

Dear Dancers and Parents,

We are so excited for you to audition for the D.E. Dance Company 2010-2011 Cutting Edge! We are looking forward to an exciting dance season filled with amazing routines, gorgeous costumes, exciting competitions/conventions and lots of wonderful memories!

Attached to this letter you will find the "On the Edge" audition workshop schedule. Please take the classes in the level you were placed in for summer. For this year's workshop, we are very excited to bring you master teachers from the Los Angeles area! Dancers will be taking classes in ballet, jazz, turns & lyrical. Also in this packet you will find your audition time for Thursday, August 12th. This audition time will be for Cutting Edge. If you are unable to attend the audition, let the directors know ahead of time. Please bring all of your dance shoes to the audition and remember to warm-up thoroughly!

Wondering what to expect when you arrive at the audition? You will receive a number to pin on your dance clothes. You must wear your number during the entire audition. Please wear all black dance clothes with your hair pulled back. Be prepared to audition in all styles of dance including ballet, tap, lyrical and jazz. Combinations from the "On the Edge" Workshop will be reviewed and performed in small groups. Dancers may be asked to improvise as well. Keep in mind that you may or may not be cast in a dance depending on ability, height, and age!

Just a reminder that your \$350.00 deposit is required to audition. You will be unable to receive a number without your deposit. The deposit will be put towards choreography fees, costumes and any new members' traveling jackets. The deposit will be refunded to anyone not making team.

Results will be posted on the studio window and website on Monday, August 16th. Results will be posted by dancer's audition number only.

Thank you for your interest and commitment to D.E. Dance Company. We look forward to seeing you at auditions.