



2024

STUDIO

HANDBOOK

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WHATS NEW IN 2024!

Studio 8:1 is all about improving and growing! We have new exciting classes and opportunities for our students to continue growing their love & education in to dance and the performance world!

ACRO CLASSES

The Studio is offering Acro in 2024. This class is great for those students who love to be upside down! This class works on flexibility and tumbling and incorporating those skills into routines. This is a separate class to our regular classes and is open to those age 7+.

TUMBLE TOTS

We definitely didn't forget about our little ones in our Acro Program! We have created an extension class to our Preschool Program called *Tumble Tots*! This is a 15 minute Acro lesson attached to the end of their regular lesson where they can learn the basics of Acrobatics and get to release all that extra energy learning to cartwheel and somersault!

LEVEN THEATRE CONCERT LOCATION

Due to the Studio out growing the Latrobe Memorial Hall, 2024 sees us bump in to the Ulverstone Civic Centre (Leven Theatre) to perform our Concerts in. This give our students the opportunity to perform in a real theatre! Our concert dates are locked in so read below and pop them in your diary! Please note our classes still remain at the Latrobe Memorial hall.

PRIVATESES

The studio offers 1 on 1 Privates if your child ever needs and extra rehearsal before a performance. To organise on please contact the studio. Prices are mentioned on our fees page.

CLASSES

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Our class groups are divided mostly by age groups. We are flexible when it comes to moving students into classes that suit their abilities best, even if this doesn't follow our age suggestions. Please reach out to the studio to see what class groups suits your child.

TINY TOTS	AGES 3-4 BORN: 2020-2021
PRESCHOOL + TUMBLE TOTS	AGES 4-6 BORN: 2018-2021
MINIS	AGES 7-9 BORN: 2015-2017
JUNIORS	AGES 10-12 BORN: 2012-2014
TEENS	AGES 13-15 BORN: 2009-2011
SENIORS	AGES 16+ BORN: DURING OR BEFORE 2008
POM SQUAD	AGES 10+ BORN DURING OR BEFORE 2014
ACRO	AGES 7+ BORN: <2017



TINY TOTS

AGES 3-4
BORN: 2020-2021



Our Tiny Tots Classes is for our littles of dancers! This class runs for 30minutes where we dance to popular tunes from favourite tv shows, dance with props all whilst encouraging development in cognitive & fine motor skills, spacial awareness, imagination, and of course introduce them to the world of dance. Dancers can be seen to develop skills in jumping, hopping, basic dance technique, balance and co-ordination.

This year Tiny Tots have the option of performing in our studio concerts. Dancers will have the opportunity to dance on stage with their teacher in beautiful costumes!

- \$25 Costume Hire Fee will be added to the term fee if the student wishes to participate in the concerts.
- Students must be accompanied by an adult for classes.
- Students can join the class if they are younger than the age bracket but must be able to participate in a classroom environment without causing too much of a distraction to other students. Please feel free to reach out to the studio to see if your child is suitable

! Please note this class is an ENROLLED class now and not a casual attendance class.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$25
Term Tuition\$85
Costume Hire.....\$25

Class Duration:
30min

PRE SCHOOL

AGES 5-6
BORN: 2018-2019



Our Pre School Class is for our small groovers! It's a class where students learn the basics of dance in a fun and engaging class. Using props, stories and themes, this class will help develop students imaginative skills, gross motor skills, beginner dance techniques and introduce them into the world of performing arts. Pre School students perform two dances of contrasting styles in each studio concert during the year and participate in all studio events such as the studio photo day and Christmas parades.

TUMBLE TOTS

NEW!

Pre School students will have the option to add our new Tumble Tots package to their dance education. Our Tumble Tots class is a 15 minute skills class where our little students begin the foundations on Acrobatic dance. This class is an *ADD ON CLASS* and must be enrolled in the regular Preschool class to attend. Students do not learn extra routines as part of this class, but may get to present their skills learnt in their routines.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$40
Term Tuition (PS)\$85
Term Tuition (PS+TT)\$100
Costume Hire.....\$25

Class Duration:
30min
Tumble Tots Extension
15min



CLASSES

MINIS

AGES 7-9
BORN: 2015-2017



Our Mini's Class introduces the students into the foundations of dance & performance. Here they are introduced into the styles of Jazz and Lyrical helping them build a foundation that allows them to become a versatile dancer. They learn the fundamentals of dance including basic terminology and technique, ballet positions and technique, continue developing their jumps, leaps, be introduced to kicks and turns and learn to express emotion through movement & storytelling.

Mini classes are made to be fun and engaging, focusing on independence and positivity.

Mini students perform both a Jazz & Lyrical Piece in our Annual Concerts and participate in all other studio events including our Holiday Spectacular.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$40
Term Tuition\$110
Costume Hire.....\$25
(Costume hire is per dance costume which is equal to dance routine numbers)

Class Duration:

1hr

JUNIORS

AGES 10-12
BORN: 2012-2014



Our Junior students continue to grow on their repertoire of knowledge and terminology on Jazz and Lyrical styles but are also introduced into more contemporary works. They will begin to learn more turning combinations, work on their jumps and kicks and learn how to dance fluidly and emote in their dancing. We focus on stage presence, confidence and self improvement in these classes.

Junior students perform either a Lyrical or Contemporary dance and a Jazz dance in the Annual Concert and participate in all other studio events including our Holiday Spectacular.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$40
Term Tuition\$110
Costume Hire.....\$25
(Costume hire is per dance costume which is equal to dance routine numbers)

Class Duration:

1hr

TEENS & SENIORS

AGES 13+
 T: BORN: 2009-2011
 S: BORN: <2006



Our Teen dancers will begin the exploration of finding their own style and continue their growth on their technique. They will learn faster combinations and focus on strength and flexibility. Teen students will begin to learn more mature choreography learning to emote and express emotion through their movements. We also put an emphasis on body positivity, confidence and becoming healthy dancers.

Seniors students are now at the age where they can start experimenting in mature and advanced choreography and start perfecting their style and technique. Students are encouraged to begin to take charge of their dance education and classes are built to help prepare a student for if they wish to carry on in the dance world.

Senior & Teen students perform a Lyrical or Contemporary dance and a Jazz number at our Annual Concert and participate in all other studio events including our Holiday Spectacular.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$40
 Term Tuition\$115
 Costume Hire.....\$25
 (Costume hire is per dance costume which is equal to dance routine numbers)

Teen Class Duration:
1hr 15min

Senior Class Duration:
1hr 15min

POM SQUAD

AGES 8+
 BORN: <2016



Studio 8:1 is proud to offer this new class style introducing pom dance to the North-West Coast. Pom is an energetic & entertaining style of dance mixing jazz and hiphop styles and performing with of course Pom Poms. This type of dance is most commonly seen in the United States and it focuses on formations and sharp movement and energy.

Students work on jazz technique in this class and learn to turn, jump & kick and work together as a team!

Pom students perform 1-2 dances at our Annual Concert and participate in all other studio events including our Holiday Spectacular.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$40
 Term Tuition\$110
 Costume Hire.....\$25
 (Costume hire is per dance costume which is equal to dance routine numbers)

Class Duration:
1hr

ACRO ^{NEW!}

AGES 7+
BORN: <2017



The Studio now has an Acro class running in 2024. This class is great for those students who love to be upside down! This class works on flexibility and tumbling and incorporating those skills into routines. Students will work through the syllabus via levels and will all start as a beginner during the first year.

It is highly recommended that students interested in Acro are enrolled in another class at the studio to help maintain skills that help them progress in this class. Safety is our first priority and students may need to pass certain requirements to attend this class.

This is a separate class to our regular classes and is open to those age 7+.

Acro students perform a ONE dance at our Annual Concert and participate in all other studio events including our Holiday Spectacular.

Please contact the studio with any questions you may have about this class including whether your child is ready for this class.

2024 FEES

Enrolment Fee..... \$40
Term Tuition\$110
Costume Hire.....\$25
(Costume hire is per dance costume which is equal to dance routine numbers)

Class Duration:
1hr

SAFETY

Safety comes first and if any student is behaving incorrectly and is dressed inappropriately for class will be asked to sit out.

Please read the uniform requirements on Page 8

COMPETITION TEAM & PRIVATES ON ACCEPTANCE

Our Competition Team gives prepared students the opportunity to represent the studio in local eisteddfods and competitions. Whilst we want to give everyone who wants to compete the chance to, we believe in setting you up for success and students wanting to to participate on our competition team will need prior dance experience or should speak to their teacher about skill requirements needed. It's a great opportunity to learn new skills, set goals and grow your passion performing. Our Competition Team Fee covers School Holiday Rehearsal, Private time slot in the week to go over choreography, costume hire & Entrance fees.

We also offer private lessons in 30min time-slots for students who need a bit of extra help. Whether its polishing a dance, practicing a new skill or catching up on a lesson, we can provide that little extra time to help your dancer. Limited spots available during the week so please reach out if you need to book one.



2024 FEES

Competition Team..... \$175
(Annual)
Private Lesson (30min)\$15
per session

STUDIO UNIFORM

CLOTHING:

- Uniform is plain black attire accept any uniform pieces purchased or approved by the Studio. Clothing must be non restricting & cover students respectfully. This could be leggings, t-shirt, tank, shorts, crop top, leotard etc.
- No Large Jewellery including chunky/long necklaces & bracelets or dangling earrings. Small Piercings are fine
- Stockings should be worn under leotards when not paired with shorts for modesty.

FOOTWEAR:

- Bare feet, Jazz Shoes or Lyrical Turners.
- No Socks please.
- If participating in the Acro Class, NO shoes or socks are permitted for safety reasons. This includes stockings covering the feet. Footless stocking are available from the studio.

HAIR:

- Must be tied back. Avoid hair blocking the face if possible.

STUDIO JACKETS:

- Studio Jackets are available for \$60. Please contact the studio to purchase one or to place an order.



The studio sells Jazz shoes, stockings and other uniform pieces such as leotards & dresses. Please contact us to in regards on how to order.

2024 FEES

ADMINISTRATION FEES

DESCRIPTION	COST
Enrolment Fee (Tiny Tots)	\$25
Enrolment Fee	\$40
Overdue Payment Fee	\$10

CLASS FEES

DESCRIPTION	COST Per Term
Tiny Tots	\$85
Pre School	\$85
Pre School + Tumble Tots	\$100
Minis, Juniors, Pom	\$110
Teen, Seniors, Acro*	\$115
Privates (30 min)	\$15 (Per Booking)
Costume Hire (Per Costume)	\$25

CLASS PACKAGES

DESCRIPTION <small>Excludes Acro Enrolment Fee</small>	COST Per Term/ Per Student
2 Classes	\$200
3 Classes	\$275

COMPETITION TEAM/ SOLO

DESCRIPTION	COST
Competition Team (Annual Cost)	\$175
Concert Solo	Contact Studio

TUITION/ FEES DUE DATES

DESCRIPTION	DATE
Term 1	March 1st
Term 2	May 17th
Term 3	August 9th
Term 4	November 1st

Enrolment Fees
The enrolment fee is only paid once per student, per year.

Costume Hire
Invoices will be sent out prior to concerts.

PAYMENT OPTIONS



CASH PAYMENT - IN CLASS
CORRECT AMOUNT ONLY



SQUARE PAYMENT - IN CLASS



INVOICE - SENT VIA EMAIL



AFTERPAY - SENT VIA EMAIL
(Added Fee of 6% + 0.30c)

APPROVED PROVIDER:



We are an approved Ticket to Play Provider. If you wish to use vouchers as part of a payment please submit your voucher codes whilst enrolling your child.

WHAT HAPPENS IF MY TUITION IS MORE THAN MY VOUCHER AMOUNT?

TTP Vouchers are worth \$100. If your tuition is more than the voucher amount, you will only need to pay the outstanding balance. Please select on your child's enrolment form a back up tuition payment option for if this instance occurs.

WHAT CAN I USE MY TICKET TOWARDS?

TTP Vouchers can only be put towards tuition costs. They can not be used to pay for uniforms etc.

OVERDUE TUITION/ FEES

There is an Overdue Payments Fee of \$10 for invoices that are not paid by the due date. This will lapse each week the invoice is not paid. If you have any issue paying an invoice by a certain date, please reach out to the studio.

INVOICE HELP

At anytime you need help with your invoice, please don't hesitate to contact the studio with your concern. There's no problem big or small!

STUDIO TERM DATES

TERM 1 STARTS

12 February

TERM 1 ENDS

10 April

TERM 2 STARTS

29 April

TERM 2 ENDS

3 July

TERM 3 STARTS

23 July

TERM 3 ENDS

25 September

TERM 4 STARTS

14 October

TERM 4 ENDS

EISTEDDFOD DATES

BURNIE EISTEDDFODS

TBC

DEVONPORT EISTEDDFODS

19th August - September 5th

STUDIO EVENT DATES

ANNUAL CONCERT

**22nd June (Rehearsal)
23rd June (Performance)**

STUDIO PHOTO DAY

TBC

HOLIDAY SPECTACULAR

**19th December (Rehearsal)
20th December (Performance)**

STUDIO POLICIES

FEES & PAYMENT

1. Fees must be paid by the end of the business week of Week 3 of the term (dates below). A late fee of \$10 will be added per each week the fee is not paid.
2. Any student whose fees are not paid by Week 5 will not be able to continue with class until remaining fees are paid.
3. Any classes missed by the student will not be reimbursed.
4. Any withdrawals made before or during Week 4 of the term will only need to pay the attended classes. Any withdrawals after Week 4 will need to pay the Full-Term Fee.
5. If the Term fee has been paid by the student and the student can no longer complete the term due to a medical condition, the remaining class fees will be refunded if provided with a medical certificate.
6. Any classes cancelled unexpectedly by the Studio will be reimbursed if a replacement lesson can't be made. This does not include Public Holidays. Tuition paid by Ticket to Play will not have their class refunded.
7. Costume Fees will be added to invoices during the year. Due dates will be advised by the studio as soon as possible. The \$10 late fee also applies to costume payments.
8. Costumes are the studios property, any damage made to the costumes by the student will have a damage fee of \$30. This includes pom uniforms.
9. Enrolment Fees are non-refundable.
10. Term fees remain the same despite some terms having less weeks.

CLASS RULES

1. Students are asked to arrive to class 5 minutes before the class starts.
2. If a student has missed 4 or more classes in a term the teacher has the right to remove the student from any group dances, or projects.
3. Parents/Guardians are responsible for underage students before and after class times.
4. No Spectating of the class is allowed except for Pre School Classes. Spectators should be respectful and keep their noise to a minimum & supervise young children.
5. No chewing gum is permitted during class.
6. Students must ask permission to leave the dance studio.
7. Mobile phones are to be left in bags during class time. Students are only allowed to use phones with teacher's approval.
8. Class groups and sizes, song choices, costumes, props, etc. will be chosen and approved by the studio. Decisions that are made are final.
9. The studio accepts no responsibility for lost or stolen items left at the studio. Lost and found will be held for a limited time.
10. Members are to respect the Hall space and only be in the Main Hall Space, Foyer & Toilet areas. Any unreasonable damage caused by a student will need to cover the charge.

COVID-19 RULES

1. Students & Parent/Guardians are asked to not attend class or come inside the studio if they are experiencing flu like symptoms and/ or have tested positive to COVID-19.

STUDIO POLICIES

ETIQUETTE & STUDIO REPRESENTATION

1. The studio has a **Strict No Bullying** rule inside or outside the studio. Any student or Parent/Guardian who is condemned breaking this rule will be given consequences at the Studios discretion. Consequences include warnings, class dismissals and or expulsion from the studio. Any conflicts or issues must be directed to the studio.
2. Students must be respectful and courteous with other students and teachers.
3. Any comments of negative value about the studio are not to be posted online. Any issues, concerns or problems are to be spoken directly with the studio owner.
4. No inappropriate behaviour is to be exhibited in the studio or outside the studio whilst in company merchandise. This includes comments or photos/videos online whilst in uniform.
5. Students who negatively impact the class will be asked to sit out or given other consequences deemed necessary by the studio. Examples include but are not limited to; distracting and interrupting the class, inappropriate comments, failure to follow instructions and or act in any unsafe manner. Parents will be informed about any ill behaviours.
6. Students and Parents/Guardians are to uphold all Etiquette rules whilst representing the studio in any way. Examples include at theatres, eisteddfods & competitions, community events etc.
7. Any photos of the students taken by the studio may be used for promotional use online. Please advise the studio if you do not wish for your child to be posted online.

UNIFORM POLICY

1. Uniform is plain black attire accept any uniform pieces purchased or approved by the Studio. Clothing must be non restricting & cover students respectfully. Teachers reserve the right to ask students to sit out of class if their attire is not appropriate. Skirts are to be no longer than the knee due to it becoming a trip hazard.
2. All hair **MUST** be tied back.
3. No large jewellery is permitted and will need to be removed before class. Studs/sleeper earrings are allowed.
4. Students participating in Tumble Tots and Acro Classes must have BARE FEET. No Jazz Shoes or socks permitted. Stockings may be worn but must be footless. These can be purchased via the studio.

Both Student and Parent/Guardian must agree to the policies to enrol at the studio.

2024 Term Tuition Due Dates

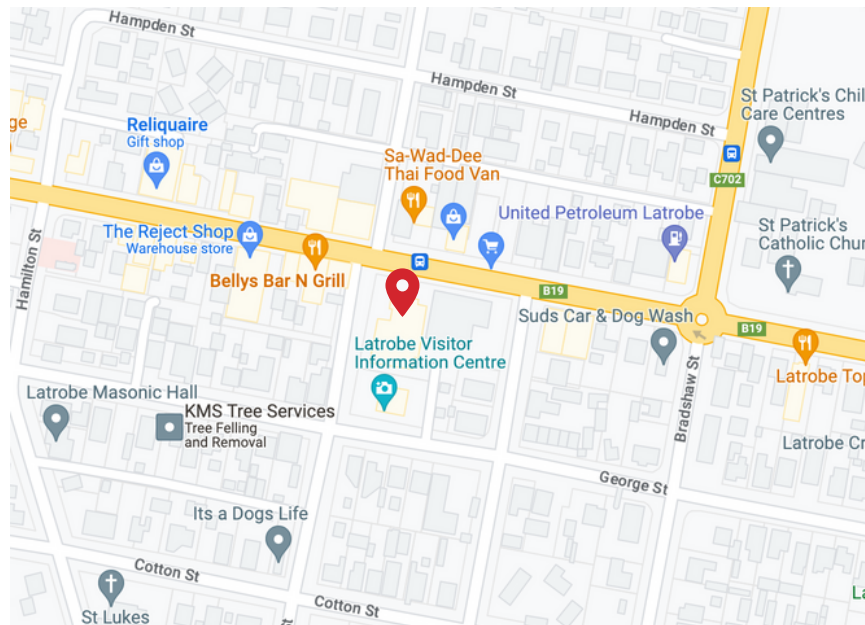
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
March 1st	May 17th	August 9th	November 1st

STUDIO LOCATION

170 Gilbert Street, Latrobe 7315
Latrobe Memorial Hall

Facility Includes:

- Large Hall & Stage for Classes
- Mirrors & Barres
- Toilets
- Foyer Waiting Space
- Heaters in Hall
- Free parking on right & front of building



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