

**Elizabethtown College
ECDT
Constitution**

Article I: Name

The name of this organization shall be the Elizabethtown College Dance Team or the ECDT.

Article II: Mission

The ECDT serves as a way for the students of Elizabethtown College to express themselves through dance and hone their talents in a competitive nature. It also provides a way to better the members' physical and mental health.

Article III: Membership Eligibility

- A. All full-time students of Elizabethtown College, as defined by the Office of Registration and Records, shall be eligible to serve as members of the ECDT.
- B. A member must be in good academic and/or social standing at his/her time of acceptance to the team. Therefore, each member may not be on academic probation or any disciplinary sanction more severe than disciplinary probation as defined in the college catalog.
- C. The terms or membership in the ECDT shall be one academic semester.
- D. Once a member of the team each student has a month to succeed himself/herself.
- E. Eligibility of any ECDT member is subject to review by the ECDT board.

Article IV: Elections

- A. Each team will elect a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, choreographer, and historian to make up the officers of ECDT board.
- B. To become a member of the team each student must audition in front a board of at least two students.
- C. Each member of the ECDT board is elected annually.
- D. In order to be eligible to run for a spot on the ECDT board, you must have rising sophomore, rising junior, or rising senior status at the time of election.

Article V: ECDT Board Obligations/Duties

A. President

- a. The President shall call and preside over all meetings of the ECDT
- b. The President shall prepare an agenda before each meeting.
- c. The President shall be the spokesperson for the ECDT.
- d. The President shall be responsible for organizing at least 2 competitions per semester.

B. Vice-President

- a. The Vice-President shall preside over meetings of the ECDT in the absence of the President.
- b. The Vice-President shall organize, with the help of the club, at least 2 on campus events per semester.
- c. The Vice-President shall organize, with the help of the club, at least 2 fundraisers per semester.

C. Secretary

- a. The Secretary shall be responsible for recording and distributing the minutes and other pertinent information to all ECDT members and other necessary parties.
- b. The Secretary shall be responsible for roll call at each practice.
- c. The Secretary shall distribute updates of the ECDT directory to all ECDT members pending any changes.

D. Treasurer

- a. The Treasurer shall keep and report records of the ECDT's financial standing.
- b. The Treasurer shall attend Club Council and maintain contact with club representatives and Student Senate.
- c. The Treasurer shall okay or reject any request from the club for money.

E. Choreographer

- a. The Choreographer is responsible for being the main person behind the choreography.
- b. The Choreographer shall teach the dance to each member
- c. The Choreographer shall organize the audition board and aid in the formulation of the team.
- d. The Choreographer must choreograph at least one dance per semester.

F. Historian

- a. The Historian shall oversee the creation of the annual ECDT Scrapbook.
- b. The Historian is responsible to document the growth of the ECDT Club.

Article VI: Duties of the ECDT

- A. All ECDT Members must be in attendance at every class and if absent it is there responsibility to meet with the choreographer to catch up.

- B. Each ECDT Member is allowed two cuts per semester.
- C. All ECDT Members must attend all on campus events per semester. The only exceptions are sickness, work, or class.
- D. All ECDT Members must participate in at least one fundraising event per semester.
- E. All ECDT Members shall pay a membership fee of \$30.00 per semester.
- F. All ECDT Members must be able to attend EVERY competition.