

# Dasher's Magical Gift

**Dasher's Magical Gift** continues the tradition started by CNY Arts (formerly Cultural Resources Council) and **The Adventures of Rudolph**. This is year 5 for **Dasher** (and year 40 for the tradition!).

The show was created with local but nationally recognized talent, including its playwright, director/choreographer, and costume/lighting designers. It is performed by students studying ballet at Dance Centre North.

## What is the age range for this show?

**Dasher** is a show for 'children of all ages', but it makes a great holiday memory specifically for children ages 3-10.

## How long is the show?

The show runs about 55 minutes.

## When should my class arrive?

The theatre will open 1 hour prior to curtain. We recommend arriving at least 30 minutes early to give yourself enough time to check in and get settled.

## My school really wants to attend the show, but we can't afford it!

CNY Arts strongly believes that the arts should be accessible to everyone. If your class/group wants to attend our performance, contact Lizz at [eallers@cnyarts.org](mailto:eallers@cnyarts.org). Through generous support from local foundations and corporations, we have "scholarship tickets" available so that everyone can be part of the magic of Dasher!

## What accommodations are there for special needs?

The theatre is wheelchair accessible, and the show is ASL interpreted. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Lizz at [eallers@cnyarts.org](mailto:eallers@cnyarts.org) to discuss your student(s) and their needs!

## Will my students understand the story?

Yes! This ballet is specifically for our youngest audiences. In addition to characters children recognize (elves, reindeer, and Santa!), this show features narration and dialogue to help everyone follow the story.

## Is there space for my group to eat lunch before/after the show?

Unfortunately, no.