

# 2025 STUDIO HANDBOOK





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# **NEW IN 2025!**

#### **NEW CLASSES**

In 2025, we have new classes added to the schedule. We have added Tap which will be taught via the *Glenn Wood Tap* Syllabus. We have also added in a Technique Class for all Performance Team members which can be found on page 8. Preschoolers now have new class options to choose from this year and an extra Tiny Tots class joins the timetable!

#### **HELLO MISS LAUREN**

Officially joining the teaching team is Miss Lauren who we all know and love! You may see her as your new teacher this year but don't worry I'll still be around for all your classes!

#### **CONCERT SOLOS**

We have the option for students to perform solos and duets in our Mid Year and Christmas Concerts. Spots are limited.

#### **NEW STUDIO COMMUNICATION APP**

In 2025 the studio will swap over to BAND as our main source of communication instead of our facebook group and email. An access link will be provided to all parents/ guardians when you have enrolled at the studio.

#### STUDENT HELPERS

One last thing we are bringing to the studio is introducing Student Helpers! This is offered to students who are aged 10+ and will get the role of joining along in our younger classes to assist during the lesson.



# A YEAR AT OUR STUDIO...

At Studio 8:1 Dance we like to offer as many opportunities through out our year for our students. Below doesn't mention every event as things pop up at different times, but this is our main structure of the year! Parents & Guardians will receive termly newsletters reminding you of all the upcoming events.



#### Term One:

At the beginning of our year students will begin the learning the foundations of their classes and start learning their routines for our mid year concert. We also have an Easter Week the final class before the break.

**TERM ONE** 



During the second term we have our <u>Dance For Sick Kids</u> fundraiser and start to primarily prepare for the Mid Year Dance Concert held in June. Competition students will prepare for the Burnie Eisteddfods which occur in the term holidays.



**TERM TWO** 



#### Term Three:

Our third term sees us switch modes and begin preparing for our next show. Students will continue working through their syllabus and begin learning routines for the Holiday Spectacular! Competition Team students will also compete in the <u>Devonport Eisteddfods</u> this Term.

#### Term Four:

Hold on to your hats- Term four finishes strong! Students will have their Photo Day this term along with final concert preparations including studio rehearsal week, Tech Rehearsals and of course finish with our Holiday Spectacular Concert. The studio will also participate in local events such as the Christmas Parade. Phew! Then we get to do it all over agin in the next year!



# LITTLE ONES



Our Tiny Tots Classes is for our littles of dancers! This class runs for 30 minutes where we dance to popular tunes from favourite tv shows, dance with props all whilst encouraging development in cognitive & fine motor skills, spacial awareness, imagination, and of course introduce them to the world of dance. Dancers can be seen to develop skills in jumping, hopping, basic dance technique, balance and co-ordination.

Tiny Tots have the option of performing in our studio concerts. Dancers will have the opportunity to dance on stage with their teacher in beautiful costumes!

**30 MIN CLASS** 

AGES 3-4







Our Giggle, Groove & Climb Class is our newest class for our tots. Its a 30 minute class where students get to learn tumbling, get to play climb and discover on equipment and of course have a dance to popular songs they all know and love. This class is designed as a bridging course into our Tiny Tots class as it slowly introduces class room structure and development in gross motor skills.

30 MIN CLASS

AGES 2-4

# PRESCHOOL DANCE CLASSES

We have exciting changes for our Preschoolers in 2025! Our Preschool Program opens up to new styles and classes for our young dancers to begin exploring. After the success of our Tumble Tots (Acro) Introduction in 2024, we have created a seperate full length class for 2025. We have also added a new Combo Class where students will learn both Jazz & Tap in their lesson and get to perform 2 routines, (1 of each style) in the concert. Our regular Lyrical & Jazz Combo class still remains also. So many new pathways for our little groovers!

# **2025 CLASS OPTIONS**

# JAZZ & LYRICAL COMBO

In this class students will have the opportunity to learn both Jazz and Lyrical. Students will learn 2 routines for the concerts in each of these styles. To see a description of all the dance styles please read our next page.

**30MIN CLASS** 

# **ACRO CLASS**

For the kiddos that love to bend, roll and tumble! we have a full length acro class for preschoolers. Students will perform 1 acrobatic based number in both of our concerts.

**30MIN CLASS** 



# JAZZ & TAP COMBO

In this class students will have the opportunity to learn both Jazz and Tap. This class is a little longer to account for shoe changes overs. Students will learn 2 routines for their concerts in each of their styles.

45MIN CLASS



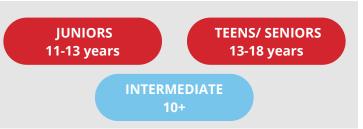




# **2025 CLASS OPTIONS**

Our studio classes are mostly divided by age group, but in our new classes such as Acro and Tap we split by level set by syllabuses. Below is a guide to age groups and classes for 2025. Students may fall into other levels/age groups due to ability level, experience etc.





#### **CLASS COSTS**

All Studio Classes are 45minutes and cost \$110 per Term. Class Combination prices are as follows:

2 Classes	3 Classes	4 Classes	
\$230 per Term*	\$330 per Term*	\$400 per Term*	*Not in-conjunction with the Pom Class

#### **JAZZ CLASS**

Full of character and style! A great class choice for beginners and experienced dancers. Students learn a mix of modern and traditional jazz steps and styles and learn to kick, leap, turn and jump.

**CLASSES IN AGE GROUPS** 

#### LYRICAL CLASS

An emotional and story telling based style of dance. Student in this class will learn how to dance softly whilst learning how to interpret music with their movement. Students learn a mix of modern ballet through this class.

**CLASSES IN LEVELS** 

#### **ACRO CLASS**

For those who love to be upside down! Acro is one of our most popular classes with in the studio and is full of fun. We follow the *The Acrobatic Dance Association* Syllabus where student learn to bend, tumble and stretch!

## **TAP CLASS**

New in 2025, the studio now offers tap via the *Glenn Wood Tap Syllabus*.

Tap teaches students to listen to music and co-ordinate their feet accordingly. With a mix of barre and routine work tap is full of noise and fun!

**CLASSES IN LEVELS** 

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# **PERFORMANCE TEAM**

At Studio 8:1 we pride ourselves on given students ample opportunity to improve, grow and experience new things. Students enrolled in any of the following are considered apart of our Performance Team and get extra opportunities to perform when they arise.

# **CONCERT SOLOS**

Students have the opportunity to perform solos in the Studios Mid Year and End of Year Concerts. Concert Solos are a great stepping stone to building confidence to join the competition team.

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- 1 Weekly Private Lesson
- Enrolment into the Studio Technique Class
- Costume Hire for al Events
- Private Time Slot on Photo Day

# **COMPETITION TEAM**

We love to offer our student new opportunities to learn & • perform in. Students can compete in local eisteddfods and competitions representing the studio. Its a great way to expand a dancers knowledge and experience.

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- 1 Weekly Private Lesson
- Enrolment into the Studios *Technique Class*
- Cover for Competition Entry Fees (Eisteddfods Only)
- Costume Hire for all Competition & Events
- Private Time Slot on Photo Day

# **TECHNIQUE CLASS**

For students looking to continuing growing and improving their technique, we have opened an extra class to work on conditioning, strength work, flexibility but also to work on turns, leaps & jumps. This class is open to all ages from minis up but is a class where we break a sweat. All Pom and competition students are automatically enrolled in this class. Students are welcome to drop in to this class for an extra skill boost.

# **POM SQUAD**

Pom Dance is primarily Jazz based but is heavy in formations sharp lines and energy- and yes you dance with Pom Poms! In 2025 we have updated our syllabus to include an extension acro class which is mentioned on the side. Students learn teamwork, performance skills and of course technique. This year our pom class will appear as 2 classes on the timetable- Pom & Technique Class as all pom students will be enrolled in this. Don't worry they both occur on the same lesson day. Our Pom Squad will have the opportunity again to cheer on the Everyday Lions Running events held across Devonport through out the year. In 2025 Our Pom Squad will have the opportunity to compete in the Infinite Spirit All Stars Competition held in Hobart in November. This is a competition for Cheer, Pom and Dance. Pricing and further information will be released during the year! \*Competition Team Members will have the chance to be involved also.



**Hobart 1st November 2025** 

More info to come...



**NEW** 

Pom has an option to add an acro class to the class package. Students who are enrolled in Pom and Acro will learn skills they can apply to their routines such as tumbling passes etc. This class appears on our timetable as Intermediate Acro.



# STUDIO UNIFORM

Uniforms are a pivotal part of being apart of a club, our studio has an <u>all black</u> dress code for lessons we ask that students wear any of the following:

- Leotard
- Dance Dresses
- Shorts
- Leggings
- Singlets
- Crop Top
- Long Sleeves



We ask that Acro Students wear tight clothing and avoid wearing any type of loose garments and hoodies as this can become a hazard when being assisted in tricks.

The studio sells a range of dance wear but is only offered at the beginning of the year or during special order times. Dance shoes and Studio Jackets are available all year round.

#### **CLASS FOOTWEAR**

TINYTOTS	PRESCHOOL	JAZZ & POM CLASSES	LYRICAL CLASSES	TAP CLASSES	ACRO CLASSES
Tiny Tots: Pink Ballet Flats or Bare Feet. Giggle, Groove & Climb: Bare Feet	Jazz/Lyrical: Tan Jazz Shoes Tap: Tan Mary Jane Tap shoes. velcro preferred Acro: Bare Feet	Tan Slip On Jazz Shoes	Either: Tan Jazz Slip On Jazz Shoes, Lyrical turners or bare feet.	Tan Mary Jane Tap Shoes	Bare feet only

#### ALL SHOES CAN BE PURCHASED FROM THE STUDIO.

Other reputable brands for dance shoes and apparel include: *Energetiks, Bloch, Capezio and Slick Dancewear*.



# TIMETABLE & TERM DATES

DAY	TIME	CLASS
	3:30-4:00	Giggle, Groove & Climb
	4:15-5:00	Preschool Tap & Jazz Combo
	5:00-5:30	Tap - Beginner
MONDAY	5:30-6:00	Tap - Level 3
	3:30-4:00	Tinytots A
	4:15-4:45	Preschool A - Jazz& Lyrical
	4:45-5:15	Preschool Acro
TUESDAY	5:15-6:00	Junior & Teen Jazz
	3:30-4:15	Acro - Beginner
	4:15-5:15	Pom Squad Blue
VV	5:15-6:15	Pom Squad Red
WEDNESDAY	6:15-7:15	Acro - Intermediate
	3:30-4:00	Tinytots B
	4:00-4:45	Minis Jazz
	4:45-5:30	Lyrical
THURSDAY	5:30-6:15	Pre Junior Jazz

# 2025 DANCE TERM & TUITION DUE DATES

TERM 1	10th Feb – 11th Apr	Term 1 Tuition: 28th Feb
TERM 2	28th Apr - 4th Jul	Term 2 Tuition: 16th May (Costume Hire Added)
TERM 3	21st Jul – 26th Sep	Term 3 Tuition: 8th Aug
TERM 4	13th Oct – 18th Dec	Term 4 Tuition: 31st Oct (Costume Hire Added)

# **PRICING STRUCTURE**

The studio invoices tuition the week before the term commencement. Term Tuition is due week 3 via any of the below sources. Enrolment Fees are paid on enrolment. Costume hire for our Concerts are billed alongside tuition in the term the concert is being held in. The studio offers payment plans on enquiry.

**CLASS PRICING IS PER TERM EXCEPT WHERE LISTED** 

ADMIN FEES	
Enrolment Fee Per Student:	\$45
Enrolment Fee Tiny Tots:	\$30
Costume Hire (Per Costume):	\$35

LITTLE ONES	
Tiny Tots/ Giggle Groove & Climb	\$105.50

PRESCHOOL		
Combo Classes	\$105.50	
Acro Class	\$105.50	
Combo & Acro Class	\$175	

STUDIO CLAS	SES
1 Class	\$121
2 Classes	\$230
3 Classes	\$330
4 Classes	\$400

PERFORMANCE TEAM/ COMPETITION TEAM		
Pom Squad	\$130	
Pom Squad & Acro	\$225	
Concert Solo	\$170 (Flat Fee)	
Competition Solo	\$200 (Flat Fee)	

PRIVATES		
20min Private (Must be organised 1 week in advanced)	\$20 per session	

UPDATED AS OF JULY 2025
PRICING NOW INCLUDES GST

# TUITION & PAYMENT INFORMATION









#### **OVERDUE TUITION/FEES**

There is an Overdue Payments Fee of \$10 for invoices that are not paid by the due date. This will lapse each week until Week 5 of the Term. Once this date has been reached and the invoice is not paid, the student/s may no longer attend class until fees are cleared. This may affect their position in the class if the fees are unpaid for a substantial amount of time.

# STUDIO POLICIES

### **FEES & PAYMENT**

- 1. Fees must be paid by the end of the business week of Week 3 of the term (dates below). A late fee of \$10 will be added per each week the fee is not paid.
- 2. Any student whose fees are not paid by Week 5 will not be able to continue with class until remaining fees are paid.
- 3. Any classes missed by the student will not be reimbursed.
- 4. Any withdrawals made before or during Week 4 of the term will only need to pay the attended classes. Any withdrawals after Week 4 will need to pay the Full-Term Fee.
- 5. If the Term fee has been paid by the student and the student can no longer complete the term due to a <u>medical condition</u>, the remaining class fees will be refunded at the studios discretion.
- 6. Any classes cancelled unexpectedly by the Studio will be reimbursed if a replacement lesson can't be made. This does not include Public Holidays. Tuition paid by Ticket to Play will not have their class refunded.
- 7. Costume Fees will be added to invoices during the year. Due dates will be advised by the studio as soon as possible. The \$10 late fee also applies to costume payments.
- 8. Costumes are the studios property, any unreasonable damage made to the costumes in the students will have a damage fee of set by the studio. This includes pom uniforms.
- 9. Enrolment Fees are non-refundable.
- 10. Term fees remain the same despite some terms having less weeks.

### **CLASS RULES**

- 1. Students are asked to arrive to class 5 minutes before the class starts.
- 2. If a student has missed 4 or more classes in a term the teacher has the right to remove the student from any group dances, or projects.
- 3. Parents/Guardians are responsible for underage students before and after class times.
- 4. No Spectating of the class is allowed except for Pre School/ Tiny Tot Classes. Spectators should be respectful and keep their noise to a minimum & supervise young children.
- 5. No chewing gum is permitted during class.
- 6. Students must ask permission to leave the dance studio.
- 7. Mobile phones are to be left in bags during class time. Students are only allowed to use phones with teacher's approval.
- 8. Class groups and sizes, song choices, costumes, props, etc. will be chosen and approved by the studio. Decisions that are made are final.
- 9. The studio accepts no responsibility for lost or stolen items left at the studio. Lost and found will be held for a limited time.
- 10. Members are to respect the Hall space and only be in the Main Hall Space, Foyer & Toilet areas. Any unreasonable damage caused by a student will need to cover the charge.

### **COVID-19 RULES**

1. Students & Parent/Guardians are asked to not attend class or come inside the studio if they are experiencing flu like symptoms and/ or have tested positive to COVID-19.

### **ETIQUETTE & STUDIO REPRESENTATION**

- 1. The studio has a **Strict No Bullying** rule inside or outside the studio. Any student or Parent/Guardian who is condemned breaking this rule will be given consequences at the Studios discretion. Consequences include warnings, class dismissals and or expulsion from the studio. Any conflicts or issues must be directed to the studio.
- 2. Students & Parents/ Guardians must be respectful and courteous with other students and teachers.
- 3. Any comments of negative value about the studio are not to be posted online. Any issues, concerns or problems are to be spoken directly with the studio owner.
- 4. No inappropriate behaviour is to be exhibited in the studio or outside the studio whilst in company merchandise. This includes comments or photos/videos online whilst in uniform.
- 5. Students who negatively impact the class will be asked to sit out or given other consequences deemed necessary by the studio. Examples include but are not limited to; distracting and interrupting the class, inappropriate comments, failure to follow instructions and or act in any unsafe manner. Parents will be informed about any ill behaviours.
- 6. Students and Parents/Guardians are to uphold all Etiquette rules whilst representing the studio in any way. Examples include at theatres, eisteddfods & competitions, community events etc.
- 7. Any photos of the students taken by the studio may be used for promotional use online. Please advise the studio if you do not wish for your child to be posted online.

# **UNIFORM POLICY**

- 1. Uniform is plain black attire accept any uniform pieces purchased or approved by the Studio. Clothing must be non restricting & cover students respectfully. Teachers reserve the right to ask students to sit out of class if their attire is not appropriate. Skirts are to be no longer than the knee due to it becoming a trip hazard.
- 2. All hair MUST be tied back.
- 3. No large jewellery is permitted and will need to be removed before class this includes long necklaces and chunky bracelets. Studs/sleeper earrings are allowed.
- 4. Students participating in Tumble Tots and Acro Classes must have BARE FEET. No Jazz Shoes or socks permitted. Stockings may be worn but must be footless. These can be purchased via the studio.

Both Student and Parent/Guardian must agree to the policies to enrol at the studio.

# **ENROLLMENT & CONTACT**

# **ENROLLING WITH US**

Enrollments at the studio can occur at anytime of the year provided space is available in our classes. We do prefer enrollments to be at the beginning of Term 1 & 3 as this is the recommended time for students to begin their dance journey. Any enquiries please feel free to reach out to us at any time.

#### **USE THIS BUTTON TO ENROL:**

**2025 ENROLMENT LINK** 

#### OR USE OUR WEBSITE LINK

WWW.STUDIO81DANCE.COM

# **2025 EARLY BIRD ENROLMENT**

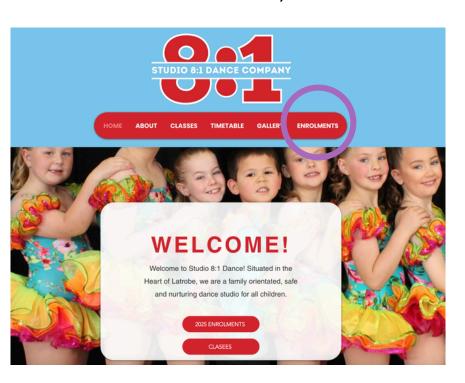


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