

30 September – 3 October
2019

Closing date Sunday 22 September

The McDonald College

17 George Street,
North Strathfield, 2137

Intensive Examination Syllabus Classes

Classes & Workshops for Grades and Vocational Grades



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The Royal Academy of Dance NSW Regional Advisory Panel invites you to participate in a series of intensive examination classes aimed at preparing students for RAD exams. Classes are taken by Royal Academy of Dance examiners and tutors and focus on coaching the syllabus. Classes are available for Grade 1 and above. Students should have a good knowledge of the syllabus in order to gain the most benefit from attending.

Fees – Examination Intensive Classes

| GRADE | FEE | DURATION |
|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------|
| Grade 1 | \$55 | 2 x 1 hour classes over 1 day |
| Grade 2 | \$55 | 2 x 1 hour classes over 1 day |
| Grade 3 | \$55 | 2 x 1 hour classes over 1 day |
| Grade 4 | \$200 | 6 x 1.5 hour classes over 3 days |
| Grade 5 | \$200 | 6 x 1.5 hour classes over 3 days |
| Intermediate Foundation | \$200 | 6 x 1.5 hour classes over 3 days |
| Intermediate | \$200 | 6 x 1.5 hour classes over 3 days |
| Advanced Foundation | \$200 | 6 x 1.5 hour classes over 3 days |
| Advanced I | \$200 | 6 x 1.5 hour classes over 3 days |
| Advanced 2 | \$75 | 2 x 1.5 hour classes over 1 day |
| EXTRA CLASS – Thursday 3 Oct | | |
| Grade 4 | \$30 | 1 x 1.5 hour classes over 1 day |
| Grade 5 | \$30 | 1 x 1.5 hour classes over 1 day |
| Intermediate Foundation | \$30 | 1 x 1.5 hour classes over 1 day |
| Intermediate | \$30 | 1 x 1.5 hour classes over 1 day |
| Advanced Foundation | \$40 | 1 x 2.5 hour classes over 1 day |
| Advanced I | \$40 | 1 x 2.5 hour classes over 1 day |

All fees include GST ABN 88 132 361 256 and a non-refundable 10% administration fee. Terms and conditions apply and are available and agreed online at the time of booking.

Teachers' Observation

Comprehensive Syllabus classes: Teachers may attend the Comprehensive Syllabus classes on Thursday 3 October. Classes include a Q&A Session. Each Comprehensive Syllabus Class is worth 4 hrs Time-Valued CPD points.

Limited spaces are available. Teachers can not turn up on the day and expect to go to a class.

Fee: \$50 per class

Bookings must be made in advance online www.trybooking.com/BELAO

Timetable

Examination Intensive Classes

| Monday 30 September – Wednesday 2 October | | | | |
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| | Studio 1 | Studio 2 | Studio 3 | Studio 4 |
| 9.00 – 10.30 | Grade 4 | Grade 5 | Int Group A | Int F Group A |
| 10.30 – 10.45 | MORNING TEA | | | |
| 10.45 – 12.15 | Grade 4 | Grade 5 | Int Group A | Int F Group A |
| 12.15 – 1.15 | LUNCH | | | |
| 1.15 – 2.45 | Int F Group B | Int Group B | Advanced 1 | Ad Found |
| 2.45 – 3.00 | AFTERNOON TEA | | | |
| 3.00 – 4.30 | Int F Group B | Int Group B | Advanced 1 | Ad Found |

| Thursday 3 October | |
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| Time | Studio 1 |
| 9.00 - 10.00 | Grade 1 |
| 10.00 – 10.15 | MORNING TEA |
| 10.15 – 11.15 | Grade 1 |
| 11.15 – 12.15 | Grade 2 |
| 12.15 – 12.30 | BREAK |
| 12.30 – 1.30 | Grade 2 |
| 1.30 – 2.30 | LUNCH |
| 2.30 – 3.30 | Grade 3 |
| 3.30 – 3.45 | AFTERNOON TEA |
| 3.45 – 4.45 | Grade 3 |

| Thursday 3 October | |
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| Time | Studio 2 |
| 9.00 – 10.30 | Ad 2 Female |
| 10.30 – 10.45 | MORNING TEA |
| 10.45 – 12.15 | Ad 2 Female |
| 12.15 – 1.15 | LUNCH |
| 1.15 – 2.45 | Advanced 2 Male |
| 2.45 – 3.00 | AFTERNOON TEA |
| 3.00 – 4.30 | Advanced 2 Male |

| Thursday 3 October | | |
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| Teacher Observation Classes | | |
| Time | Studio 3 | Studio 4 |
| 9.00 – 10.30 | Grade 4 | Grade 5 |
| 10.30 – 11.00 | Q&A | Q&A |
| 11.00 – 11.15 | MORNING TEA | |
| 11.15 – 12.45 | Int F | Inter |
| 12.45 – 1.15 | Q&A | Q&A |
| 1.15 – 2.00 | LUNCH | |
| 2.00 – 4.30 | Ad F | Ad 1 |
| 4.30 – 5.00 | Q&A | Q&A |

Faculty

Chrisanthi Nagendra (RAD Examiner)

Chrisanthi has over 45 years of teaching experience in Sydney, Sri Lanka and London.

She has taught in leading schools and institutions encouraging and instilling the love of dance to students. Some students continued on with careers in dance and related areas of employment.

Samantha Leeman (RAD Examiner)

Samantha trained with former RAD Examiner Ms Betty Laws in Canberra, and full-time with former Dual Examiner for the RAD Ms Prudence Bowen in Sydney where she completed her Advanced 2 examination. Samantha was a finalist in the GIO Ballet Scholarships (now McDonald's Scholarships) and performed in seasons with Sydney Dance Company and the Queensland Ballet. Despite being offered a contract with Queensland Ballet Samantha chose instead to travel to London to complete her training at the Royal Ballet School. After retiring early from her professional dance career due to injury, and upon her return to Australia Samantha commenced teaching for various ballet schools, firstly in Perth then in Canberra. In 2007 Samantha moved back to Perth to take over as Principal of Stevens Dance Academy, now known as Academie Etoiles. Under Samantha's direction the Academie has grown and introduced a full-time training program, which has seen graduating students accepted into various schools and companies in Australia, New Zealand and Europe.

Lindsay Ellman-Brown (RAD Examiner)

Lindsay was born and raised in Zimbabwe and then moved to London in 1985 and trained at the College of the Royal Academy of Dance in London. Returning home to dance with the National Ballet of Zimbabwe, she also choreographed and produced full-length ballets for the company. Lindsay ran her own ballet school with over 250 students, for 10 years in Zimbabwe before immigrating to Australia. She holds a Diploma and Licentiate from the RAD, as well as a Masters Degree in Dance Teaching from QUT. Since becoming an RAD Examiner in 1999, Lindsay travels extensively both nationally and internationally, examining and teaching.

Karen Suttie (RAD Examiner)

Karen is a registered teacher of the Royal Academy of Dance and has been teaching and operating her own school for over 25 years. Trained in Newcastle under the guidance of Roxanne McCourtie and Tessa Maunder, she had a passion for Classical Ballet that lead her to undertake the Royal Academy of Dance Teachers Certificate and Teachers Diploma, receiving both.

Over the years she has coached many students, some of which were finalists in the Isobel Anderson Awards with an Alana Haines Awards finalist winning the Supreme category. Many former students have also been accepted into pre-professional training schools including the New Zealand School of Dance, Victorian College of the Arts and the National Institute of Dramatic Art, as well as Ballet Companies like the Royal New Zealand Ballet, Melbourne City Ballet and the Sydney Dance Company to pursue their dancing Careers.

She was recently appointed to the Royal Academy of Dance Panel of Examiners and tutors' students for RAD Examinations throughout Australia.

Why come to the Intensive Classes?

Here's what one of our teachers has to say...

“Spring School is a wonderful opportunity to gain some valuable coaching before the students’ exams. A fresh voice and the wonderful studios enable the students to really focus on the work and gain greater understanding of how to execute their dancing better and how to space the exam work within different spaces.

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