

Caringbah High School Dance Program

Outline

Catering for students in Years 7 – 12, CHS has two ensembles that meet on a weekly basis and prepare a number of items over the course of the year. The Dance Program is an initiative that fosters the development of technique, movement skills and performance quality in classes conducted before school.

Movement Development

Students work primarily on one lyrical or contemporary item for regional dance festivals and eisteddfods that occur in Semester 1 and another piece for the Performance Evening in Term 3 before working on a jazz item and Schools Spectacular in Term 4.

A position on either ensemble is gained via an audition process conducted at the beginning of Term 1. This is a great opportunity for students to get a feel for the style of dance they will be performing under the direction of our industry experienced choreographers. Styles of dance explored in the program include lyrical, contemporary, and jazz!

Our Performances

Our dancers have access to several performance opportunities throughout the year that provide them with the chance to represent themselves and the school at local and regional festivals across Sydney. We are also regularly accepted to partake in the nationally broadcast Schools Spectacular.

Performance opportunities:

- Sutherland Dance Festival
- Synergy Dance Festival
- In the Spotlight Dance Festival
- Schools Spectacular

