



HOI Performance Checklist

Please submit via email to andrea@heartofirelandschool.com. We must receive this checklist in order to confirm our availability and to send your performance agreement. Please email a photo of the performance area/surface so that we may assess the surface and determine whether or not we will need to provide an appropriate dance surface and what shoes our dancers should bring.

Requested Performance Date & Time: _____

Performance Venue/Address: _____

Performance Location

_____ Indoors
_____ Outdoors: _____ covered _____ uncovered (open/exposed to elements)

Dance surface

Designated dance area: _____ feet x _____ feet

Surface for dancing*: _____ wood _____ tile _____ carpet _____ asphalt _____ grass
_____ metal _____ hardened rubber/plastic
_____ HOI-provided flooring

Surface location: _____ raised stage _____ audience-level performance area (e.g. dancers' feet are on same level as audience's feet)

Music source

_____ DJ/ Client-provided sound system. Must fit a 30-pin (old-style) iPod connector or connect through an auxiliary/headphone jack. **If you are unsure if your system is suitable, please submit a photo of it as well, with close-ups of the potential iPod connections.**
_____ HOI-provided sound system

Music media

_____ CD _____ iPod

Changing Area

Is there an area where the dancers can change? _____ Yes _____ No
Is it open to the public (e.g. a restroom) or is it a separate space/room for ONLY the dancers? _____
Yes _____ No

***NOTE:** Irish dance includes both soft shoe (ballet-type dancing performed in soft leather or suede-bottom shoes) and hard shoe (percussive dance a la Riverdance, performed in shoes with fiberglass tips and heels). A surface for hard shoe dancing must be of a material that can tolerate the significant scuffing, black marks and wear that result from percussive dance. The floor must be non-slip, wood or hard composite plastic/rubber (such as the stages at Clover Hill and Cosby High School or a marley dance floor). Tile or carpeted flooring or stages do not accommodate hard shoe dancing. Parquet flooring will be significantly marred or scuffed following a performance.