



## Clara Auditions

### Saturday, September 29th

### 4:00pm - 5:00pm (at WSD Bothell)

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Dancers in **Ballet I** are eligible for this year's audition. During the audition we will choose two dancers for the role of Clara. Each Clara will dance their role in two of the 2018 WSD Nutcracker performances.

The Clara Audition is run as an hour long ballet class led by WSD staff. Dancers warm up with some technical exercises at the barre and center floor, practice some moving combinations and then learn a short piece. The entire class is performed in front of judges, who look for performance qualities such as enthusiasm, showmanship, and adaptability along with dance technique. Students do not need to prepare anything for the audition, but should arrive dressed in their usual class attire and ballet shoes.

Audition experience is an important component to a dance education, and we highly recommend that all eligible students attend. If you have any questions about WSD's Nutcracker, the Clara role or the audition process, please call the studio at (425) 481-7899 or email us at [info@washingtonschoolofdance.com](mailto:info@washingtonschoolofdance.com)

