2025 PRE-SCHOOL DANCE PROGRAM PARENT INFORMATION

WELCOME



Welcome to our Pre-school Dance Program at Evolve Performing Arts. Our passionate teaching team lead our classes with joy, patience and expertise.

As a mum of a 5-year-old dancer myself, I'm passionate about offering a boutique program that combines proper training with imaginative fun, tailored perfectly for this special age group.

Jess

CLASS TYPES

2-3 YEAR OLDS 'TODDLER'

- A fun and interactive Dance & Acrobatics class.
- After 30 minutes of Dance, classes finish with a fun Acrobatics circuit (like gymnastics).
- A parent or guardian is required to be in the classroom, to assist their child.
- Ages 2 to 3 years.

3-5 YEAR OLDS 'KINDER'

- An instructive and imaginative dance class focusing on the development of dance technique, posture, musicality and more.
- Students learn Ballet and Jazz dance styles.
- All classes finish with an Acrobatics circuit (like gymnastics).
- Children attend independently, without a parent to assist. Don't worry, parents are able wait outside the classroom.
- Ages 3 to 5 years generally for children who attend 3 or 4 year old Kinder in 2025, as well as 3 year olds who can participate independently without a parent.



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CLASS TIMES - NARRE WARREN

TODDLER (2-3 YRS) Monday 10:30am-11:15am (with parent/guardian)

KINDER (3-4 YRS)

Monday 9:30am-10:15am (3-4 years) Monday 11:30am-12:15pm (4-5 years) Wednesday 4:30pm-5:15pm (3-5 years) Thursday 9:30am-10:15am (3-4 years) Thursday 10:30am-11:15am (4-5 years) Saturday 9:15-10:00am (3-4 years) Saturday 10:15-11:00am (3-5 years) Saturday 11:15am-12:00pm (3-5 years) *class times subject to change

ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE

There is an Annual Registration fee of \$40 per student, paid upfront at the time of booking. This includes a **free teddy bear**!

CLASS FEES

Toddler \$18.50 per class (paid by the term) Kinder \$20 per class (paid by the term)

- Fees are paid by term upfront
- A weekly payment plan option is available
- All fee payments are direct debited
- Fees include GST
- Fees are non-refundable/transferable
- Fees include end of year concert costs medal, professional video and photos of the concert

2025 TERM DATES

Term 1 - Mon 3rd February to Sat 5th April

- Term 2 Tues 22nd April to Sat 5th July
- Term 3 Mon 21st July to Sat 20th September

Term 4 - Mon 6th October to Sat 13th December

*no classes on public holidays or Monday before Cup Day

PERFORMANCES / CONCERT

Berwick Show - Sunday February 23rd (optional) Concert - Sunday 23rd November @ Bunjil place (highly recommended)

REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR 2025

https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/evolveperformingarts



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TODDLER CLASS UNIFORM

• Students and parents do not require a specific uniform, however, most students will wear comfortable clothing or a Ballet outfit of their choice with Ballet shoes.

KINDER CLASS UNIFORM

DRESS

- The required uniform is the Evolve Performing Arts pink dress with sparkles!
- Purchase in person or online, evolvemelbourne.com/shop
- A male uniform is also available.

BALLET SHOES

- Brand Energetiks
- Colour Pink
- Style Split sole or full sole

Students require Ballet shoes. These can be purchased from 'Energetiks' dance shop at Fountain Gate.

Please do not purchase shoes from department stores such as K-Mart etc as these are not the required quality.

TIGHTS

- Brand Energetiks
- Colour Theatrical Pink
- Style Footed or Convertible

Students require Ballet tights. These are optional in Summer.

Tights can be purchased from 'Energetiks' dance shop at Fountain Gate, or from our office.

JUMPER/JACKETS

- If you would like your child to wear a jumper in their class, the only permitted options are the Evolve Performing Arts options.
- View our pre-school jumpers/crossovers via our uniform shop in person or online.
- No other jackets, skivvies, or jumpers permitted.

HAIRSTYLES & JEWELLERY

- Please tie long hair up into a neat hairstyle. A Ballet bun is super cute.
- Please use a headband or clip back the front section of hair, if hair is too short for a ponytail.
- Matching hair accessories can also be worn.
- Please remove watches or large/bulky jewellery for safety reasons.

SECONDHAND UNIFORM

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OPPORTUNITIES

END OF YEAR CONCERT

Sunday 23rd November at Bunjil place.

- Pre-school students are encouraged to participate in our Annual Showcase, however, it is optional.
- Students who pursue this opportunity get the opportunity to dance on stage in a special dance costume.
- Make up is not required.
- No additional participation/video/photo fees!
- Tickets costs are additional.
- One costume is required per child, approx \$60. Students get to keep their costume.

FAQ'

CAN MY CHILD ATTEND A TRIAL CLASS FIRST?

- Yes. We offer trial classes where your child can attend a class, without any commitment.
- Trial classes can be booked 7 days before the trial class date.
- Please note that trials can only take place if there is a vacancy in the class.
- Trial classes cost \$18.50 (Toddler) and \$20 (Kinder) and payment is required at the time of the booking.

HOW CAN I ENROL?

• You can register here, <u>https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/evolveperformingarts</u>

CAN I GET A REFUND?

- Fees are non-refundable.
- Class fees are paid upfront by the term and cancellation can only occur once a term is complete.
- Fees are also not transferable or able to be credited.

CAN I ATTEND A MAKE-UP CLASS?

• One make-up class booking is permitted per term, for pre-school classes - where vacancies permit.

COMPETITIONS, EXAMS & MORE

As students progress during their journey at Evolve Performing Arts, there are many opportunities that they may wish to pursue once they are of school age. These include:

- Ballet Exams Cecchetti
- Dance Competitions
- Professional work in TV, film or Musical Theatre (through a Talent Agent)

CAN PARENTS WATCH THE CLASS?

- In our 'Toddler' classes, a parent is required to participate in the class with their child. Any additional parents or grandparents are able to watch through the small viewing window only.
- For our 'Kinder' classes, we have a small viewing window where parents can see what's happening in the class.
- We value giving children the opportunity to bond with their teacher and develop a sense of independence. This is best achieved without an audience or distractions, therefore we do not encourage parents to stand and watch the entire class.

CAN I DROP OFF AND PICK UP?

- For our Kinder class, absolutely!
- You're welcome to pop out for some 'me' time during class time, please just let the teacher know at the beginning of the class and ensure that your child will not need to use the bathroom while you're gone.

<u>CLICK HERE TO REGISTER</u> <u>YOUR CHILD</u>

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