

# Yeh Ballet

***Yeh Ballet*** (lit. 'This Ballet') is a [Netflix Original Film](#) written and directed by [Sooni Taraporevala](#) and produced by [Siddharth Roy Kapur](#). The film features two newcomers—[Achintya Bose](#) as [Amiruddin Shah](#), and [Manish Chauhan](#) portraying Nishu (character based on his own life), as the leads. The film also stars [Julian Sands](#), [Jim Sarbh](#), [Danish Husain](#), [Vijay Maurya](#), [Heeba Shah](#), and [Kalyanee Mulay](#). The film is streaming now on [Netflix](#). The film is a fictionalized version of a short documentary by Taraporevala by the same name.

## Plot

Discovered by an eccentric ballet master, two gifted but underprivileged Mumbai teens face bigotry and disapproval as they pursue their dancing dreams.<sup>[2]</sup>

## Cast

- [Julian Sands](#) as Saul Aron
- [Achintya Bose](#) as Asif
- [Manish Chauhan](#) as Nishu
- [Jim Sarbh](#) as Academy Head
- [Danish Husain](#) as Asif's father
- [Vijay Maurya](#) as Nishu's father
- [Heeba Shah](#) as Asif's mother
- [Kalyanee Mulay](#) Nishu's mother
- [Sasha Shetty](#) as Nina
- [Purva Barve](#) as Nishu's sister
- [Mekhola Bose](#) as Asha
- [Mikhail Yawalkar](#) as Arjun
- [Nizamuddin Shah](#) as Asif's brother
- [Sarah-Jane Dias](#) as show judge (Special appearance)
- [Boman Irani](#) as show judge (Special appearance)
- [Rahul Khanna](#) as show judge (Special appearance)

## Release

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Written by	<a href="#">Sooni Taraporevala</a>
Produced by	<a href="#">Siddharth Roy Kapur</a>
Starring	<a href="#">Julian Sands</a> <a href="#">Achintya Bose</a> <a href="#">Manish Chauhan</a>
Cinematography	<a href="#">Kartik Vijay</a>
Edited by	<a href="#">Antara Lahiri</a>
Production company	<a href="#">Roy Kapur Films</a> <sup>[1]</sup>
Distributed by	<a href="#">Netflix</a>
Release date	21 February 2020
Running time	117 min
Language	Hindi

*Yeh Ballet* was released on Netflix on 21 February 2020.<sup>[3][4]</sup>

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