

Center for Modern Dance Education



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Nurturing the Dancer within since 1962

The process for applying for Named CMDE gifted scholarships consists of filling out this application form along with financial need description or documentation, and taking an observed dance class as an audition. Candidates do not need to prepare anything in advance. **Individuals interested in auditioning should call the CMDE office (201-342-2989) or email us at info@cmde.org to notify us and arrange an audition.** Scholarships cover the cost of one or more CMDE dance classes per week for the 2016-2017 school year (September 17 - June 18). **They are for dancers who show potential with financial need.**

Mimi Cole Scholarship for a Gifted Teen or Young Adult

In memory of CMDE teacher/board member/mentor and Martha Graham Company dancer, this scholarship, created by Mimi's sons, provides unlimited classes for a talented teen or adult dancer who plans on pursuing a career in the dance field. It is for someone able to take **2 or more classes per week.**

Eva Bauer Scholarship for a Gifted Teen

This scholarship is awarded to one gifted teenage dancer. Ruth Bauer-Neustadter -- a dancer, former CMDE Board President, current Board Trustee, visual artist, and one of CMDE's Founding Director Shirley Ubell's first dance students(!) -- created this scholarship in honor of her mother, Eva. **It covers the cost of the CMDE Dance Theater Company**

Cliff Allen New Dancer Scholarship

This scholarship is for a child age 6-9 who is new to dance. CMDE alumna Brenda started this scholarship in honor of her friend Cliff Allen.

Bruce Baker Scholarship for Boys

This scholarship is given to one boy age 8-18 years. Bruce Baker, a minister, danced for many years at CMDE until he moved out of the area. His parents started the scholarship to encourage boys to dance.

Edyth T. Carfagno Scholarship for an Adult

This scholarship is sponsored by Carolyn J. Smith, CMDE dance student and former CMDE Trustee, who was given a gift certificate for CMDE in 1999 by Edyth and her son. She wants to provide the opportunity for another adult. **It covers one or two classes per week**

Luther W. Smith Jr. Memorial Scholarship for an Adult and/or Child Carolyn J. Smith, a CMDE student and former CMDE Trustee wishes to honor the memory of her father, Luther. This scholarship is intended to support a child or adult and **covers one or two classes per week.**

Earl Ubell Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund helps support **partial scholarships and work-study arrangements** for people who cannot afford to pay full tuition. People needing partial tuition remission and work-study arrangements due to their financial situation should ask for work study application. Earl Ubell, a journalist and CBS science reporter, and his wife Shirley started the Center for Modern Dance Education over 50 years ago.

Name and age of dancer /student _____

Primary phone #: _____ Email: _____

Please list any previous and/or current dance or related training and experience. _____

Why do you love dance or what does dancing mean to you?

Do you have any ambitions or dreams about being a professional dancer or performer?

If you are not chosen for one of our talent scholarships, you can still apply for a work study scholarship. Would you still join a CMDE class or company ?

Please explain why you need financial assistance.

If there is anything else you would like us to know ...please write it down here.



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