

## **Could you be our next RYDC Teacher?**

### **Retina Dance Company is looking for a teacher for their outstanding Retina Youth Dance Company (RYDC).**

You will be responsible for teaching the RYDC weekly technique class, leading workshops and rehearsing performance pieces created by Retina's Artistic Director Filip Van Huffel. You'll also communicate with the group via email and Facebook, organise performance events, take weekly registers and liaise with Retina's Manager and Administrator.

As well as having excellent teaching skills you need to be strong on communication and motivation. The RYDC technique classes are taught with energy, positive challenges and within a Retina style, you'll need to encourage full-bodied movement with a continuous flow that emphasises efficiency in movement as well as teaching partner work. You need to be professional but possess a fun attitude and be able to encourage the young people to challenge themselves and improve their skills.

Since starting in 2009 Retina Youth Dance Company has become one of the East Midlands finest youth companies, representing the region at national and international events. Retina Dance Company encourages exchange and performance opportunities wherever possible.

To apply for this position you must submit an application form, a CV and a 15-minute extract of you teaching. The film can be submitted as a [www.vimeo.com](http://www.vimeo.com) link and should preferably include you teaching a section of a technique class.

Retina is interested in seeing the movement material but also your communication and motivational skills.

Please submit your application form, CV and send a link to your video extract to [suzy@retinadance.com](mailto:suzy@retinadance.com).

If you are shortlisted you will be invited to an interview on Friday 25 November 2011. The post will begin in January 2012.