



Dance! To Your Heart's Delight



DTYHD* 2026 Nutcracker Rehearsal Schedule

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Rehearsals are mandatory. Rehearsal dates and times are subject to change.

August 2026			
22	SAT		Signed Nutcracker Dancer <u>and</u> Parent contracts and fees are due
23	SUN	2:00 PM	Nutcracker Mandatory Parent and CAST information meeting
September 2026			
12	SAT	2:30-4:30 PM 4:30-6:30 PM	Snow Scene Party Scene (No Adults)
13	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Flowers Arabian, Merlitons
19	SAT	2:30-4:00 PM 4:00-6:00 PM	Angels Battle Scene
20	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Gingersnaps Chinese, Spanish, Candy Canes & MG Escorts
26	SAT	2:30-4:30 PM 4:30-6:30 PM	Snow Scene Party Scene No Adults)
27	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Flowers Arabian, Merlitons
October 2026			
3	SAT	2:30-4:00 PM 4:00-6:00 PM	Angels Battle Scene
4	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Gingersnaps Chinese, Spanish, Candy Canes & MG Escorts
10	SAT	2:30-4:30 PM 4:30-6:30 PM	Snow Scene Party Scene (No Adults)
11	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Flowers Arabian, Merlitons
17	SAT	2:30-4:00 PM 4:00-6:00 PM	Angels Battle Scene
18	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Gingersnaps Chinese, Spanish, Candy Canes & MG Escorts
24	SAT	2:30-4:30 PM 4:30-6:30 PM	Snow Scene Party Scene (With Adults)
25	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM 2:00-4:00 PM	Flowers Arabian, Merlitons

November 2026			
1	SUN	12:00-2:00 PM	Gingersnaps
		2:00-4:00 PM	Chinese, Spanish, Candy Canes & MG Escorts
7	SAT	2:30-5:30 PM	Act I (Parents 2:30 – 5:30 PM)
8	SUN	2:00-5:00 PM	Act II
14	SAT	11:00-5:30 PM	Sugar Plum Fairy Tea Party
15	SUN	2:00-3:00 PM	Act I
		3:00-5:00 PM	Act II
21	SAT	2:30-5:30 PM	Act I (With Parents)
22	SUN	2:00-5:00 PM	Act II
28/29	SAT/SUN	TBD	Thanksgiving Weekend Rehearsals
December 2026 – These dates are tentative and subject to change			
5	SAT	2:30-5:30 PM	Act I (With Parents)
6	SUN	2:00-5:00 PM	Act II
12	SAT	2:30-7:30 PM	In-Studio Dress Rehearsal
13	SUN	2:30-7:30 PM	In-Studio Dress Rehearsal
16	WED	4:00-10:00 PM	Tech/Dress Rehearsal at theatre
17	THU	6:30-9:00 PM	TDC 22 nd Annual Nutcracker Performance #1 (Community performance - not open to public)
18	FRI	2:00-4:30 PM	TDC 22 nd Annual Nutcracker Performance #2
19	SAT	2:00-4:30 PM	TDC 22 nd Annual Nutcracker Performance #3
19	SAT	6:30-9:00 PM	TDC 22 nd Annual Nutcracker Performance #4
		9:00-10:00 PM	Load out of theatre
20	SUN	6:00-10:00 PM	Cast Party at Kelly and Jeff's house
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