

COLORADO SPRINGS PHILHARMONIC

AUDITION REGISTRATION

The Nutcracker, performing November 27-29, 2026

Please note: this registration form must be received by the Colorado Springs Philharmonic office no later than 6:00 pm on Friday, September 11, 2026.

Registration forms will not be accepted at the audition location. Please write clearly and legibly

Dancer's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home and Mobile Phone: _____

Email: _____

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City, State, Zip: _____

Dancer's Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

☐ Male ☐ Female

Height: feet: _____ inches: _____

Please accurately measure your child's height—this is important for costuming and placement.

Years of CSP Nutcracker participation (if applicable): _____

Years of dance experience and current dance studio, if applicable:

Is dancer *en pointe*? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, how long? _____

School District: _____

Do you have one or more siblings auditioning? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Sibling Name(s): _____

Cast Agreement

I understand that participation in all rehearsals is required, and unexcused absences may result in my release from the cast of *The Nutcracker*.

Dancer Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Release Waiver

By signing below, I understand that my child's participation in the Colorado Springs Philharmonic's 2026 production of *The Nutcracker* is at his or her own risk, and that employees, faculty members, board members, volunteers, or agents of the Colorado Springs Philharmonic, University of Oklahoma School of Dance, CIVA Charter School, El Paso County, Broadmoor World Arena and Pikes Peak Center, will neither be held liable for any illness, injury, death, or dismemberment occurring to the dancer, parent(s)/guardian(s), or family member(s), nor for any damage to any personal property which may arise out of or in connection with *The Nutcracker* ballet auditions, rehearsals, demonstrations, or performances.

As the participant's parent or guardian, I authorize the Colorado Springs Philharmonic to secure emergency medical care for my child if needed. I understand I'll be notified as soon as possible.

I understand that if my child is cast, there will be a \$75 participation fee due prior to the first rehearsal for my child's role. I understand that general rehearsals are held on Sunday afternoons, and that during production week, my child may be called for daytime rehearsals on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and will be called for evening rehearsals on Tuesday and Wednesday. I understand that rehearsals/or performances may be canceled due to the ongoing covid pandemic and that participation fees will not be refunded.

I understand that unless I indicate otherwise in writing, the Colorado Springs Philharmonic considers photographs taken of dancers, including my child(ren), to be permissible for use in any and all Colorado Springs Philharmonic materials, media, and websites, for promotional or any other purpose. I also understand that any such images are the exclusive property of the Colorado Springs Philharmonic, including all copy and usage rights.

Participants in *The Nutcracker* must respect all involved, follow the schedule, and adhere to the Philharmonic's rules. Failure to do so may lead to dismissal without a refund.

I understand that each dancer is expected to accept the part that he/she has been assigned. A dancer who fails to accept a part or drops out of the production following auditions may be prevented from auditioning in next year's performance of *The Nutcracker*.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Additional Information

**Auditions will be 1:00pm - 6:00pm
Sunday, September 13, 2026.**

Rehearsals will be held on Sunday afternoons. Auditioning dancers must expect to attend all rehearsals.

- You will receive confirmation of your registration and an audition time within 10 days of receipt of this completed form.
- Applicants must be dance students age **7-18**.
- **Dancers are expected to accept the role in which they are cast.** Non-acceptance of a cast role may prevent your child from participating in future *Nutcracker* auditions.
- If your child is cast, a \$75 each participation fee will be due at the first rehearsal (includes cast t-shirt). Need based scholarship available.
- The *Nutcracker* will be performed over Thanksgiving weekend at the following times:
Friday, Nov. 27, 2:00pm and 7:00pm
Saturday, Nov. 28, 2:00pm and 7:00pm
Sunday, Nov. 29, 2:00pm

- **Send this audition registration, or direct questions to:**

Email: jlevy@csphilharmonic.org

In Person: CS Philharmonic

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Colorado Springs, CO 80903

Mail: CS Philharmonic
PO Box 1266
Colorado Springs, CO 80901

Please note: registration is not considered complete until all information on this form is provided.