

Dear Applicant,

Please find enclosed an application form for the **2020/21 Higher Dance course** at Eden Court. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, we have extended our application deadline to **Monday 11 May**, so you should complete and return the attached application form before then, including a passport-sized photograph of yourself. The best way to submit your application at this time is via email, however postal applications will still reach us while the building is closed if you need to post it.

A timetable of the full course dates is also enclosed to outline the required time commitment, however some of the initial dates may need to change based on lockdown restrictions during the current crisis. Please note that attendance at all confirmed sessions is essential and you should consider the impact this will have on your existing school and home commitments.

If your application is successful, you will be invited to audition for the course – our planned audition and induction schedules have been disrupted by the current lockdown restrictions and we have not confirmed a new schedule yet – we will communicate updates with you as soon as we can.

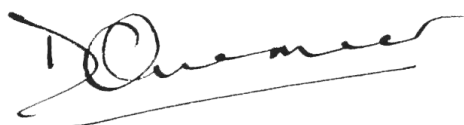
Some assistance with travel and accommodation costs, as well as some full bursaries to cover costs, may be available for those that need it to attend the course. Feel free to contact me for further information about this, specific allowances and details on how to claim will be provided at the start of the course.

More information is also available on our website: [www.eden-court.co.uk/qualifications](http://www.eden-court.co.uk/qualifications)

If you have any questions about the application form, or anything else to do with the course, please feel free to contact me using the details below.

We look forward to receiving your application and hope you are keeping safe and well.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Duncan Overmeer", written over a horizontal line.

**Duncan Overmeer**  
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# SQA Higher Dance Course Dates 2020-21

Date	Start	End	Name	Location
Date + Time TBC			AUDITIONS	TBC
Date + Time TBC			Induction Day	TBC
Fri 21 August 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 28 August 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 04 September 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 11 September 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Mon 14 September 2020	09:30	16:30	Half Term Intensive	Studio 2
Tue 15 September 2020	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Fri 18 September 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 25 September 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 02 October 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 09 October 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Mon 19 October 2020	09:30	17:30	October Holiday Intensive	Studio 2
Tue 20 October 2020	09:30	17:30		Studio 2
Wed 21 October 2020	09:30	17:30		Studio 2
Thu 22 October 2020	09:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 23 October 2020	09:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 30 October 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 06 November 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 13 November 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 20 November 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 27 November 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 04 December 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 11 December 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 18 December 2020	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Sat 02 January 2021	09:30	16:30	Winter Intensive & Prelim – dates here may change slightly	Studio 2
Sun 03 January 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Mon 04 January 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Tue 05 January 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Fri 08 January 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 15 January 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 22 January 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 29 January 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 05 February 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 12 February 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Mon 15 February 2021	09:30	16:30	Half Term Intensive	Studio 2
Tue 16 February 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Wed 17 February 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Fri 19 February 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 26 February 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 05 March 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 12 March 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 19 March 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 26 March 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 02 April 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Mon 05 April 2021	09:30	16:30	Easter Intensive	Studio 2
Tue 06 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Wed 07 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Thu 08 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Fri 09 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Sat 10 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Studio 2
Fri 23 April 2021	13:30	17:30	Final Assessment Weekend	Onetouch Theatre
Sat 24 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Onetouch Theatre
Sun 25 April 2021	09:30	16:30		Onetouch Theatre
Fri 30 April 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 07 May 2021	13:30	17:30	Final Performance	Jim Love Studio
Fri 14 May 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2
Fri 21 May 2021	13:30	17:30		Studio 2

# Eden Court

## Application Form for 2020/21 Courses

1. Which course are you applying to join? **Please tick:**

- ☐ **Higher Dance**
☐ **Nat 5 Drama – Acting Only**
☐ **Higher Drama – Acting Only**  
☐ **Nat 5 Drama – Acting + Production**
☐ **Higher Drama – Acting + Directing**  
☐ **Higher Drama – Acting + Design**

2. Name .....

Preferred Pronouns:    ☐ She/Her                      ☐ He/Him                      ☐ They/Them

3. Address .....

4. Post Code ..... 5. Home Phone Number .....

6. Mobile Phone Number .....

7. Email Address .....

8. Date of Birth ..... 9. Year Group 2020/21 (circle):        **S4**                      **S5**                      **S6**

10. SQA Scottish Candidate Number.....

11. School .....

12. When do you plan to leave school?.....

13. How did you hear about our courses?.....

14. Current school subjects being studied:

Subject	Level	Predicted Grade	Subject	Level	Predicted Grade

15a. Do you have any additional needs or are you affected by any conditions it would be important for your tutor to be aware of? If so, please give details:

15b. Are you entitled to any of the following additional support in school/during exams?

Please tick all that apply:

- ☐ Use of a computer    ☐ Extra time  
☐ A reader/prompt/scribe    ☐ Tinted paper  
☐ Other (please provide details in space below):

**Please turn over**

16. Past & current experience applicable to your chosen course (*continue on a separate sheet if necessary*):

16. Why does the chosen course interest you? (*Continue on a separate sheet if necessary.*)

**PLEASE INCLUDE DETAILS OF YOUR GUIDANCE TEACHER IN THIS SECTION:**

Guidance Teacher Name.....

Guidance Teacher Email.....

We will use these details to contact them to support your application and so we have a point of contact within your school – if you were previously home-schooled (before the COVID-19 outbreak) you can leave this section blank.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**

Due to lockdown restrictions during the COVID-19 outbreak, our proposed auditions and induction schedule needs to be changed – we will update all applicants once we have confirmed our new audition plans.

Applications can still be returned using the contact details below, however email is the most immediate route of contact currently – postal applications will still reach us but receipt may be delayed.

Use a separate sheet to include any other information you feel is relevant to your application.

Please return your completed form, including a passport-sized photo of yourself, before the application deadline on 11<sup>th</sup> May to the address below:

**Duncan Overmeer, Engagement Programme Coordinator,  
Eden Court Theatre, Bishops Road, Inverness, IV3 5SA  
t: 01463 732 696 e: dovermeer@eden-court.co.uk**



# SQA Courses at Eden Court

## Information for Non-Highland/Mature Students

- Priority for places on all SQA courses at Eden Court will be given to applicants from Highland schools who meet the required criteria and performance standard.
- Any places not filled by Highland pupils can be offered to applicants from out-with Highland schools (e.g. adult returners or pupils from another local authority area), who meet the required criteria and performance standard.
- Any places offered to students who are not attending a Highland school will be subject to the following additional criteria:
  1. **The student is responsible for securing representation to the SQA** by a willing school in order to participate in our courses at Eden Court. The details of the school, including contact name of SQA co-ordinator are required by Eden Court to ensure enrolment with SQA.
  2. The student is required to pay a **tuition fee of £500** for their year of study. Payment should be made to Eden Court and this can be done in two instalments of £250. One due by August at the start of the course and the other by the following January.

For more information, please contact:

**Duncan Overmeer**

**Engagement Programme Coordinator**

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