

# Understudy FAQ

*“Person who learns another’s role to be able to act as a replacement at short notice.”*

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Do I need to pay any production fees for being an understudy?	No
Do I need to purchase any dancewear order for my understudy role?	No
Can I purchase a photo order for my understudy role?	No
Do I need to come to any costume fitting for my understudy role?	No
Do I need to put my understudy role’s costume for any costume run through?	No, please wear costume for your actual role during costume run through.
Do I need to come to every rehearsal for my understudy role? What if its conflict with my actual role?	Yes. Understudies are expected to come to every single rehearsal for their understudy role. When it conflicts with your actual role rehearsal please go to your actual role’s rehearsal.
I have indicated my unavailability on certain rehearsal days, but I have understudy rehearsal scheduled for me that day. What do I have to do?	You don’t have to come for rehearsal that day and kindly remind the staff that you will be gone. Please email <a href="mailto:dance@northernplainsdance.org">dance@northernplainsdance.org</a> .
Do I have to come to spacing rehearsal even though I am an understudy?	Yes, please attend the spacing rehearsal. Understudies need to understand where the dancers should be on stage.