

The Canadian College of Performing Arts

The Canadian College of Performing Arts based in Victoria, BC Canada has taken the challenges of delivering in-person performing arts training head on. At the onset of the pandemic in March 2020, the College successfully pivoted to digital delivery and provided an adapted and fruitful close to the 2019/20 College year.

Inspired by this success, College staff worked tirelessly over the summer to ensure that the CCPA community could return to in-person training this fall in a safe and considered manner. Through this process, we enhanced our digital capacities through wifi upgrades, moved our administrative offices in order to add a new dance studio to support physically-distanced classes, and crafted a thorough addendum to our policies and procedures that specifically address how we as a community will support each other as we weather the global pandemic. And lastly, staff installed tablets, computer, webcams, television screens, and sound boards.

We have summarized our policies and procedures into these nine points that apply to all students, faculty, staff, patrons, and volunteers who visit the College:

Got symptoms? Stay home!

If you are scheduled to attend class in-person and are demonstrating symptoms, you are to remain home and attend class virtually if able.

Come prepared.

Review your daily checklist to ensure you have all the belongings you require.

Sign in & sanitize.

Once you have signed in on the app and sanitized your hands upon entry, you may proceed to the locker room, washrooms, or the student kitchen / common area to drop off your food in the fridge, before heading directly to your assigned studio or workspace.

Follow the flow in an orderly fashion.

Enter & exit from assigned doors. Adhere to any directional stairwell and hallway arrows, and all capacity, sanitization, and distancing signage.

Masks are mandatory when moving from A to B.

The wearing of non-medical mouth and nose coverings is mandatory at CCPA when travelling from A to B within the building, until you are socially distanced in your assigned studio or at a personal workspace.

Sanitize first or wipe it down after.

Sanitize prior to touching anything you know others will touch.

Adhere to capacity and distance.

Each room clearly indicates the maximum number of people allowed entry. You are to remain socially distanced in taped out areas until directed by an instructor. Any activity that reduces distancing requires masking.

Contact requires sanitization & consent.

Any activity that involves physical contact requires sanitization before and after, and the consent of all involved.

Got time? Go outside!

There is to be no milling about, socializing, or eating meals within the building. Breaks and spares are to be spent under provided and covered outdoor spaces.

To find out more about our programs and our full COVID-19 Policies and Procedures, head to: www.ccpacanada.com.



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