
Eisteddfod Information 2021

Dates you must be available in 2021

Ipswich Combined Teachers Festival

Friday 30th of April – Monday 3rd of May 2021

Ipswich Civic Hall, Ipswich

Coffs Harbour District Eisteddfod

Saturday 12th of June – Monday 14th of June 2021

Coffs Harbour Education Campus

(Accommodation Necessary)

Murwillumbah Festival of Performing Arts

Saturday 26th June - Monday 28th June 2021

Murwillumbah Civic Hall

Eisteddfod Showcase

Late October TBC

Helensvale Cultural Centre

OVERVIEW

Coastal Dance offers dedicated students the opportunity to compete in eisteddfods and community events throughout the year. **When joining our eisteddfod teams, parents & students must be aware of the high level of commitment necessary.** If a student is unable to make their eisteddfod class, it is their responsibility to learn any missed choreography or notes. A detailed Eisteddfod Handbook will be emailed out after the start of term.

COMMITMENT

Dancing in groups is a similar experience as being in a sports team and students must commit to all rehearsals and competitions throughout the dance year. The dance season runs from February – July. Those wishing to leave their eisteddfod team may do so after the last eisteddfod. Re-spacing routines takes up valuable lesson time & effects the progression of the groups. Eisteddfod members will be required to sign a contract to show they understand the commitment and behavior required. It is important that attendance is the priority of all members of the group to create a good team environment.

CLASS REQUIREMENTS

Choosing to do eisteddfods should be the final peak for a dance student. If our groups are to be competitive students should be taking a full program of classes:

Under 8 – 1 x Ballet Class, 1 x Jazz Class & 1 x Tap (if applicable)

Under 10 & Under 12 – 1 x Ballet Classes, 1 x Jazz Class, 1 x Musical Theatre Class, 1 x Contemporary & 1 x Tap (if applicable)

Under 15 & Under 18 - 1 x Ballet Classes, 1 x Jazz Class, 1 x Musical Theatre, 1 x Contemporary & 1 x Tap (if applicable)