

# ORLANDO BALLET SCHOOL

## Resident Assistant FAQs

***What are the dates of the program?*** The full eight-week Orlando program begins Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> and concludes on Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Priority will be given to applicants attending the full eight weeks, however we will consider candidates for the shorter sessions (two-week session Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> to Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>; three-week session Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> to Saturday July, 13<sup>th</sup> and/or; Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup> to Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>). RAs must commit to attending the entirety of the program for which they are hired.

***When do I need to arrive?*** RAs should plan to arrive on the Saturday before the start of the program - Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> to allow plenty of time to get settled and prepare for student arrival on Sunday. If you are chosen to be an RA for one of the other sessions, your arrival date will be Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> and/or Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>.

***Do I need to stay until all students have checked out at the end of the program?*** It is preferred that RAs stay until all students have departed the dorm, and therefore should not schedule their return flight to depart before 3PM in Orlando.

***How many RAs will be hired?*** The number of RAs hired will depend on the number of housing students enrolled in the OBS Summer Program. We strive for a student RA ratio of 10:1.

***How old do I have to be?*** RAs for the 2019 Summer Program must have turned 18 by January 1, 2019.

***Will I be able to participate fully in classes and performances?*** Yes. RAs are required to audition and be accepted into the program. As an accepted student, RAs are expected to participate in both classes and performances. There may be days, however, that you will need to escort a student to the doctor or perform some other duty that will prevent you from attending class.

***Is this a paid position?*** No. All RAs receive full tuition and room and board in exchange for their services.

***Do I need to be First Aid and/or CPR Certified?*** No, but it is preferred.

***Will I have time off?*** The RAs will be given a rotating schedule to provide at least one 24 hour "off duty" period each week.

***Can I bring my own car?*** Yes. RAs may have their own car on campus and will be required to purchase a parking permit as required by the campus. RAs may not, however, transport students under any circumstances.

***Will I have a private room?*** No. The housing accommodations are identical for all students. The accommodations in Orlando are set up with 4 students in two double rooms with a shared bathroom.

Additional questions? Please contact:  
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