

## **Biggest Piece of Advice About Auditioning:**

Relax and enjoy doing what you do. Bring yourself into the room. And tell the Story. – Courtney

The auditioners want to see you, and get to know you. So let yourself ring through in your audition/monologue/song. – Emily

“Be so good they can’t ignore you.” – Steve Martin

Don’t worry about “overdone” or “inappropriate” material – do something you like – LOVE! – Maggie

During the dance call, look at the direction and general movement. Don’t stress over the choreography. – Unknown

YOU ARE ENOUGH! – Bre

Just breathe. They’re not necessarily interested in who is the “best” ... they want to see you. Also, make friends with other people in the room! It’s always more fun when you can cheer on new friends.

– Janelle

Don’t do more than is being asked of you. If they ask for a double pirouette, don’t do four. It shows that you don’t take direction well. And don’t interrupt with a question. Wait until they ask if anyone has a question. And don’t repeat a question someone has already asked. Always say “Thank you” no matter what. – Christina

Don’t fold your arms or put your hands on your hips. It makes you look like you have an attitude. – Neil

Take chances and make bold decisions! It sets you apart. – Christina

Lay off the Double Whoppers. Start thinking about your appearance now. – Kate Edwards

Believe in yourself more than anyone else. – Katie Sexton

Don’t care about what they want. Do what you love. – Justin

You’re auditioning the school, not the school auditioning you. You have to find the best place for you and the best fit. – Andrew

Have backup songs in case your voice isn’t at the top of its game. – Katie Sexton

Come prepared! If they ask you to do your monologue as a mole rat... you better be able to. – Andrew

Don’t worry about anyone else. No one can do you better than you. Find what makes you special and run with it. – Adam

Be yourself. Don’t show them what you think they want to see. Show them who you are. – Jessica

[In a dance call] DO NOT TALK! Don’t whisper, or make any comments unless you’re asking a question. Always bring positive energy! – Megan

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Do not be nervous. College is not as scary as you may think. Remember that you are the one judging and auditioning the school. Have fun and enjoy the experience. – Emily Westfield

You will always be better than someone else, and someone else will always be better than you. If you want to be noticed, you have to be original and show your personality through your dance. Good technique isn't enough. – Mia

Listen to everything they tell you to do. Literally, every possible detail. Also, if they tell you not to kick higher than your eye level, then DON'T! – Megan Levinson

Be yourself. As long as you do your best, that's all that matters. Listen and do what they want, nothing more, nothing less. – Allison

Follow your instincts. You know you better than anyone. If you feel good about what you've got to share – that's all it takes. It's better to be nice and easy to work with than talented with an attitude. Trust yourself and flatter yourself. Represent what you want them to see...YOU. Don't bring anything into the room you're not ready to kick ass with. – Elly

Be you. Know that you are enough. Smile, and mean it. Also, have fun! It is an opportunity to have a few minutes of the "YOU" show. Trust your material and follow your heart! - Maggie

Make sure you introduce yourself...Duh... - Dom