In order for us to consider your child’s application they **MUST**:  
- Submit their application by the due date: **Friday, February 21, 2020**.  
- Contact us on **Saturday, February 22** if no confirmation your application has been received.  
- Attend an interview session. You will receive advance notice of the date. The interview is in lieu of an audition—applicants do not need to have any dance training to apply.  
- Attend the mandatory parent/guardian/camper orientation **Tuesday, May 5, 2020** if they are selected to participate in camp or they have been placed on the waiting list.  
- Submit documents including the AileyCamp Medical form, certifying they have had a physical examination between **May 5, 2019 and May 5, 2020** and are current in immunization shots. Submitting immunization records alone is not sufficient. These documents are due Tuesday, **May 5, 2020**.  

Please, **DO NOT APPLY** if your child has scheduling conflicts, for example sports practices, games, other commitments between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., or you have vacation plans between **Monday, June 22** and **Friday, July 31, 2020**.  

Applicants will be notified of their application status no later than **Friday, April 17, 2020**.
Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp 2020 Fact Sheet

(Please keep this page for your files.)

History: The camp was inspired by the work of legendary dancer and choreographer, Alvin Ailey, who founded his own New York-based dance company, the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater. When Kansas City, Missouri was selected as the second home for the company in 1984, plans for AileyCamp began. Kansas City, Missouri held the first AileyCamp in the summer of 1989.

Description: An intense, fast-paced, six-week summer day camp where students are immersed in dance and learn to respect this art form as a physical activity that requires athletic ability comparable with any sport. Campers also increase their self-esteem, learn leadership skills and enjoy a variety of athletic and social activities.

Eligibility: 50 students (ages 11-14) attending schools in the Berkeley, Oakland, and Richmond area school districts will be selected from the applications received. Prior dance training is not a consideration for admission.

Dates: Monday, June 22, 2020 through Friday, July 31, 2020

Place: 101 Zellerbach Hall, University of California at Berkeley  510.642.4630

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  (Monday – Friday)

Transport: Transportation is provided for Oakland students with pickup points for AileyCampers living in the Oakland Unified School District. These locations are near: Elmhurst Middle School, United for Success Academy, and Westlake Middle School. The bus will pick campers up in the morning and drop them off at the end of the day. Berkeley students must provide their own transportation to and from camp.

Cost: Scholarships are provided to all students who attend. This includes field trips, daily breakfasts, lunches, camp uniforms and dance wear.

Attire: Boys – gym shorts, T-shirts, and ballet slippers
Girls – gym shorts, T-shirts, tights, leotards, and ballet slippers

All of the AileyCamp attire will be provided.

Activities: Daily classes in a variety of dance techniques, creative writing, visual art and personal development (including peer discussion groups). Periodically there are field trips and visiting artists. Final performance is held at the end of camp for family, friends and supporters.

Staff: Male and female dancers, former Ailey Company or Ailey-trained artists, from New York and the Bay Area, and other professionals dedicated to making AileyCamp a great experience.

Contact: Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp at Cal Performances
101 Zellerbach Hall #4800
University of California
Berkeley, CA 94720-4800

Phone: 510.642.4630   Fax: 510.643.6707   Email: aileycamp@calperformances.org

View the Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp webpage at:
http://calperformances.org/community/aileycamp/


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Acceptance: Applicants will be notified of AileyCamp status no later than Friday, April 17, 2020.

(Keep this page for reference)
A six-week summer day camp where youths are immersed in dance, and come to respect the discipline of dance as a physical activity that requires athletic ability comparable to skills demanded by any sport. Campers also increase their leadership skills and enjoy a variety of athletic and social activities.

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AileyCamp will begin on Monday, June 22, 2020 and end on Friday, July 31, 2020. Camp begins at 8:30 a.m., and ends at 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. These are six action-packed weeks! Campers are expected to attend each day, unless they are ill. Please do not apply if you cannot commit to attend during the above mentioned dates or times. If you have any vacation plans during this time DO NOT APPLY.

AileyCamp is entirely tuition-free for all participants. Instruction, dance attire, field trips and meal (breakfast and lunch) are provided. Transportation is provided to Oakland students; Berkeley students must provide their own transportation to and from camp.

AileyCamp will be held at Cal Performances, Zellerbach Hall and adjacent buildings on the University of California, Berkeley campus, Telegraph and Bancroft avenues.

AileyCamp is co-sponsored by Cal Performances in association with the Alvin Ailey Dance Theater Foundation, a not-for-profit corporation that sponsors the activities of the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater, Ailey II, and The Ailey School.

Interested students should fill out the application on the reverse side of this page, and mail or fax it to the address listed below. SPACE IS LIMITED!!!

Berkeley/Oakland AILEYCAM at Cal Performances
101 Zellerbach Hall #4800
University of California
Berkeley, CA 94720-4800
Attention: David McCauley

Phone: 510.642.4630
Fax: 510.643.6707
Email: aileycamp@calperformances.org

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, February 21, 2020

Please contact us Saturday, February 22, if you have not received confirmation from AileyCamp that your application has been received.
Dear Student:

It is our pleasure to invite you to join us this summer at Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp at Cal Performances!

If you want to build a stronger body, become a better dancer, have a great time with your friends, and make new ones, Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp is for you. In addition to learning dance, you will also enjoy such activities as swimming, picnics, and visual arts.

Please take this application home and discuss your interest in Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp with your parent or guardian.

We hope to see you this summer!

Best,
Robert Battle
Artistic Director
Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater

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### Application Form

**Applicant’s Name** | **School District** | **Home Telephone No.**
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**Street Address** | **Apt.** | **City/State** | **Zip Code**
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**Age** | **Birthdate** | **Gender(M/F)**
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(1) **Parent/Guardian’s Full Name** | **Day or Cell Phone No.** | **Parent/Guardian Email Address**
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(2) **Parent/Guardian’s Full Name** | **Day or Cell Phone No.** | **Parent/Guardian Email Address**
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**What school are you currently attending?**

**What school will you attend next fall?**

**What grade will you be in next fall?**

**Will you be attending summer school?**

**Does your child have any of these?**

- IEP
- 504 Plan
- Behavioral Specialist
- Social Worker

**If you are not selected for Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp this summer, what will you do instead?**

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Berkeley/Oakland AileyCamp serves youth of all ethnic backgrounds. For reporting purposes, it is helpful to identify the ethnic origin of our campers. Kindly indicate which best describes you:

- African American
- Asian
- Hispanic
- Caucasian
- Native American
- Other (specify)

**MY CHILD HAS PERMISSION TO APPLY FOR THE BERKELEY/OAKLAND AILEY Camp AT CAL PERFORMANCES**

**Signature of Parent or Guardian** | **Date**
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Mail, fax or email your application to:

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