



I.M. TERRELL
ACADEMY FOR STEM AND VPA

2020-21 VPA Apprentice* Requirements Dance Auditions



Students will submit a video for a panel of directors, administrators and a community partner/professional educator. Each student will follow the same audition procedures listed below.

**Apprentice - a student who learns by doing.*

Audition Requirements

- Recorded Dance Audition Details:
 - Students must have a personal introduction (1 Minute or Less)
 - Students will demonstrate ballet barre: plié, dégagé, ron de jambe, and grand battement (See [Video](#))
 - Students will demonstrate pirouette and petit allegro (See [Video](#))
 - Students will demonstrate modern combination (See [Video](#))
 - Students will perform a solo in technique of choice: ballet, modern, contemporary, jazz, hip hop, tap, or ballet folklórico
 - Ballet focused students must provide a photo in 1st arabesque*

In your audition video, each candidate will be evaluated on proper technique, adaptability, potential, the ability to learn choreography quickly, and the ability to be redirected.

- Dress/Attire:
 - Students should be dressed in appropriate dance attire
 - Black leotard and black tights are required for girls
 - Black tights or leggings with a solid black shirt are required for boys
- How to Make a Video/Submit
 - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/11DHe6bH7kBSrCvkIYQgNYail1-RI3cC6/view?usp=sharing>

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact [Ms. Christen Williams](#), Director of Dance, and/or [Ms. Melanie Maxwell](#) Post-Secondary Success Specialist.

Fort Worth ISD
Visual and Performing Arts





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Dear Applicant,

Thank you so much for your interest in I.M. Terrell Academy for STEM & VPA. Since you have applied for one of the Visual Performing Arts programs, please go to this website:

[I.M. Terrell Gold Seal School of Choice.](#)

The actual web address is

<https://sites.google.com/teachers.fwisd.org/imtadvancedacademics/gspoc>

- 1. Choose the program for which you applied.**
- 2. Click on “Schedule an Audition”**
- 3. Complete the form**
- 4. If you applied for more than one VPA program, repeat for the other program(s).**

Thank you and we are excited at the possibility of you attending our school.

Melanie Maxwell

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