

Choreographer responsibilities:

We want to remind everyone that we can only pick 14 dances for our showcase due to limited practice time in Trees Hall. We are picking dances based on two criteria: style variety for the show and choreographer commitment to the club. You are also welcome to submit the same piece for any future show if you are not selected. You are limited to 12 dancers for the fall show and 8 dancers for the spring (the stage is small!) Time slots will be sent out in order of seniority. If you have any questions feel free to contact the board!

We have a couple guidelines for you to consider:

- you can be in your own dance
- minimum dancer count is 4, maximum is 12
- No heels dances, it damages our marley
- You can choreograph with a friend
- Costuming is on you! (most have their dancers all get cheap tops or something from amazon or work with what people have, board will be checking in with costumes early November!)

Audition Information

Within the 24 hours post audition, your cast list **MUST** be finalized and sent to Emma Ryan (emr132@pitt.edu), the board (pittdanceensemble@gmail.com), and your dancers, your choice if you want to email all who auditioned.

You can run auditions however you want, typically choreographers bring their laptop/paper for dancers to be able to write down their name, what they are wearing, and contact information. Auditions can tend to be a little overwhelming so just keep that in mind while preparing for it! Other ideas include making an excel spreadsheet, taking videos and having people state their names, or google forms!

Note about weekend rehearsal times: football, fall break, and other things tend to come up for dancers during this semester, so be sure to check how many weeks you have to rehearse!

Please reach out to the board if you have any questions!

Email: pittdanceensemble@gmail.com