

SBDS DANCE AND CHEER

EXAM PROGRAM



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PROGRAMS



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HERE AT SBDS WE LOVE GIVING MANY OPPORTUNITIES TO OUR STUDENTS FOR THEM TO CHOOSE THE PATH FOR THEIR DANCE JOURNEY. ONE OF THE OPTIONS FOR THEM IS OUR EXAMINATION PROGRAM.

EXAMINATIONS GIVE STUDENTS A GOAL TO WORK TOWARDS AND ALLOWS THEM TO ACHIEVE IT. EXAMS ARE VALUABLE TO THE STUDENTS DANCE TRAINING AS THEY PROVIDE STRONG TECHNIQUE, ARTISTRY AND QUALITY OF MOVEMENT. EXAMS HELP DEVELOP THE STUDENT'S PASSION TO STRIVE FOR EXCELLENCE WHICH IS SOMETHING THAT IS SO IMPORTANT IN LIFE.

HERE AT SBDS WE OFFER EXAMINATIONS IN THE FOLLOWING...

- RAD CLASSICAL BALLET
- GWT TAP
- ACROARTS ACRODANCE

TRAINING COMMITMENT



COMMITMENT

To sit an examination in classical ballet there is a minimum requirement as to how much training the student receives in preparation of this. Due to timetable restraints and the workload of most of our students both with dance and school we have put in place a training schedule for these dancers.



REQUIREMENT

If your child is wishing to complete their RAD ballet exam they must commit to the following

- Attend relevant class/es per week as per class timetable
- Attend holiday intensive training sessions. These sessions will be held in week 2 of the April school holidays and week 2 of the July school holidays.



TRAINING COST

Classical Ballet

- Weekly training fee as per fee structure
- Holiday Intensives – training each day for 3 days – \$90 (\$30 per session)

TRAINING COMMITMENT



COMMITMENT

To sit an examination in tap there is a minimum requirement as to how much training the student receives in preparation of this. Due to timetable restraints and the workload of most of our students both with dance and school we have put in place a training schedule for these dancers.



REQUIREMENT

If your child is wishing to complete their GWT tap exam they must commit to the following...

- Attend relevant class per week as per class timetable
- Attend holiday intensive training sessions.

These sessions will be held in week 2 of the April school holidays and week 2 of the July school holidays.



TRAINING COST

Tap

- Weekly training fee as per fee structure
- Holiday Intensive – each day for 3 days – \$60 (\$20 per session)

TRAINING COMMITMENT



COMMITMENT

To sit an examination in acro there is a minimum requirement as to how much training the student receives in preparation of this. Due to timetable restraints and the workload of most of our students both with dance and school we have put in place a training schedule for these dancers.



REQUIREMENT

If your child is wishing to complete their AcroArts acro exam they must commit to the following...

- Attend relevant class per week as per class timetable
- Attend holiday intensive training sessions.

These sessions will be held in week 2 of the April school holidays and week 2 of the July school holidays.



TRAINING COST

Acrobatic Arts

- Weekly training fee as per fee structure
- Holiday Intensive – each day for 3 days – \$60 (\$20 per session)

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS



RAD BALLET EXAM

- RAD approved leotard
- Pink Ballet stockings
- Matching hair ribbon
- Character Skirt with matching ribbons
- Pink leather ballet shoes, Pink satin pointe shoes (Intermediate Foundation and above)
- Black character shoes (grades)

We are very mindful of the costs to parents of children completing their exams. with this in mind SBDS offer a hire system of the uniform requirements including character shoes at a small hire charge.

The only thing listed above that needs to be purchased by the parent are the ballet shoes and/or pointe shoes and the ballet stockings.

GWT TAP EXAM

All students are required to have their own tap shoes, which can be either black or tan.

Level 1 and 2 tap: SBDS leotard, SBDS tight shorts, Tan stockings

Level 3 and above: SBDS leotard, SBDS tights, tap shoes



ACROBATIC ARTS EXAM

- Black leotard
- Black dance shorts

We are very mindful of the costs to parents of children completing their exams. SBDS offer a hire system of the uniform requirements at a small hire charge.

EXAMINATION RESULTS



RAD Classical Ballet – Students who complete their examination receive:

- report from external examiner
- certificate
- medal



GWT Tap – Students who complete their examination receive:

- report from external examiner
- certificate
- badge



Acrobatic Arts – Students who complete their examination receive:

- report from external examiner
- certificate
- students that gain a Distinction will receive a medal

RAD BALLET EXAM FEES

Pre-Primary	\$84.50
Primary	\$105.50
Grade 1	\$116.50
Grade 2	\$133.50
Grade 3	\$141.50
Grade 5	\$157.50
Intermediate Found	\$200.50
Intermediate	\$210.50
Advanced Found	\$396.00



RAD ballet exam entry fees are due NO LATER THAN 1ST MAY 2026

BALLET EXAM UNIFORM HIRE

Please see hire charge list to the right

Hair needs to be presented in a neat, secure bun with a bun net.
Hair must be gelled and sprayed.

EXAM DAY MUSIC FEE - \$25

EXAM DAY STAFF FEE - \$25

GRADE	LEOTARD \$15	SKIRT \$10	CHARACTER SKIRT \$10	CHARACTER SHOES \$5	PROPS \$5	TOTAL
Pre-Primary	✓	✓			✓	\$25
Primary	✓	✓			✓	\$25
Grade 1	✓		✓	✓	✓	\$35
Grade 2	✓		✓	✓	✓	\$35
Grade 3	✓		✓	✓		\$30
Grade 5	✓		✓	✓		\$30
Inter Found/ Intermediate	✓					\$15

GWT TAP EXAM FEES

Level 1	\$60.50
Level 2	\$66.50
Level 3	\$72.50
Level 4	\$84.50
Level 5	\$84.50
Level 5a	\$84.50
Level 8a	\$102.50



GWT Tap exam entry fees are due NO LATER THAN 1ST JULY 2026

TAP EXAM UNIFORM

Please see uniform requirement list to the right

Hair needs to be presented in a neat, secure bun with a bun net and SBDS scrunchie
Hair must be gelled and sprayed.

EXAM DAY MUSIC FEE - \$25

EXAM DAY STAFF FEE - \$25

LEVEL	LEOTARD	TIGHT SHORTS	SBDS TIGHTS	TAP SHOES	SCRUNCHIE
LEVEL 1	✓	✓		✓	✓
LEVEL 2	✓	✓		✓	✓
LEVEL 3	✓		✓	✓	✓
LEVEL 4	✓		✓	✓	✓
LEVEL 5	✓		✓	✓	✓
LEVEL 5a	✓		✓	✓	✓
LEVEL 8	✓		✓	✓	✓

ACROARTS EXAM FEES

Primary	\$60.50
Level 1	\$60.50
Level 2	\$66.00
Level 3	\$71.50
Level 4	\$71.50
Level 5	\$71.50
Level 7	\$88.00
Level 8	\$93.50



Acrobatic Arts exam entry fees due date TBC

ACRO EXAM UNIFORM HIRE

Please see hire charge list to the right

Hair needs to be presented in a neat, middle part, secure low bun with a bun net.

Hair must be gelled and sprayed.

EXAM DAY STAFF FEE - \$25

GRADE	LEOTARD \$15	SHORTS \$10	TOTAL
ALL GRADES	✓	✓	\$25