



Creative Allsorts Spring Term Information Ensemble Allsorts

Welcome to the Creative Allsorts Spring Term!

Below you'll find everything you need to know for the upcoming term, including key dates, class expectations, and performance details. Please keep this document handy throughout the term.

Class Dates & Times

Date	Venue	Time
18th January 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
25th January 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
1st February 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
8th February 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
15th February 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
22nd February 2026	<i>BREAK</i>	<i>BREAK</i>
1st March 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
8th March 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
15th March 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
22nd March 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM
20th March 2026	New College Durham	10AM - 1PM

Class Location

Venue: Dance Studio, Sports Building, New College Durham, DH1 5ES

There is plenty of free parking on site.

We are based in the dance studio, located inside the Sports Building (the large building on your right as you enter from the car parks). Enter through the automatic doors and wait in the foyer.

Please note:

- Another class runs before ours, so we ask that students wait downstairs until that session has finished.
- Children will be collected from the foyer by our team - no need for parents to stay once they've arrived.
- Parents are not permitted to remain in the room during class, but the foyer is available if needed.
- Collection will take place outside the studio.

If you're running late for drop-off or pick-up, please text:

07539 876699 or **07831 157193** (*include your child's name*)

Optional Showcase Opportunity

Date & Time: Saturday 28th March, 5PM - 7PM

Venue: The Fulforth Centre, Sacriston

At our upcoming March Quiz Time, students will have an optional showcase opportunity to share what they've been learning this term. This may include ensemble numbers, dance routines, short scenes or scripts etc.. The showcase is designed to be informal, supportive, and low-pressure - there's no expectation to perform, just a chance to celebrate progress, build confidence, and enjoy sharing creativity in a relaxed environment with their peers. This is a completely optional showcase opportunity.

Absences

We aim for full attendance each term to support both individual progress and the ensemble's cohesion. Every session is designed to include personal feedback and development.

If your child is going to be absent:

- Let us know as early as possible
- Inform us of any pre-planned absences at the start of term

Please note:

We do not offer catch-up classes, and missed material will not be retaught.

Class Essentials

What to Bring

- Comfortable clothing suitable for movement
- Trainers or similar secure footwear
- No crocs, sandals, or flip-flops
- Creative Allsorts Uniform T-Shirt (mandatory for any performances)
- Optional: Other branded merch available at www.creativeallsorts.co.uk/shop
- Water bottle - there is a refill station available
- Snacks (no nuts or fizzy drinks please) – we try to allocate time for a quick break during class
- Folder, notepad and pencil including any handouts
- Phones are not permitted during class, except in emergencies

At your child's first full session, they'll receive a folder, notepad, and pencil to use each week. Please make sure they bring these to every class, as they're important for taking notes.

Scripts and handouts will be distributed throughout the term. Replacements are not provided, so please keep all materials safe and organised. If something is lost, your child must bring a suitable replacement to stay up to date.

Stay Up To Date

Website – Members Area

Head to: www.creativeallsorts.co.uk

Create a profile and visit the "**Musical Theatre Students**" section

Use the password: **creative26**

Once footage, songs, and scripts are uploaded, we recommend giving your child access so they can review at home.

Facebook - Members Page

Join our private Facebook group for real-time updates and community news.

Head to: [Creative Allsorts Member Page](#) or search "**Creative Allsorts Member Page**"

To be approved, please provide your child's name when requesting to join.

Parents and children are welcome in the group.

Payments

If you're on a payment plan, please ensure payments are made on time.

If you're having any issues, contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Please note: **Unpaid balances will result in your child being unable to attend sessions.**

Social Calendar

We love bringing our Creative Allsorts community together!

Stay updated via our social media & website www.creativeallsorts.co.uk/socialcalendar

Additional Classes

We offer private tuition in:

- Acting
- Singing
- Acting through song

If there's something specific you'd like to work on (for example dance, audition prep, or another focus), we can discuss availability.

Sessions start from **£20 per 30 minutes** depending on tutor and location. Most sessions are based in the Chester-le-Street/Sacrison/Grange Villa area.

Please get in touch if you're interested in extra 1:1 development for your child.

Feedback & Reviews

We're always grateful for your feedback and support!

Here's how you can help us grow:

- Recommend us to friends and family
- Share our posts on social media
- Leave us a review on Facebook or Google