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## Performance Groups

Members of Rosatutu Studios Performance Groups have to be selected and then invited to join.

Members are selected on the basis of their aptitude shown in class, on showing a continued enthusiasm in their dance classes, are continuing to develop a good dance technique and clearly have a positive attitude towards dance performance.

There are certain criteria to be met to be part of the Performance Groups. It is <u>mandatory</u> for the student to attend all classical ballet classes scheduled for your level to develop, maintain and enhance your dance technique. Attendance at additional classes - jazz classes and/or contemporary classes - scheduled for your level is desirable in order to develop a greater range of dance development. Not attending these classes might hamper your chances of being selected. <u>NOTE:</u> If you miss three (3), or are consistently late for, Performance Group classes or rehearsals you could be asked to withdraw. This is very important.

A polished attentive attitude while attending class will carry into your performance. This includes taking care to be at class or rehearsal on time and wearing the correct dance attire and having your hair neat and tidy at all times. These aspects are essential and part of dance class etiquette.

Membership of the Performance Group is not automatic and is re-assessed each year against the criteria required and invitations to re-join are issued on that basis.

As the aim of Performance groups will be to enter eisteddfods as well as participate in local performances so additional rehearsals might be required. *It is advisable not to accept the offer to join Performance group if there are plans for extended family holidays during the year. Some Eisteddfods are held during school holidays.* 

If asked to do a Solo (in any style), please be aware that this dance cannot be performed unless with express permission as the dance is created and danced on behalf of Rosatutu Studios. The choreography for all Solos remains the property of the teacher who created it.

Likewise, with examination dances or Medal Award dances these cannot be danced other than for the purpose created as they are taught under licence from Cecchetti Ballet Australia. *An aspect of joining Performance group is to respect these rules.* 

If selected, the Performance Group weekly class is held:

**Saturdays, 2 – 2.30 pm** each week and additional PGP rehearsals or classes might be scheduled if and when required.