





Apex Arts overview

# A program that's GREATER

## than the sum of its arts.

At Apex Arts, we engage our students with an art focused curriculum that goes beyond honing a natural ability. It's a top-tier creative education that fortifies raw artistic talent with knowledge and support designed to help students make an impact in the real world.

Our administrative staff consists of experts in education that are dedicated to cultivating young artists' potential. Their vision is realized through our outstanding teachers who work in partnership with accomplished artists to provide students with an unparalleled educational experience.

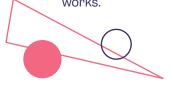
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## Expression. Connection. Direction.

The Apex Dance Program utilizes the creative process to develop versatile dancers with a strong artistic voice. Emphasis is placed on artistry and in developing the ability to move from a place of authenticity to express ideas and convey artistic intent.

Through this process, students develop and refine their skills in choreography, improvisation, and collaboration. Students will gain a critical eye for analyzing and critiquing various choreographic works.





Dance focused curriculum

## A creative spark lights a path of possibilities.

Apex Dancers study ballet and modern dance techniques as a way to train their bodies and provide a platform for the choreographic process to take root. In addition to developing technical skills, students learn about the history and cultural impact of dance, anatomy, mind-body connection, and performance professionalism and preparation.

Participation in collaborative projects, multiple performances, and opportunities to choreograph give Apex Dancers an immersive experience of dance as an artform. We create choreographers!

Students regularly have the opportunity to engage in master classes with dance professionals and work with guest choreographers.

Apex+

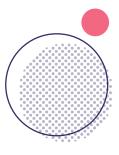
### It's only up from here.

Apex+ presents students with the unique opportunity to further learning and explore varying disciplines. This program also offers students the ability to learn even more from our partner teaching artists. Example classes include:

- Dance Company
- Musical Theatre Workshop
- Ensemble Dance Repertoire
- Discovering Dance Repertiore
- Leaps and Turns
- Collaborative Numbers

#### Professional Arts Experiences

## Inspired outings. Insightful outcomes.



We understand broadening students' creative vision starts by keeping them inspired. By exploring fresh perspectives outside of the Apex Arts ecosystem, our students gain insights that expand their outlooks. Destinations include:

- Alvin Ailey
- Maryland Ballet Theatre
- NYC Workshops
- Broadway Shows
- Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center
- Towson University- Department of Dance

Audition information

#### Make a You Turn.

All Apex Arts applicants must complete an audition to be considered for eligibility. Apex Dance auditions require:

- Learn and perform prepared piece(s).
- Movement phrases taught at the audition.
- Short interview to discuss interest in the program and Prime.

See the audition guide for more details.

#### Learn More

#### Recruitment Opportunities

Informations Sessions Audition Workshops School Visits Community Events



#### Reach out

Learn more about Apex Arts, get more audition info, and apply today!

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