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So You Think You Can Dance was started by American Idol producer Simon Fuller and Nigel Lythgoe. It was aired on July 20, 2005. 19Entertainment and Dick Clark Productions produced the programme. The very first season was hosted by Lauren Sanchez, America news personality.

This show is a dance competition that is broadcasted on Fox in United States. The contestants are selected from different US cities and with a tiring procedure the group has to move to different cities to take auditions to select the best dancers who can form a part of the programme. After checking their dance it's time to select the best person with unique qualities, style and talent. People selected in this round are put through another round to test their ability to adapt to a new style of dance. After the whole session, the list of selected contestants is reduced and then these contestants face the main phase of the competition. They have to perform different styles in dance like solo, duet and group dance. The contestants are selected by judges every week who will move further but need audience vote. According to the format 20 contestants are added to the competition. The winner of the show in the end will be rewarded with a cash prize of \$250,000 and other awards along with the title of "America's Favourite Dancer".

The show had total eight seasons and during these eight seasons Nick Lazzarini, Benjamin, Schwimmer, Sabra Johnson, Joshua Allen, Jeanine Mason, Russell Ferguson, Lauren Froderman and Melanie Moore were the winners for the show. The judges during the season were not the same for all the seasons but 2-3 were permanent which includes executive producer Nigel Lythgoe, he was the one who was the judge for all the seasons other judges include Mary Murphy, Adam Shankman and Mia Michaels.

During the eight seasons, the programme has started many different dance styles in their routine. Four major styles were Western contemporary/ classical styles, ballroom style, street style and Jazz. Many other different styles were performed but these four have been seen performing in routine.

The series receives 10 million viewers in 2005. In 2009 the show got a 3.4 rating and got a 4 rating on Dance. During July 2010 the series got 5.6 million viewers. After the seventh season Mary Murphy will replace the judge of the show Mia Michaels, with this change the rating of the show was increased and over five million viewers were watching the show in 2011. This programme became adults No. 1 rated show.

The series received numerous nominations every year from 2007- 2011 and got many awards for Outstanding Choreographer, Outstanding Costumes for a Variety, Music Program or a Special, Music or Comedy Series, Choice Summer Series and Choice TV Breakout Show. It has won seven Emmy Awards for Outstanding Choreography and total nine Emmy awards in all.

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