SEATTLE'S PERFORMERS APRIL 1, 2025

## **Elite Information**



## Seattle's Performers Elite 2025/2026

Our ELITE Performance Group is a program designed to give our top performers an opportunity to train and compete at the highest level. New this year, we will have two groups. One specific to 8th grade and under. They will attend the JTF West Festival February 6th-8th. Auditions for our ELITE Performance Group will occur on May 17th. Once you register you will be given a time slot. Please prepare a monologue and song of your choice. The dance audition will happen in person.

### Classes/Rehearsal Dates



#### **60 HOURS OF REHEARSAL**

1 15 minute excerpt from a Broadway JR. musical will be presented.



#### SHOWCASE

Students perform competition pieces for family and friends before JTF West



#### JTF WEST

Students compete at JTF West Festival February 6th-8th in Sacramento, CA



# **8 month commitment**We are planning on

attending JTF West. The program will run from July 2025-Feb. 2026

How many students in Elite?



16 students

What is the cost of the program?



\$1250 per student

6/1-Group Chosen

Summer Dance Boot Camp with Annie: 11.25 Hours 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 8/26 Classes will happen on Tuesdays from 5:15-6:30pm.

Rehearsal Dates/Showcase: 28.75 Hours

9/7, 9/21, 10/5, 10/19, 11/2, 11/16 11/30, 12/7, 12/21, 1/4, 1/12, 1/26, 2/2 Showcase Could Be



Classes & Rehearsals will happen on Sundays from 3:30-5:30pm. Students can miss **NO MORE** than 4 rehearsals. Only **TWO** can occur during from 9/21-1/26

#### What is JTF West?

JTF West is the Junior Theatre Festival West held in Sacramento, California. Groups come from all over the country to compete in different categories. Teen, Youth, Middle School. We are competing in the Youth Division, which means all of our performers must be in 8<sup>th</sup> grade or younger at the time of competition. There are several opportunities to watch other competing groups and to participate in workshops with master teachers. It is a very welcoming environment.

**Adjudication:** Groups perform 15 minutes from an MTI Broadway Junior musical for adjudication by leading theatre professionals.

**Workshops:** Broadways professionals and master teachers from across the country offer interactive workshops.

JTF All-Stars: Selected student performers and students technicians are chosen as festival All-stars. 2 students are chosen from each group.

**New Works Showcase:** Be the first to experience the exciting new Broadway Junior titles soon to be released.

## **ESTIMATED COST OF THE PROGRAM**

\$1250 each students for tuition/festival fees (based on 16 students) (If competing in individual categories the cost is \$250 more per category for entrance fee and 3 individual coaching lessons and teacher at the festival)

#### Includes:

40 hours of rehearsals/Summer Dance Boot Camp with Annie on Tuesdays.

Fee for the group to compete at JTF West: \$825

JTF Fee for the individual: \$335

Fee for 2 teachers & 2 chaperones to attend JTF West: \$1340

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**Not Included:** Hotel (must stay in approved hotel), airfare, & food for the weekends. Approximately \$600. We are planning on finding parents to head up fundraisers to help cover the costs of travel.