



Gainesville Ballet Company's

THE LITTLE MERMAID

Sensory-Friendly Performance

50th
Season

March 21, 2025 at 11:30am

Dive into an undersea adventure in a Sensory-Friendly Environment!

The Gainesville Ballet Company is delighted to present its second Sensory-Friendly Performance this season with our retelling of Hans Christian Anderson's classic fairytale, The Little Mermaid. These performances are not just about the ballet, but about making everyone in our community feel included and valued, even those who may experience the world a little differently. GBC is proud to be the only company in Northeast Georgia currently offering these unique experiences!

What Makes This Performance Special?

- **Altered Lighting:** The lighting will be adjusted to create a more comfortable environment, minimizing the intensity of stage lights. House lights will also remain on and at a low level, never putting the audience in total darkness.
- **Reduced Sound Effects and Music:** Sound levels will be reduced to prevent overwhelming sensory experiences, for those sensitive to loud noises.
- **Slightly Altered Choreography:** Our dancers will perform with minor adjustments to the choreography, ensuring the performance remains gentle and considerate of all audience members. The run time will also be shortened.
- **Adjusted Seating Plan:** We've modified the seating assignments to ensure everyone has the space, comfort, and ease to enjoy the show fully. Families and individuals requiring extra room will find our seating plan exceptionally accommodating.

Reserve Your Tickets Today!

Spaces are limited, but we're committed to making this experience available to many. Reservations are offered on a first-come, first-served basis, ensuring an equal opportunity for all. Secure your reservation by contacting us at info@gbcdance.com or visiting gbcdance.com.

Ticket Prices:

- **Attendee Tickets:** \$10
- **Adult/Chaperone Tickets:** \$10

Reservation and Payment Process:

Completion of the reservation form is required but does not guarantee your reservation. The GBC Matinee Coordinator uses the information provided to generate an invoice for your group. Once GBC receives invoice payment, our Matinee Coordinator will email your field trip coordinator a receipt, reservation confirmation, arrival/parking instructions, and The Little Mermaid Lesson Plan. Bookings and reservations are based on seat availability.

Payment Information:

Mail checks to: Gainesville Ballet Company, P.O. Box 1663, Gainesville, GA 30503.

Pay by credit card: Call 770-866-5353.

Note: Tickets are non-refundable. Bookings are based on seat availability and are made on a first-come, first-served basis. Once payment is received, reservations cannot be altered.

Join us for this one-of-a-kind performance that aims to provide a welcoming and supportive environment where every family can enjoy a splashingly good time!