

# VET Dance 2024

The VCE VET Dance program is drawn from a national training package and offers a portable qualification which is recognised throughout Australia. VET Dance is a two-year vocational program delivered to Years 10, 11 and 12 students and contributes to the achievement of their Victorian secondary school certificate.

The course has been designed to:

- Develop transferrable skills that help students succeed in their chosen pathway following VET Dance,
- Develop dance and choreography skills,
- Develop sound understanding of safe dance principles to support students' longevity in dance,
- Enable students to participate in further training in an area which they are passionate about while completing their secondary school certificate,

Upon successful completion, students will achieve the Nationally Recognised CUA20120 Certificate II in Dance and a Statement of Attainment for partial completion of CUA30120 Certificate III in Dance.

# All VCE Vet dance students will attend 2 X Industry Days

- Industry Days connect students more deeply with the sector, industry professionals and education pathways.
  - A full day of cross-genre choreography workshops;
  - Q&A sessions with expert panels;
  - A simulated mock audition.
- Year 12's will undertake a creation day usually scheduled on a Sunday

#### Year 1

# Enrolment into CUA20120 Certificate II in Dance CUADAN211 Develop basic dance techniques CUAPRF211 Prepare for live performances

CUAWHS111 Follow safe dance practices CUAWHS211 Develop a basic level of physical fitness for dance performance BSBTWK201 Work effectively with others

Choose 2 of the following dance style electives\* CUADAN213 Perform basic jazz dance techniques CUADAN215 Perform basic contemporary dance techniques CUADAN216 Perform basic ballet techniques CUADAN217 Perform basic tap techniques CUADAN218 Perform basic street dance techniques CUADAN220 Perform basic lyrical dance techniques



### Enrolment into CUA30120 Certificate III in Dance CUADAN212 Incorporate artistic expression into basic dance performances CUAIND211 Develop and apply creative arts industry

knowledge CUAPRF314 Develop audition techniques

CUAPRF317 Develop performance techniques

Choose 2 of the following dance style electives CUADAN315 Increase depth of jazz dance techniques CUADAN316 Increase depth of ballet dance techniques CUADAN318 Increase depth of contemporary dance techniques CUADAN319 Increase depth of street dance techniques CUADAN321 Increase depth of tap dance techniques CUADAN322 Increase depth of lyrical dance techniques

\*Your school may not offer all dance style electives listed. Students must complete the same dance style for Years 1 and 2.

# Does this course contribute to my ATAR?

Yes! Students wishing to receive an ATAR contribution for VCE VET Dance must undertake scored assessment. This consists of three coursework tasks, worth 50% of the overall study score, and a performance examination worth 50% of the overall study score. Scored assessment is based on the Scored Units 3 and 4 sequence of VCE VET Dance which the Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority (VCAA) has endorsed.

Students can choose to complete the 3 & 4 VET Dance sequence as an unscored program.



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#### **Education Pathways from VET Dance**

Direct education pathways after completing VET Dance include:

- CUASS00111 Assistant Dance Teaching Skill Set
- CUASS00071 Dance Teaching Skill Set
- CUA40320 Certificate IV in Dance Teaching and Management
- CUA51520 Diploma of Professional Dance (Elite Performance)
- CUA50220 Diploma of Musical Theatre
- Bachelor of Fine Arts (Dance)

#### Training

Minimum 3 contact hours per week, including practical and theory class.

Students attend face to face practical dance classes and training, and also complete online learning to cover the theoretical component of the course.

#### Assessment

Training in the VET Sector is competency-based training. Students will be assessed as either 'Competent' or 'Not Yet Competent'. Students will be assessed through knowledge questions, projects, creation of portfolios and observations.

For students completing the VCAA Scored Assessment for units 3 and 4, assessments will be graded with scores which will contribute towards an ATAR.

#### **Course Fees and Details**

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VCE VET Certificate II in Dance Course Fees (incl. GST).

- \$775 per year for JMAB VCE VET Units 1 & 2 Students (theory)
- \$875 per year for JMAB VCE VET Units 3 & 4 Students (theory)
- \$875 per year for External VCE VET Units 1 & 2 Students (theory only\*\*)
- \$975 per year for External VCE VET Units 3 & 4 Students (theory only\*\*)
- No uniform required but neat, clean dancewear suitable to dance style must be worn

\* These fees will be invoiced over 3 terms to allow for ease of budgeting.

#### **Career Pathways from VET Dance**

VET Dance prepares students for either a career in dance or to explore other careers in which they can utilise and build on their skills and knowledge obtained through their VET Dance course. These include:

Professional dancer Music theatre performer Group dance teacher Individual dance teacher Dance studio manager Dance studio owner Dance company leader Dance educator Choreographer Arts administration

Year 1: CUA20120 Certificate II in Dance There are no pre-requisites to enrol into Certificate II in Dance or Year 1 of the VET Dance Program.

Year 2: CUA30120 Certificate III in Dance If enrolling directly into Year 2 of VET Dance, students must have a minimum of 3 years of prior dance experience and:

- Complete a written application to demonstrate you have the required safe dance principles, skills and knowledge; and
- Hold an AQF level 2 unit of competency in both dance styles selected for year 2 of VET Dance; or
- Complete an RPL process including an audition and submission of written evidence to demonstrate competence in the two dance styles chosen for VET Dance, equivalent to Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) level 2 or above.

#### **Skills Recognition**

Students can apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) if they have skills, knowledge and experience they would like recognised through an RPL assessment process.

#### 2024 Enrolment Links

Please find below enrolment links for 2024:

Year 1 VET Dance Ausdance VIC - Jane Moore Academy of Ballet 2024

Year 2 VET Dance Ausdance VIC - Jane Moore Academy of Ballet 2024

This qualification is delivered through partnership arrangements with Jane Moore Academy of Ballet who is delivering this course on behalf of RTO provider to be determined