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RACE DANCE & DANCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Year 4-12, 2025
 Application Form

STUDENT INFORMATION		
APPLICANT	Full Name:	Age:
PARENT/GUARDIAN	Full Name:	
Postal Address:		
Telephone Number:		Mobile Number:
Email Address:		
STUDENT APPLICATION INFORMATION		
What school do you attend?		
What year level are you currently enrolled in?		
COURSE INFORMATION		
<p>Dance Development Program (Years 4 – 8) - \$150 per annum The Dance Development Program at Redlynch State College serves as a vital link for students wishing to enhance their technique and dance skills, providing a unique opportunity for students to explore and enhance their passion for dance, regardless of their current skill level. RSC views the program as a valuable opportunity for your child to nurture their dance development and readiness for potential progression within the RACE Dance courses at our college.</p> <p><i>Program Objectives:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Skill Development: The program focuses on nurturing and developing the skills and techniques of students. Talent Identification and growth: Identifying students with potential for dance development, providing them with the support needed to progress. Inclusive Learning Environment: Creating a welcoming atmosphere where students feel comfortable expressing their love for dance and provided non-competitive performance opportunities, developing confidence. <p>Redlynch Arts Course of Excellence (R.A.C.E.) Dance (Years 6 – 12) - \$300 per annum The RACE Dance Program is a highly sought-after program for students with exceptional talent in the field of dance at RSC. The aim of the RACE Dance Program is to support the pursuit of dance as a performing art, providing students with opportunities to extend and enrich their dance education at an accelerated pace. This is a course for gifted and talented students.</p> <p><i>Program Objectives</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Skill Enhancement: Advance students' contemporary and jazz techniques, focusing on skill development through exposure to experienced tutors/teachers and the international dance technique syllabus. Talent Extension: Identify and support exceptional dance talent, helping students progress and excel in their dance education. Competitive Opportunities: Provide opportunities for students to compete at regional and potentially state levels, promoting growth through performance challenges. Holistic Growth: Encourage personal and artistic growth, building resilience, teamwork, and confidence. 		

Please select the dance course of your preference in 2025 (you may select more than one program where applicable):

- Dance Development Program - (Years 4 - 7)
- RACE Dance – Intermediate (Streamlined 6 - 12)
- RACE Dance – Senior (Streamlined 8 - 12)

How many years have you been studying dance?

- 1-3
- 4-6
- 7-9
- 10+

Do you study dance as a school subject?

- Yes
- No
- Not offered

Do you study dance outside of school?

- Yes
- No

In what styles of dance are you trained?

(You can select more than one style.)

- Contemporary
- Ballet
- Jazz
- Tap
- Musical theatre
- Hip hop
- Cultural
- Other...

Summary of dance experience

Please provide a brief summary of your previous dance experience, including studio/school groups, performance, workshops and qualifications e.g. RAD Ballet – Grade 4.

I _____ (student name) intend to be enrolled at Redlynch State College for the duration of 2025. I acknowledge the annual program fees are non-refundable Term 1, 2025.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

- Copy of the applicant's most recent report card. Please ensure it provides the applicant's results for: Math, English, classroom Dance (if applicable) Effort, Behaviour and Attendance data.
- A short paragraph, attached to the application, outlining the personal strengths you can offer the RACE/ Dance Development program.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO Samantha Parkinson by Monday 4th November 2024.

- Email: smpar2@eq.edu.au
- In person: at the Secondary Campus Administration office
- Post: RACE Dance, c/o Ms Samantha Parkinson, RSC Po Box 326, Redlynch, QLD, 4870

AUDITION INFORMATION

1. Students must complete the application form to attend the live audition.
2. Students will attend a live audition outside school hours at the Large Auditorium, Secondary Campus (RSC) between 7:30am – 8:30am on Monday 11 (Years 4 to 7) and Monday 18 (Years 8 to 12) November, 2024.
3. Selected students may be required to attend a call-back audition during school hours at the Large Auditorium, Secondary Campus (RSC). Call-back date/time TBC.
4. Students will be informed of their audition day/time via email.
5. Students will be informed of their audition result from Monday 25 November via email.
6. If successful, the ensembles rehearse weekly on Monday, Tuesday or Friday between 7:30am – 8:30am in the Large Auditorium, Secondary Campus (RSC), during school term, and will commence in February 2025. Ensemble rehearsal days will be determined once teacher timetables for 2025 are confirmed.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Current RACE students are all required to audition unless, based on level of achievement post Showcase, teacher has granted automatic eligibility to RACE class 2025. Please check with your teachers.

Students are required to wear comfortable, fitted clothing and to bring sufficient amounts of water.

The audition process will be conducted by RACE Dance Teachers and the HOD of Performing Arts Mr. Robert Crookes. A 2025 dance tutor may be invited to attend and participate to assist the audition process.

The audition will involve teacher led technique/skills exercises and choreographic sequences. The styles covered may include Ballet, Contemporary and Jazz dance. The criteria which the audition team are looking for includes the student's demonstration of:

- Technical skills (e.g. alignment, control, coordination, turns, balances, falls, jumps, etc.)
- Expressive Skills (e.g. musicality, focus, quality of line, use of dynamics, etc.)

Intermediate and Senior RACE Dance ensembles are streamlined on technical and expressive ability of individual students, as well as best fit for a balanced dance troupe.