



Certificate II in Dance

The Dance program involves accredited training which aims to provide students with technical and performance skills as well as the knowledge to establishing a career within the entertainment industry. The program involves group and solo performances.

It enables students to develop the knowledge and skills to participate in a variety of dance routines and leads to further education and training in the performing arts industry. Units 1 and 2 include developing basic levels of physical condition for dance performance and basic dance techniques, sourcing information on the history and theory of dance and applying it to students own area of work. Units 3 and 4 involves students sourcing and applying entertainment industry knowledge, preparing for a dance performance, refining basic dance techniques, applying basic dance techniques for performances.

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Time | Venue

Sandringham College (7- 10 Campus) - Bluff Road, Highett

First year Wednesday 8:45am – 12:15pm

Second year Wednesday 1.30 – 5.00pm

Duration

2 years

Work placement

Students will gain industry exposure through industry tours and guest speaker opportunities.

Selection Criteria

Recommended that students have prior dance experience.

Student suitability decided by home school/ referral by home school to program.

Mandatory Information Night at Sandringham College. Interview to discuss program expectations and student suitability.

Students may be required to audition and provide details or documentation of current or previous training. The Trainer will contact students to organise this process

Sample Program Outline

Source and apply industry knowledge

Apply basic First Aid

Develop a basic level of physical condition for dance performance.

Develop basic dance techniques

Source information on history and theory and apply it to own area of work

Prepare self for a dance performance

Refine basic dance techniques

Apply basic dance techniques for performances

Materials

Students will be expected to have dance clothes including appropriate footwear selected for selected dance styles.

Basic stationery is required for written components

Contribution

VCAL counts towards Industry Related Skills strand

VCE - eligible for VCE VET units 1-4 and a study score contributing to the ATAR

Future Employment Opportunities

Dancer, Performer, and Choreographer.