



ClancyWorks Dance Educators Training Institute

A week of workshops each summer that will help us to get ready for the next school year by re-energizing our dance interests!

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What is the ClancyWorks Dance Educators Training Institute?

We believe that outstanding teaching takes place when educators are passionate and engaged in their own artistic growth! ClancyWorks Dance Company co-presents a week-long intensive professional development for artists teaching dance each summer with Baltimore County Public Schools. The week is designed to enable participants to delve deeper into their artistic pursuits and to enhance their pedagogical techniques in a challenging and supportive environment.

Who is the Summer Institute Intended to Serve?

Sessions are open to the public, with a particular interest to serve choreographers and performers to highly experienced dance educators as well as teaching artists who are just beginning to work in the field of dance education. Administrators and participants from various arts and educational disciplines are invited and encouraged to attend the workshops.

What does the week's schedule look like?

Each day of the week will start with a technique class in a different style. The remainder of the day will offer workshops tailored to meet the needs of teaching artists and dance educators in a public school setting.

Workshop Tracks:

- **Arts Integration:** Connecting dance to an academic curriculum
- **Somatics:** Building the healthy dancer- latest trends in dance science
- **Technology:** Video techniques/programs and incorporating everyday technology into the classroom and into your choreography
- **Choreography:** Improvisation/Partnering, choreographing with the brain in mind, and approaching choreography from different angles: site specifically, technologically, to teach specific lessons, collaboratively, etc.



Is it possible to receive professional credit for participating in the Institute?

YES!!! Workshop Participants may receive 1 professional credit for completion of the Dance Educators Training Institute.

Mentor Program: Aspiring teaching artists are matched with a mentor for year-round guidance in teaching dance. Interested participants can contact ClancyWorks.