



# Frequently Asked Questions

## RD REGISTRATION

### Regular Session 2023-24

#### ***When and where is registration?***

Registration by telephone appointment will run from **June 14-21, 2023**.

#### ***How do I make an appointment?***

Registration appointments can be made through School Interviews, via a link on our website at [www.rwb.org/register](http://www.rwb.org/register).

#### ***What if I can't get the appointment I want? What if the website isn't loading? HELP!***

There are guaranteed appointments for all returning students. School Interviews works best from a personal computer or laptop. If issues do arise, contact the RWB School Office by email at [school@rwb.org](mailto:school@rwb.org) or by phone at 204-957-3467 for assistance.

#### ***Is someone at the RWB School Office able to schedule my appointment for me?***

In service of fairness, the RWB School Office cannot make appointments for families, but we are here to support as needed.

#### ***Do I need my child's class placement to book an appointment?***

No, you do not need your child's placement level to book an appointment. Placements will be emailed to all returning students on June 7, 2023, prior to Registration week.

#### ***Does each student in my family need his/her own appointment?***

An individual appointment slot should be booked for each family member.

#### ***What is the average cost to enroll myself or my child in dance?***

- Pricing for the 2023-24 session is available on the 2023-24 Pricing Summary, posted at [www.rwb.org/register](http://www.rwb.org/register).
- RWB School students enjoy 34 weeks of programming. .
- Wardrobe for end-of-year recitals is included with your tuition. There are no surprise costume fees at the end of the school year!
- \$2 discounted downtown parking is available during classes, and students enjoy discounts on RWB Company performance tickets.

#### ***Do you offer payment plans?***

Yes! The RWB School offers a variety of payment plans for students who are not prepared to pay in full at registration. All RWB School tuition must be paid in full by October 15, 2023 and a \$25 payment plan fee will be applied to all accounts not paid in full at registration.

#### ***What do I need to have ready for my registration appointment?***

The 2023-24 class schedule, pricing, and registration paperwork will be emailed to everyone with an appointment and posted at [www.rwb.org/register](http://www.rwb.org/register). Registration paperwork must be submitted in full at least 48 hours prior to your appointment time. Completed registration forms must be sent to [register@rwb.org](mailto:register@rwb.org) and **include all required signatures**.

***What if I can't make an appointment during June registration? When can I register?***

Students may register until October 15. An appointment will not be necessary after the official registration period in June. Class availability may be limited after the official registration period. Please submit completed registration forms to [register@rwb.org](mailto:register@rwb.org) and a member of School Office staff will contact you directly.

***What can I do to ensure the best outcome possible during my registration appointment?***

Delays most often result when registration forms are not received in time or are missing required signatures. Please ensure that your registration paperwork has been completed and submitted to [register@rwb.org](mailto:register@rwb.org) at least **48 hours prior to your appointment** to ensure you are served during your scheduled time. Should we not receive your registration paperwork with all necessary signatures, we will be unable to complete your registration during your selected appointment time.

***When will I receive my/my child's placement?***

Placements for the 2023-2024 session will be released on June 7, prior to registration. They will be emailed directly to students/parents.

***When will the class schedule be released?***

The class schedule for the 2023-24 session is now available on the RWB website. You can view it by visiting [www.rwb.org/register](http://www.rwb.org/register).

***In what level should I register my child?***

Placement in our Pre-School and Pre-primary/Primary classes is based on age. Students 8 years and older will be placed based on ability and experience, so that they may receive the greatest benefit of their class work.

***What if the class for which I want to register is full? How will I know?***

We encourage families to book the earliest possible appointment to secure a spot in their preferred class. We will do our best to post updates to class availability online, however the most up-to-date information will be available at registration.

Classes are available on a first come, first served basis and are all subject to availability. The RWB School has an excellent waitlist system in place for popular classes. While placement on the waitlist does not guarantee a spot in the class, we make every effort to add classes as demand warrants.

***Why should I dance at the RWB School?***

When you choose to study with the RWB School, we offer more than just a strong foundation of dance technique. Our ballet students learn from our roster of certified ballet teachers. Students also enjoy opportunities to participate in Cecchetti Ballet Examinations, which provide concentrated training on ballet technique based on the Cecchetti syllabus. In addition to Ballet, the RWB School offers training in multiple dance disciplines including: Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop, Modern, and Musical Theatre.

RWB School students benefit from our close association with the Royal Winnipeg Ballet Company. All students can purchase discounted tickets to RWB Company performances. Additionally, our children and teen students are given the exclusive opportunity to audition and perform with the RWB Company, and frequently participate in other arts and culture organization performances across Winnipeg. In past years audition opportunities have included Rainbow Stage, Canada Summer Games, and more.

RWB School dance training has helped prepare our students for success long after they graduate from our program. . Our alumni have gone on to successful careers in dance at institutions including Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre, Boston Conservatory, Alberta Ballet, and even performing on Broadway! Many of our alumni have shared that their RWB School dance training helped to prepare them for successful careers in a variety of sectors outside of arts and culture.

***If you have any questions, please contact the School Office at [school@rwb.org](mailto:school@rwb.org) or 204-957-3467***