

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Online applications to study at the New Zealand School of Dance in 2026 open on Friday 29 May 2026 and close on Friday 28 August 2026.

Digital applicants are also required to complete and submit their online application by 28 August 2026. To ensure a smooth and easy application process, keep this checklist handy to ensure you have everything you need **before** completing the application form.

AUDITION CLASS FEE

- Audition in New Zealand – NZD 170.00
- Audition in Australia - NZD 180.00
- Digital Auditions – NZD 190.00 (Visa/Mastercard only)
- Those with a New Zealand bank account have the option of paying by Visa/Mastercard or internet banking.
- **All audition fees are non-refundable**

MEDICAL FORM

- Download from our website
- Complete by a registered medical practitioner familiar with your case history
- Upload as one pdf file, no larger than 2MB in size
- Please save the file with your first name and last name e.g. Medical Form John Smith

ORTHOPAEDIC FORM

- Download from our website
- Completed by a registered physiotherapist with dance or muscle balance experience
- Upload as one pdf file, no larger than 2MB in size
- Please save the file with your first name and last name e.g. Orthopaedic Form John Smith

PHOTOGRAPHS

- One passport photograph of head and shoulders
- 1 Full body length photo standing face on, with bare feet in parallel.
 - Take the photograph with the camera at waist level against a plain background
 - Ladies in crop top and bike shorts. Men in bike shorts only
 - All hair should be tied up and off the face
- Please save each photo individually with your first name and last name e.g. Headshot John Smith / Full length John Smith

DECLARATION

- Download from our website
- Complete and signed by the applicant and a Parent/Guardian if the applicant is under the age of 18.

DIGITAL AUDITION

- Only for applicants unable to attend one of these live auditions:
 - Wellington on Saturday 19 September 2026.
 - Melbourne September/October TBC.
 - Brisbane September/October TBC.
 - Sydney on Saturday 3 October 2026.
- Please follow the [Digital Audition Guideline](#) to compile and submit the video by 29 August 2026.

ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

- Register to audition: complete the form at www.nzschoolofdance.ac.nz including contact details, Parent/Guardian, dance training history (syllabus and level studied, last exam results), last school attended, year (e.g. Year 11).
- Submission deadline for all applications: 29 August 2026
- If you need assistance with the online form please contact the School Administrator on dance@nzschoolofdance.ac.nz

Applicants under the age of 18 must have their Declaration, Medical and Orthopaedic forms counter signed by a parent or guardian

NB: The School reserves the right to amend the audition schedule in case of unforeseen circumstances.