

# ❖ Ella Berton

Nationality: French and American  
Bethesda, MD USA

## Current Education

**Walter Johnson High School**

**Current Grade:** 11<sup>th</sup> Grade (2023-2024)

**Rochambeau French International School**

**(Grades:** CM2/5<sup>th</sup> Grade to 6<sup>ème</sup>./6<sup>th</sup> Grade 2017-2019)

**French International School of Philadelphia**

**(Grades:** PK-3 to C.E./4<sup>th</sup> Grade Years 2010-2017)

## Current Ballet Training

**CityDance School & Conservatory -Full Merit Scholarship** (Lorraine Audeoud Spiegler, Artistic Director)

- Technique/Pointe Instruction (Vaganova-Stanislav Issaev) 6 days per week/13.5 hours total
- Contemporary Instruction 6 hours per week (Robert J. Priore, Micah Geyer)
- Private Coaching 5 hours per week (Stanislav Issaev/Irina Wunder)
- Private Strength Coaching 2 hours per week (ProAction Therapy/Gyrotonic)

## Summer Intensive (SI) Ballet Training

- Summer 2019-2024- **American Ballet Theatre (ABT) SI**, NYC 5-week Program (Director- Kate Lydon)
- Summers 2016-2018 **Paris Opera SI**, Paris France (Director- Elizabeth Platel)
- Summers 2016-2018 **ABT Young Dancer SI**, NYC (Director- Kate Lydon)

## Awards/Achievements

- 2023 **USA International Ballet Competition** (Jackson IBC Candidate/Competitor)
- 2019-2023 **American Ballet Theatre (ABT) National Training Scholar** (Full Summer Scholarship & Stipend)
- 2023 **YAGP Chicago Semi-Final 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Senior Classical** Invited to Finals