

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS FOR RESIDENCY ACTIVITIES

Residency Activities are a valuable way to engage your local community with the visiting artists. Following are some frequently asked questions regarding David Dorfman Dance's community engagement offerings to ensure that the company engages with your community while preparing for the performance.

Note: It is the presenter's responsibility to provide ground transportation to all residency activities, talks and receptions.

- 1) Can the company conduct a residency activity on the day of their arrival? If so, what activity/ies is/are possible? **Yes. All, with enough advanced notice. Long travel days are less ideal for hosting activities. hour travel days are ideal if presenter wishes to host a same day residency activity.**
- 2) Can the company conduct a residency activity on Load in day? If so, what activity/ies is/are possible? **YES with enough advanced notice.**
- 3) Can the company conduct a residency activity on the day of the performance? If so, what activities is/are possible? **Yes. All, with enough advanced notice.**

School Shows

- 4) If the presenter is interested in a school show, what are your scheduling guidelines on when a school show can and cannot be performed? **We are flexible with enough advanced notice.**
 - a. Are you able to perform a school show in a venue that is not the presenting venue? **YES. though the performance would be dance only without visual design represented.**

Pre & Post Show Talks

- 5) Is the company available for pre-performance discussions? **Yes, Artistic Director.**
- 6) Is the company available for a post-performance discussion? **Yes. Artistic Director, Dancers, Collaborators**

Master Classes

- 1) Does the choreographer lead all master classes? **NO**
- 2) How many instructors generally lead a class? **1- 2 and typically additional company members assist in classroom.**
- 3) Does the company allow participants in "company class?" **Yes if company classes are held. Typically company members are responsible for warming up themselves.**
- 4) Does the company allow invited guests to observe dress rehearsals, tech rehearsals, company class? **YES**
- 5) How many classes can be taught in one day? Are there stipulations for Arrival Day, Load In Day, Performance Day? **3 is maximum.**
- 6) Is it possible to conduct simultaneous master classes? **YES**

Receptions & Donor Events

Note: If dancers are attending a post-performance reception, and a hot meal may be required prior to joining the reception. Details to be advanced with tour manager.

- 1) Is the company available for pre-performance reception/donor events? **YES. All could be available with enough advanced notice. Post-performance receptions are preferred.**
- 2) Is the company available for post performance reception/donor event? **YES. All with the exception of Technical Director if post performance load out is taking place.**