

## 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), 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.

### 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.

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