

# La MaMa

Experimental Theatre Club  
presents:

## Tawasol

### Dabke presentation and Workshop

By Members of El-Funoun



The Downsatirs  
66 East 4th Street, NYC, 10003  
October 10- 12, 2025

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### **El-Funoun Palestinian Dance Troupe**

Widely considered the lead Palestinian dance company in Palestine and the diaspora, El-Funoun was established in 1979 by a small group of enthusiastic, creative and committed artists. The Troupe has developed an innovative style of dance deeply-rooted in Palestinian and Arab folklore and informed by elements of contemporary dance movement. The Troupe's repertoire includes 16 major dance productions and over 1,500 performances throughout historic Palestine, regionally, and internationally. In Palestine, El-Funoun has developed a school for contemporary Palestinian dance, training hundreds annually. It has carried out dabke workshops throughout the West Bank, in the Arab world and internationally.

Sustained almost entirely by volunteers for decades, El-Funoun is a non-profit dance company with close to 300 members. El-Funoun's mission is to revive and innovate Palestinian music, song and dance.

**Special thanks to**  
**La MaMa Theatre, Amplify Palestine**  
**and Dancers for Palestine**

A full program with information on this production can be found on the **Tawasol** page of the La MaMa website.

In addition you can scan the QR code Poster located in the theatre lobby for access to the digital program.

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