

ACE Space - a multi-purpose rehearsal & performance facility in the heart of Birmingham's creative quarter.

'ACE Space' is a multi-purpose, newly refurbished rehearsal and performance facility in the heart of Birmingham and the home of contemporary dance company ACE dance and music. All our productions are created in our flexible studios, but our schedule means that we often have the space available for other companies to use.

'ACE Space' is an ideal environment for artists to develop or rehearse their work in a friendly environment. The space can also be transformed into a fully functional small scale theatre with raked seating, and is ideal for performances, conferences or training events.

We could not have been made to feel more welcome by the team at ACE. Having young people at the heart of what they do, the team completely understood and connected with our project. ACE is a fantastic facility and hub for young people and the community. We continue to stay in touch whenever we're in Birmingham.

Helen Prosser & Matthew BourneNew Adventures



FACILITIES

Our flexible space can be used as 1 large studio 16 metres by 13 metres, complete with sprung wooden floor and harlequin dance mats, or it can be split into 2 smaller spaces, each measuring 13 metres by 8 metres.

The space can be transformed into a fully functional small theatre, with raked seating for 120 people and a performance area of 13 metres by 9 metres. Alternatively we are licensed for up to 280 people in a flat floor configuration.

We have full black-out capability, a portable wall of mirrors for dance, a lighting rig with 60 dimmable channels, and excellent sound equipment.

Adjacent to the studios is a small kitchenette with fridge, kettle and microwave; 2 changing rooms, 5 toilets and 3 showers; fully accessible.

Upstairs we have a meeting room, for up to 10 people, with a projector and flipchart, and a green-room where hirers can relax.

'ACE Space' can be hired by the hour, day or week and we offer flexible rates.

Future Fit Training used the studio at ACE Dance and Music for a Pilate's course at very short notice. The staff were extremely helpful and accommodating and even sourced additional equipment for our course, which was above and beyond our expectations. We would thoroughly recommend this beautiful, bright and airy studio to anyone looking for a place to hire.

Tracey Hudson *Future Fit Training*



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Ground Floor Studios:

- Fully sprung floors with non-slip harlequin dance mats
- Full length portable mirrors
- Ballet bars
- Sound equipment: CD player and MP3
- Male & female accessible changing facilities with showers and toilets
- Power sockets: 14Wheelchair access: Yes
- Wifi: Yes

The space can be arranged in three ways:

- Large single space: 13m x 16m
- Two smaller spaces: Studio one: 13m x 8m; Studio two: 13m x 8m
- · Theatre configuration with raked seating

Theatre Configuration:

- Stage area 13m x 9m
- Full Blackout facilities
- ETC Element Lighting Desk
- Yamaha 02R Sound Desk
- Speakers and Sub
- 60 16 amp dimmable channels
- seats 120, raked and retractable





HOW TO FIND US



'ACE Space' is close to many amenities, including cafes, shops and public transport. We are 8 minutes walk from Digbeth Coach Station, 11 minutes walk from Birmingham Moor Street and 20 minutes walk from the main Birmingham New Street Station.

If you are driving, we also have free on street parking just outside.

To find out more please contact Iona Waite at ACE dance and music:

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The facilities are first class and the support and assistance provided by the entire ACE team are second to none. The atmosphere is always warm and welcoming and I firmly believe the new space is a creative hub which should be utilised by artists near and far-

Adam Rutherford RDC Dance Company







