

## **2022-23 School Year Financial Aid Scholarship Application**

Grand Rapids Ballet School's Financial Aid Scholarship Program aims to provide tuition assistance for students eager to receive high quality dance instruction in a nurturing and encouraging environment, inspiring a love for dance and thorough knowledge of technique.

### **Eligibility**

- Full-time enrollment in a GRBS Level. Eligible programs include: Young Dancer Program, Ballet Program, and Boys Program.
- Financial assistance is available for tuition only and may not be applied to registration fees.

### **Application Requirements**

- Financial Aid Scholarship Application page
- A copy of your 2021 1040 Federal Tax Return
- Copies of last two paycheck stubs OR a letter from your employer stating your annual salary
- Letter briefly describing your need for financial assistance (optional)

### **Application Process**

- Application and supporting documents may be submitted to GRBS via email or in-person by appointment. Please email [school@grballet.com](mailto:school@grballet.com) to schedule a drop off time.
- Applicants will be notified of the outcome of the application via email, within two weeks of the application submission.

### **Acceptance of Financial Aid Scholarships**

- Following the determined financial aid scholarship amount, all registration paperwork and a minimum 50% deposit of the remaining tuition are due to Grand Rapids Ballet School.

### **Attendance**

- Financial Aid Scholarship students are required to attend all of their scheduled classes, arriving to class on time.
- Consistent tardiness or absence from classes, for reasons other than serious illness, injury or family emergency, may result in the revocation of the financial aid scholarship.

### **Revocation of Financial Assistance**

- Financial Aid Scholarships may be revoked at any time for a student's misconduct or failure to comply with Grand Rapids Ballet School's established policies.

### **Distribution of Financial Aid Scholarships**

- Grand Rapids Ballet School is pleased to provide as much financial assistance to eligible applicants as its current funds allow.
- Financial aid provided will be commensurate with the applicant's displayed financial need.
- The Financial Aid Scholarship will not cover 100% of the program tuition cost.

Please list the GRBS Level you are applying for (i.e. Ballet 2, Pre-Ballet, Boys 2).

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Age (by Sept. 7) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to student \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Others in Household:	Name	Age	Dependent (Y/N)
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

Any dependents in college / special training? \_\_\_\_\_

**INCOME INFORMATION**

Current Employer of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Current Employer of Parent/Guardian (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Combined gross income for last calendar year \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete any applicable sections:

Child Support \_\_\_\_\_ per month Alimony \_\_\_\_\_ per month

Other \_\_\_\_\_ per month

Any additional expenses/financial obligations you would like to have considered? \_\_\_\_\_

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**I have provided all relevant information necessary to determine financial assistance for the child named in this application. All information is as accurate as possible.**

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_