

COMPETITION PRIVATE LESSONS

General Information

- Invitational and offered to Competition Troupe dancers only.
- An opportunity for competitive dancers to represent Dancique School of Dance through solo, duo, trio or quad competition.
- For students aspiring to dance long term with future career prospects.
- Routines are entered into eisteddfods and may be asked to perform at festival events. Not all routines will be showcased at the annual dance concert.
- At the start of each dance year, Dancique will forward a list of selected eisteddfods to enter in. If dancers wish to enter more competitions they should research this in their own time.
- All Private Lesson dancers are responsible for warming up before lessons and extra practice at home.

Expectations and Requirements

Competition Private Lesson parents and dancers should agree to or understand the following:

- Participation in 4 - 5 weekly classes (minimum) is required to ensure sufficient preparation and training for performances. These should include Competition Troupe(s), KJT & Ballet and the genre class.
- Attend all private lessons for the full year as organised by Dancique.
- Maintain an excellent attitude throughout the year towards classes, competitions, teachers, peers and understand dancers are representing the school.
- Should understand the nature and importance of Private Lesson tuition - that extra level of commitment, dedication and hard work is required.
- Private Lessons are offered as a privilege and should be respected.

Responsibilities

- Competition soloists are responsible for:
 - Completing entry forms
 - Making payments
 - Noting competition dates
 - Forwarding final programs to Dancique or their teacher
 - Ordering and purchasing costumes from online stores
 - Their music and should follow the music requirements released by the eisteddfod
- Dancique will organise the above tasks on behalf of duos, trios and quads.

Cancellation Fee

- Dancers who discontinue their private lessons after Term 2 will be subject to a cancellation fee of \$60.
- This fee helps cover the inconvenience caused by their absence.

Extra Costs

- Teacher fee and hall hire, invoiced per Term on top of enrolled classes.
- Missed lessons: Dancers should speak with their teacher regarding makeup lessons during the week or organise to extend another lesson.
- Eisteddfod entry fees.
- Costumes.
- Dancique performance jacket.