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Dance Instructor Opportunity Northern Lights School of Dance - Yukon

Location: Whitehorse, Yukon – where the magic and mystery of the North come alive Northern Lights School of Dance invites passionate and experienced dance instructors to join our vibrant, community-focused non-profit school in Whitehorse, Yukon. This is your chance to inspire, mentor, and shape the next generation of dancers while living and working in one of Canada’s most extraordinary regions.

Why Join Us?

- Teach in a supportive, creative, and collaborative environment
- Inspire students aged 2–18 across a range of dance styles
- Be part of a tight-knit northern arts community
- Experience life in the Yukon, surrounded by breathtaking landscapes and unique cultural experiences

Compensation & Schedule

- **Wage:** \$40–\$55 per hour
- **Hours:** 10–20 hours per week of instruction, plus additional hours for choreography and administrative work
- **Duration:** 2026–27 school year (September–May). Early start available for instructors under 30 interested in teaching summer camps

What We’re Looking For

- Skilled, versatile instructors who can teach, mentor, and inspire students to reach their full potential—physically, creatively, and emotionally
- Individuals eager to grow, collaborate, and contribute to a thriving northern arts community

Key Responsibilities

- Plan and deliver engaging, inclusive, and fun dance classes
- Teach, encourage, and provide constructive feedback to students
- Assess student skills and tailor instruction to their abilities
- Choreograph individual and group routines across various dance styles
- Maintain a safe, welcoming, and professional learning environment
- Collaborate on recitals, performances, and community events
- Stay current with dance trends, techniques, and pedagogy
- Work closely with colleagues and arts organizations to enrich the local arts scene

Qualifications

- Minimum 3 years’ experience teaching dance to children and teens (ages 5–18)
- Strong proficiency and performance experience in multiple dance styles
- Choreography experience across a variety of styles
- Dance teacher certification (e.g., R.A.D.) is an asset

Ideal Candidate

- Excellent communicator and role model for students and parents
- Patient, adaptable, and inclusive in teaching approach
- Physically fit and able to demonstrate dance routines
- Creative, enthusiastic, and inspiring in class and choreography
- Committed to fostering artistic growth and community engagement

How to Apply

Send your resume and cover letter to director@nlsdyukon.com. Applications are open until the position is filled.

**Come teach in the Yukon
Where the dance is as limitless as the northern sky!**