# 2026 PRE-SCHOOL DANCE PROGRAM

# PARENT INFORMATION

## WELCOME

Welcome to our Pre-school Dance Program at Evolve Performing Arts.

Our dedicated teaching team lead our classes with joy, patience and expertise.

We are passionate about offering a boutique program that combines proper training with imaginative fun, tailored perfectly for this special age group, and that leads to many exciting future pathways within the studio.

# **CLASS TYPES**

#### 2-3 YEAR OLDS 'TODDLER'

- A fun and interactive Dance & Acrobatics class.
- After 30 minutes of Dance, classes finish with a fun Acrobatics circuit (like gymnastics).
- A parent or guardian is required to be in the classroom, to assist their child.
- Ages 2 to 3 years.

#### 3-5 YEAR OLDS 'KINDER'

- An instructive and imaginative dance class focusing on the development of dance technique, posture, musicality and more.
- Students learn proper Ballet and Jazz dance styles.
- All classes finish with an Acrobatics circuit (like gymnastics).
- Children attend independently, without a parent to assist. Don't worry, parents are able wait outside the classroom, on site, or pick up/drop offas preferred.
- Ages 3 to 5 years generally for children who attend 3 or 4 year old Kinder in 2026, as well as 3 year olds who can participate independently without a parent.
- Seperate classes for 3-4 years and 4-5 years.

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## 2026 CLASS TIMES

#### TODDLER (2-3 YRS)

Monday 10:30am-11:15am (with parent/guardian)

#### KINDER (3-4 YRS)

Monday 9:30am-10:15am (3-4 years)

Monday 11:30am-12:30pm (4-5 years)

Monday 4:15pm-5:00pm (3-5 years)

Thursday 10:30am-11:15am (3-5 years)

Saturday 9:00-9:45am (3-4 years)

Saturday 10:00-11:00am (4-5 years)

\*class times subject to change



There is an Annual Registration fee of \$40 per student, paid upfront at the time of booking.

This includes a free gift!

### CLASS FEES

Toddler \$20 per class (paid by the term) Kinder \$22 per class (paid by the term)

A term is usually 10 weeks, following the school term. In that case, the fees would be  $$200 ($20 \times 10 \text{ weeks})$ 

- Fees are paid by term upfront
- A weekly payment plan option is available
- All fee payments are direct debited
- Fees include GST
- Fees are non-refundable/transferable
- Class fees are inclusive of end of year concert costs including a medal for all students, and a professional video and unlimited photos of the concert for Kinder students.



# 2026 TERM DATES

Term 1 - Sat 31st January to Thurs 2nd April

Term 2 - Mon 20th April to Sat 27th June

Term 3 - Mon 13th July to Sat 19th September

Term 4 - Mon 5th October to Sat 12th December

\*No classes held on public holidays or the Monday before Cup Day

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD



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# PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES

Our Kinder students are invited to dance on stage at the Berwick Show!

Berwick Show - Sunday 22nd February (optional)

Students are also invited to participate in our inhouse dance competition.

In house competition - Sunday 3rd May



Our Kinder students are invited to perform in our end of year Dance Showcase at Bunjil Place, on stage in costume in a production with our school aged students.

It's a professional standard show but we keep it simple for our Kinder students with optional make up, and no additional theatre or dress rehearsals. Students receive a medal too!

One costume is required per child, approx \$65, however, students get to keep their costume.

Concert - Sunday 15th November @ Bunjil Place (highly recommended)



Our Toddler class participates in a in-house demonstration during class time at the end of the year, to perform in a low key environment for their family who they choose to invite. Students receive a medal and provide their own costuming.

**Demonstration** - Week beginning Monday 30th of November.

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## TODDLER CLASS UNIFORM

Students and parents do not require a specific uniform, however, most students will wear comfortable clothing or a ballet outfit of their choice. Ballet shoes are highly recommended for dancers.

## KINDER CLASS UNIFORM

#### **DRESS**

• The required uniform is the Evolve Performing Arts pink dress with sparkles!

#### **TIGHTS**

- Brand Energetiks
- Colour Theatrical Pink
- Style Footed or Convertible
- Style code- CT27 or CT30

Students require Ballet tights. These are optional in Summer.

Tights can be purchased from 'Energetiks' dance shop at Fountain Gate, or from our office.

#### JUMPER/JACKETS

- If you would like your child to wear a jumper in their class, the permitted options are the Evolve Performing Arts warm up top or iumper.
- No other jackets, singlets, skivvies, or jumpers permitted please.

#### SECONDHAND UNIFORM

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#### **BALLET SHOES**

- Brand Energetiks
- Colour Pink
- Style Split sole or full sole

Students require Ballet shoes. These can be purchased from 'Energetiks' dance shop at Fountain Gate.

Please do not purchase shoes from department stores such as K-mart etc as these are not the required quality.

#### HAIRSTYLES & JEWELLERY

- Please tie long hair up into a neat hairstyle.
- Please use a headband or clip back the front section of hair, if hair is too short for a ponytail.
- Matching hair accessories can also be worn.
- Please remove watches or large/bulky jewellery for safety reasons.

#### ALTERNATIVE BOYS UNIFORM

- Evolve Performing Arts t-shirt with Black Shorts or pants
- Plain white Ballet shoes purchased from 'Energetiks' dance shop at Fountain Gate



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# FAQ'S

#### CAN MY CHILD ATTEND A TRIAL CLASS FIRST?

- Yes, of course! We offer trial classes where your child can attend a class and give it a go, without any commitment.
- Trial classes can be booked 14 days before the trial class date.
- Please note that trials can only take place if there is a vacancy in the class.
- Trial classes cost \$20 (Toddler) and \$22 (Kinder) and payment is required at the time of the booking.

#### HOW CAN I ENROL?

 You can register via our parent portal by clicking on the following link, <a href="https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/evolveperformingarts">https://dancestudiopro.com/online/evolveperformingarts</a>

#### CAN I GET A REFUND?

- Fees are non-refundable.
- Class fees are paid upfront by the term and cancellation can only occur once a term is complete.
- Fees are also not transferable or able to be credited.

#### CAN I ATTEND A MAKE-UP CLASS?

 One make-up class booking is permitted per term, for pre-school classes - where vacancies permit.

# WHAT TIME DO WE NEED TO ARRIVE FOR CLASS?

 Please arrive at least 5 minutes prior to the class time as our classes start on time and students should be ready.

#### CAN PARENTS WATCH THE CLASS?

- In our 'Toddler' classes, a parent is required to participate in the class with their child. Any additional parents or grandparents are able to watch through the small viewing window only.
- For our 'Kinder' classes, we have a small viewing window where parents can see what's happening in the class.
- 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 the entire class.

#### CAN I DROP OFF AND PICK UP?

- For our Kinder class, absolutely!
- You're welcome to pop out for some 'me' time during class time, please just let the teacher know at the beginning of the class and ensure that your child will not need to use the bathroom while you're gone.

#### IS THERE A CONCERT?

- Yes, our Kinder students perform on stage at Bunjil place.
- View page 3 for more info.

#### WHERE ARE THE CLASSES?

- 10/25-35 Cranbourne Road, Narre Warren at our purpose built studios.
- Our facility has reception, uniform shop, dance studios with mirrors, barres, air conditioning and heating as well as change rooms and waiting areas.

#### WHAT DOES MY CHILD BRING TO CLASS?

- A drink bottle full of water
- A bag to put their belongings into.

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