



Iowa Dance Theatre  
Presents  
**The Nutcracker**  
2019

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**Performer School Excuse Form**

Please excuse \_\_\_\_\_ from school on Friday, December 6, 2019.

**This student is an integral part of** Iowa Dance Theatre's 2019 production of the **The Nutcracker**, which includes performances at 10 am and 12:30pm on Friday, December 6 at The Civic Center of Greater Des Moines.

The audiences for these two one-hour performances are school children and homeschooled students. Students on free or reduced lunch programs attend at no cost so that as many young people as possible get an opportunity to see live ballet in performance. We have sold these performances out for the last few years, and it's important to us that the full cast is dancing for these very important audiences.

By excusing this student from school on this date, you help Iowa Dance Theatre make ballet accessible to over 3000 youth in our community this year.

Thank you,

*Iowa Dance Theatre*

Board of Directors

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Approved by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dancer's Parent/Guardian

***Ask how your school can attend a Nutcracker performance at the Civic Center presented annually by Iowa Dance Theatre by contacting our School Show Coordinator at [SchoolShows@IowaDanceTheatre.org](mailto:SchoolShows@IowaDanceTheatre.org).***