be handed out at orientation. If you are commuting you can expect that your first class will begin at 9am and your last class will end at 4pm.
**EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SHOWS**

We have arranged for after school activities to enhance the experience and complement the training of the students in New York. From Alvin Ailey to American Ballet Theater to Broadway shows, the activities are designed to expose the students to dance as it is performed by professionals in venues students have the unique opportunity to experience while in the city. All activities are chaperoned by Joffrey Staff to and from the event and the dormitories.

If you are a commuter student you will be informed where to meet the group. In the next section is a description of each of the activities, their cost, and the dates they are offered. The activities will go on sale through our online registration page [www.joffreyballetschool.com/sp-extra-activities](http://www.joffreyballetschool.com/sp-extra-activities) on or before the 8th of May. Tickets are limited and always sell out so please sign up for them as soon as you can. Please be aware we add a small surcharge, typically five dollars, to the cost of the ticket printed on the stub to cover the cost of providing the chaperons.

After you have signed up there is nothing else you need to do. The various student groups are escorted by chaperons to the event where tickets will be distributed.

For any questions regarding activities you can email Chrissie Leong, the activities coordinator at: cleong@joffreyballetschool.com.

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**SUMMER STUDENT PERFORMANCE**

Friday June 21, July 5, July 19, and August 2, 2013

Location: Dance New Amsterdam – Satellite Studio Location

280 Broadway – enter at 53 Chambers St.  Duration: 1hr

Please visit the Joffrey Ballet School website for updates:
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<td><strong>Alvin Ailey</strong></td>
<td>6/14/13 Friday 8PM $35.00</td>
<td>For the first time in 13 years, Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater performs at Lincoln Center. Immerse yourself in Ailey’s diverse repertory, featuring the world premiere of <em>Four Corners</em> by Ronald K. Brown, as well as encores of recent premieres and repertory favorites – including Alvin Ailey's masterpiece, <em>Revelations</em>.</td>
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<td><strong>Swan Lake ABT</strong></td>
<td>6/21/13 Friday 7:30PM 6/22/13 Saturday 2PM $40.00</td>
<td>Set to Tchaikovsky's glorious score, this romantic tale of love and forgiveness is often considered the world's most beloved ballet. With breathtaking choreography, lavish costumes and visually spectacular sets evoking a lakeside Renaissance court, ABT's production &quot;glides to the forefront of stagings all over the world. The fabled lake of the swans has risen into view, inspiring awe for its mystery and magic.” (The Wall Street Journal)</td>
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<td><strong>Savion Glover</strong></td>
<td>6/28/13 Friday 8PM $30.00</td>
<td>Under the direction of Savion Glover, Savion Glover's STePz is another exuberant celebration of tap dance to sound and sound to dance. In this production, Mr. Glover and his ensemble of dancers (TLHS) take tap dance to new heights while fusing traditional music selections of the past with his self-proclaimed tap style and energy of the future. The production demonstrates Mr. Glover's incredible ability to perform the complexities of jazz phrasing—both bass line and melody—as well as wild improvisations—structure and deconstruction—from departure to return. This season, Savion Glover's STePz will again give Joyce audiences the opportunity to experience the versatility and virtuoso of Savion Glover's genius as a tap master.</td>
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<td><strong>Sylvia ABT</strong></td>
<td>6/29/13 Saturday 2PM $40.00</td>
<td>A ravishing fast-paced fantasy set amid verdant forests and majestic temples, Sir Frederick Ashton's mythological love story unites the huntress Sylvia and a lovelorn shepherd with the divine intervention of the deity Eros. The splendid score by Léo Delibes was so admired by Tchaikovsky that he purportedly declared: had he known the music existed at the time, he would never have composed Swan Lake!</td>
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<td><strong>The Sleeping Beauty</strong></td>
<td>7/3/13 Wednesday 7:30 PM $40.00</td>
<td>The timeless fairy tale of the beautiful Princess Aurora, the evil sorceress Carabosse, over a century of sleep and the awakening kiss of a handsome prince comes to life in this splendid production. Whether this ballet is your perennial favorite or a first-time discovery, The Sleeping Beauty brings together all of the appeal of classical ballet in one remarkable work, set to Tchaikovsky's ravishing score with a wealth of dazzling dance.</td>
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STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Please note that all employees with an asterisk "*" by their name will not have an active email account until June 1, 2013.

Joffrey Ballet School Info Line   (972) 943-4786

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STUDIO LOCATION

(Directions can be found below after the Policy and Rules section)

JOFFREY BALLET SCHOOL MAIN CAMPUS AND ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES:

434 Avenue of the Americas,
5th Floor, New York, NY 10011
Between 9th and 10th Streets

3rd Floor – Studios 1 & 2
4th Floor – Studios 3, 4 & 5
5th Floor – Administrative Offices and Studio 6

DANCE NEW AMSTERDAM – SATELLITE STUDIO LOCATION

280 Broadway – enter at 53 Chambers St

DANCE NEW AMSTERDAM – SATellite STUDIO LOCATION
(Directions can be found below after the Policy and Rules section)
DRESS CODE

FEMALE

Ballet:
Joffrey Black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet slippers.

Jazz, Horton, Hip Hop:
Joffrey dance shorts or pants with a Joffrey fitted T-Shirt (hip hop sneakers).

Flamenco:
Joffrey Black leotard, Joffrey Black Flamenco Skirt, pink tights, black flamenco shoes.

MALE

Ballet:
White or Black Tights, Joffrey T-Shirt, white or black with matching socks and ballet shoes either black or white and white or black dance belt.

Jazz, Horton, Hip Hop:
Joffrey Black Jazz Pants, Joffrey T-Shirt, (hip hop sneakers)

Flamenco:
Black Flamenco shoes or men’s hard soled shoes.

Male and Female students in the Joffrey Ballet School Summer Intensive must purchase the required uniform. Please visit: www.americandanceapparel.com to purchase uniforms.

POLICIES AND RULES

• No street shoes are allowed in the studios.
• No food or drink is allowed in the studios.
• No gum chewing is allowed during class.
• Cell Phones must be turned off during class and stowed safely in your dance bag.
• Dance bags with valuables should be brought into the classroom and stored out of the way. The school is not responsible for belongings left in the locker rooms and other common areas.
• No warm-up clothes may be worn once class has begun.
• No jewelry is to be worn during class.
• All students must adhere to the Dress Code and wear their name tags.
• Students who arrive more than 10 minutes late to class will not be allowed to participate.
• If you are going to be late or absent from class, please call the office so we can notify the teacher.
• We do not recommend that students under the age of 13 leave the building without a chaperone. Parents should meet their children in the school lobby.
• Tuition must be current or students will not be permitted to attend class.

TRAVELING TIPS

Subway stations are found at almost every corner you turn. Tickets are only available at the Metro Card machines or the token booth in the stations. You can use cash or an ATM/credit card.

• Single Ride – $2.50
• Pay per ride – $10 or more on the card gets you a 5% bonus ($10 purchase gives you a $10.50 on the card)
• 7 Day unlimited – $30
• 30 Day unlimited – $112

To help you with directions in NYC, we strongly recommend using www.hopstop.com or Google Maps.
DIRECTIONS TO THE DANCE NEW AMSTERDAM STUDIO FROM GROVE BUILDING
From 61 Grove St. to Dance New Amsterdam (280 Broadway –enter at 53 Chambers St) approx 15 Mins.
• Take the 1 train at Christopher St downtown to Chambers St (Entrance on Corner by Grove Street)
• Walk to 53 Chambers St

DIRECTIONS TO THE DANCE NEW AMSTERDAM STUDIO FROM PACE BUILDING
From 55 John St. to Dance New Amsterdam (280 Broadway –entrance at 53 Chambers St) approx 15 Mins.
• Head NW on John St toward Dutch St
• Turn RIGHT on Broadway
• Walk North to 280 Broadway and you will find the Entrance around the Corner on Chambers Street (#53)
PLACES TO EAT, SUPERMARKETS AND PHARMACIES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

RESTAURANTS

**Bleecker Street Pizza:** 69 7th Ave S at Bleecker St. Pizza by the slice.

**Caliente Cab Co:** 61 7th Ave So. Mexican food with a festive atmosphere.

**Cones Ice Cream Artisans:** 272 Bleecker Street. Homemade ice cream and gelato.

**Hudson Falafel:** 516 Hudson St.

**Lenny’s:** 418 Avenue of the Americas, 1 block from Joffrey. Great sandwiches, wraps, and salads.

**Magnolia Bakery:** on 401 Bleecker Street. Famous cupcakes!

**S’nice:** 45 8th Ave (at W. 4th st) Vegan and vegetarian options available.

**A Salt & Battery:** 112 Greenwich Ave (btwn 12th and 13th st) British, fish and chips, and seafood.

**Elephant & Castle:** 68 Greenwich Ave (btwn 7th ave and 11th st) American/ British, breakfast/lunch/dinner

**Two Boots:** 201 W 11th st (at 7th ave) Pizza

**Dos Toros Taqueria:** 11 Carmine St (at Bleecker) Cheap and delicious Mexican food.

**Hummus Place:** 7th and Bleecker St. Vegan and vegetarian options.

**Café Angelique:** 49 Grove St. Pastries, coffee, and snacks.

**Ciao for Now:** 523 E 12th St. Coffee and baked goods.

**John’s Pizza:** 278 Bleecker St. (between Jones St. & Morton St.) Pizza sold by the pie.

**Café Asean:** 117 W. 10th St. Thai/Vietnamese.

**Bee’s Knees Baking Co.:** 113 W. 10th S. Coffee, baked goods, free wifi

**French Roast:** 78 W. 11th St. French café, salad, seafood, burgers, steak

**Waverly Diner:** 385 Ave of the Americas. Classic diner close to JBS Manatus, 340 Bleecker St, New York, 10014-2980

**Manatus:** 340 Bleecker St, Another Classic Diner close to Grove

**BLT:** 470 6th Ave. Gourmet burgers, salads, chicken, fish, and milkshakes.

**Joy Burger Bar:** 361 6th Ave. Classic burger shop.

**16 Handles:** 245 Bleecker St. Frozen yogurt.

**Sammy’s Noodle Shop & Grill:** 453 Ave of the Americas. Chinese noodles.

**David’s Tea:** 275 Bleecker St. Coffee and tea.

**Elixir Juice Bar:** 6th Ave & 10th St. Juice and smoothies with a few vegan & vegetarian foods.

**Westville:** 210 W. 10th St. Vegetarian dishes available, farm to table, salads.

**Big Gay Ice Cream:** 125 E 7th St. Ice cream shoppe.

SUPERMARKETS

**Gristedes Foods Inc.:** 3 Sheridan Square New York, NY 10014 (212) 229-3893 Typical Supermarket

**Gourmet Garage:** 117 7th Ave S. New York, NY 10014 (212) 699-5980 Gourmet Market

**Trader Joe’s:** 675 6th Ave New York, NY 10010 (21st St. and 6th Ave) (212) 255-2106 Inexpensive Organic Market

**Lifethyme:** 410 6th Ave, Organic Super Market just south of 9th street by the Joffrey School

PHARMACY

**CVS Pharmacy:** 75 Christopher St New York, NY 10014 (212) 627-4687

**Duane Reade:** 378 6th Ave. New York, NY (212) 674-5357

**C.O. Bigelow:** 414 6th Ave. New York, NY (212) 533-2700
YEAR ROUND TRAINEE PROGRAM

If you are interested in applying for the Year Round Trainee Program you may do so at any time while attending the summer intensive. Please see Trey Ervine at the main Joffrey Office on the 5th floor or email him at erverine@joffreyballetschool.com. Mr. Ervine can answer any of your questions regarding this exciting professional training program as well as arrange for you to be observed for admission while taking class, question and answer sessions with the Artistic Director, tours of the facilities and the year round dormitory (Grove Street), and facilitate your application for financial aid.

More information can be found on our website, and a schedule of informational meetings will be available in the near future - www.joffreyballetschool.com/thesixty.html

WELCOME, AND HAVE FUN THIS SUMMER!