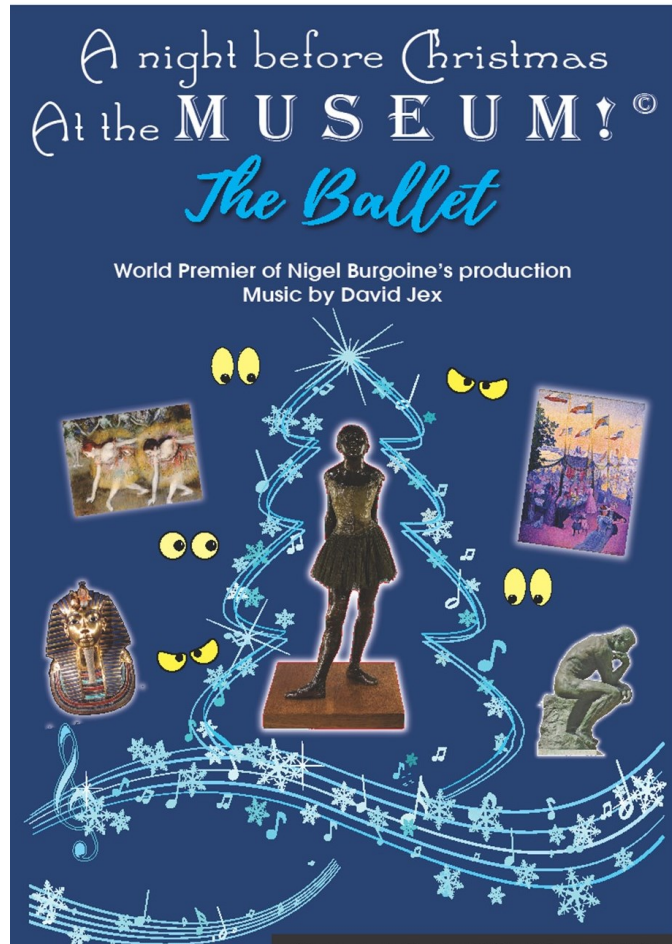


**We are no longer accepting registrations for the 10:00am performance. No sales at the door. Consider attending Fri 7pm or Saturday 2pm**



## ***A Night Before Christmas At the Museum***

### **School performance**

Friday, November 10, 2023 at 10:00am  
Valentine Theatre

Fee: \$7 per student, teacher, or chaperone  
(minimum order of 10 tickets)

For tickets or questions: Ballet Theatre of Toledo  
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## ***A Night Before Christmas At the Museum*** ***Ballet Synopsis***

What happens when the magic of Christmas brings the paintings and sculptures of the Toledo Museum of Art to life? An incredible adventure, of course! While visiting the museum, a young girl named Florence discovers a miniature ballerina statue in a gift bag. To Florence's astonishment, the statue of the Little Dancer opens its eyes and comes to life! The Little Dancer leads Florence on an amazing journey through the museum. In the Classic Court, Florence meets the beautiful Queen Nefertiti and a mummy who turns out to be not at all scary! She is swept into a whirlwind of fun among the jugglers and acrobats at a fair. She questions The Thinker to test how smart he really is. She joins in a game of blind-man's bluff with a young couple in love. She dances a hornpipe with Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry and plays with a delightful girl and her pet bird and dog. In the Asia gallery, she is entranced by the graceful dance of the Indian goddess Parvati. After her experience, Florence has a whole new appreciation for art, and your students will, too!

This enchanting ballet will feature original choreography by Ballet Theatre of Toledo's Artistic Director Nigel Burgoine, live performance of composer Dr. David Jex's original score, and professional sets and costumes. The accompanying Study Guide provides engaging lesson plans aligned with Ohio Fine Art Standards for dance, drama, music, and visual art.

### **Featured Art Works**

#### **Study for a Little Dancer Aged 14**

Edgar Degas, 1919-1921, Bronze Sculpture, Gallery 35 (Europe 1800s and Impressionism)

#### **Fragment of a Relief: Nefertiti Offering to the Aten,**

Dynasty 18, 1353-1336 BCE, Sculpture - Limestone Relief, The Classic Court

#### **At The Fair**

Henri Edmond Cross, 1896, Painting, Gallery 35 (Europe, 1800s and Impressionism)

#### **The Thinker**

Auguste Rodin, 1880-1881, Bronze Sculpture, Gallery 32 (Europe, 1800s and Impressionism)

#### **Blind-Man's Bluff**

Jean-Honoré Fragonard, 1750-1752, Painting, Gallery 26 (Europe, Baroque and Rococo, 1600-1800)

#### **Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry**

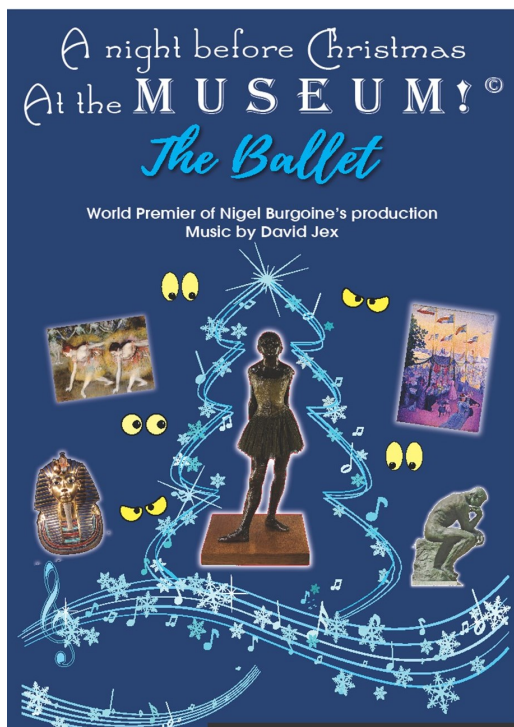
Jane Stuart and Gilbert Stuart, 1818-1828, Painting, Gallery 29 (America 1700-1900)

#### **Young Lady with a Bird and a Dog**

John Singleton Copley, 1767, Painting, Gallery 29 (America 1700-1900)

#### **Parvati**

Chola Dynasty, 1150-1200, Bronze Sculpture, Gallery 30 (Asia)





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*School Performance: Friday, November 10, 2023, 10:00am*  
**Valentine Theatre**  
(Groups of 10 or more)

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