

FOUNDATION 5-6YRS

FROM THE DIRECTOR

Our teachers are exceptional and carry with them a wealth of experience. They are all fully qualified and professionals in their field. They continually upgrade their skills, seeking further knowledge in all aspects of dance teaching, safety and to keep up with the most current teaching and training strategies. Our prep classes are based on the SFD Foundations Program.



DANCE STYLES

Students have the choice of attending a weekday after school session OR a Saturday morning. Classes go for 1 hour and include 20 minutes each of ballet, tap and jazz.

FACILITIES

We have 3 fully equipped studios with sprung floors, barres and mirrors & equipment & props for creative learning.

CLASS TIMES

Thursday 4:15 - 5:15pm
Saturday 9.45 - 10.45am



CLASS FEES

\$21.00 per class, paid by the term based on the number of weeks in school term, There is also an annual \$45 registration and dancer insurance fee.

UNIFORM

All items of uniform are available from the studio except for shoes.

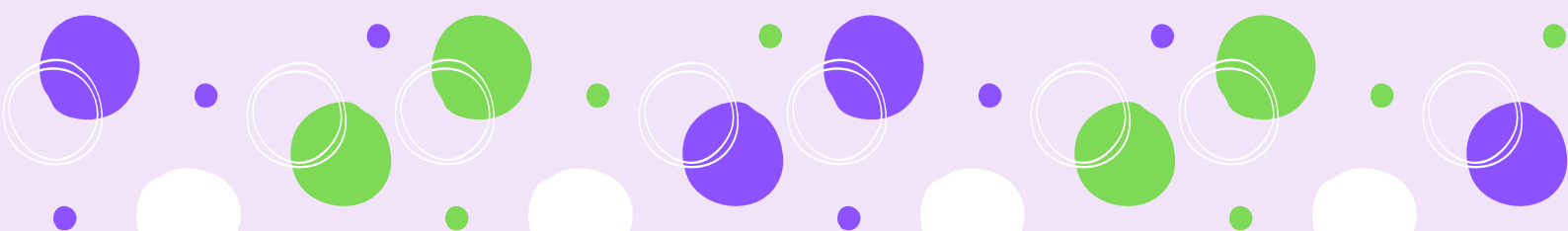
- Studio 7 Lilac Scoop neck leotard with attached Skirt
- Studio 7 matching Lilac crossover
- Energetik's salmon pink tights
- Leather ballet shoes & Tan tap shoes

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES

Preps are invited to participate in the Foundation Examinations at the studio in July/ August with their teacher, as well as an examination presentation in September, as well as perform in our whole school concert at the end of the year.

TERM DATES

Term 1: Tuesday 27th January – Thurs 2nd April
Term 2: Monday 20th April – Sat 27th June
Term 3: Monday 13th July – Sat 19th September
Term 4: Monday 5th October- Sat 12th December



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS - PREP CLASSES

Can my child attend a trial class first?

Yes, your child may attend any class for their age group. If deciding not to enrol, no payment is owed. Once enrolled, you will receive an invoice for the term or remainder of the term if starting after the term has commenced.

Can I watch classes?

We have a small viewing window where you can see what's happening in the class, whilst waiting. 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 for more than a moment at a time.

Can I drop my child off to class and then pop out to run errands?

Absolutely! Whilst your child is in the classroom learning, they are safe and supervised. You're welcome to pop out for some 'me' time or to run an errand during class time, please just let your child know and ensure you are back by the end of class to avoid distress to your child.

What is the concert about?

All students will participate in the concert and require a confirmation by the end of term 2. This allows us to order costumes and plan routines based on group sizes and standards. All students will be required to attend regular classes, photo day & BOTH concert performances. They will wear light stage make up to ensure their face is seen under the bright lights.

Can I attend a make up class?

Yes. Please contact us if your child is going to be away from class and we can organise a make up class that is suitable for them.

What do we need to bring to class?

Please bring a water bottle (not glass). Students should come in their class uniform and bring their dance shoes (tap and ballet) for changing. Prep uniforms are available for purchase at reception.

Where do I park?

You can park in one of the 3 available spots in front of the studio or there is ample street parking. We ask that you **do not** park at the factory next door.

What is the exam about?

The Foundation exam is the students' first experience in an examination setting. It is a joyous and fun presentation at the studio with their teacher to encourage confidence, independence and the joy of performing.

