

Jesmond Public School

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7th February 2023

Star Struck 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Your child has expressed interest in being able to audition for our Star Struck Dance Group for 2023. In order for Jesmond Public School to be part of Star Struck 2023, we first need to audition for a place in the performance. This involves the teachers filming the students performing the audition dance and sending the video to the Star Struck committee to judge. Star Struck 2023 will consist of 2 separate casts performing 2 shows each (1 matinee and 1 evening performance). Casts, performance dates and times will be determined by the Star Struck committee.

The following information is provided should our audition be successful.

Key Dates:

End April-Early May – 1-day combined dance rehearsal (Date to be advised)

24 or 25 May - Movement rehearsal – (date dependent upon which cast we are placed in)

14 or 15 June – Full dress and technical rehearsal (date dependent upon which cast we are placed in)

16 and 17 of June – Star Struck performances at the Newcastle Entertainment Centre including matinee and evening performances (one matinee and one night performance for each cast).

Fees:

If accepted in to Star Struck the fees per student are;

\$35.50 participation fee

\$25 t-shirt fee – required as part of the finale costume

Students are later required to pay a fee (TBA) for their own costumes for their accepted routine –

Costume fees can be up to \$100-\$120. This fee will be decided by the Star Struck committee if our audition is successful.

Total per student is **\$60.50 + costume** - PLEASE NOTE: DO NOT PAY ANY FUNDS TO THE SCHOOL UNTIL WE ARE ADVISED OF THE OUTCOME OF OUR AUDITION – after 10 March 2023.

Please return the signed slip on the following page to Mrs Couper or Mrs Woodbridge by Thursday 23rd February 2023. This slip indicates:-

- Permission for your child to be filmed for the audition video,
- a commitment to pay associated costs as outlined above, and
- a commitment to provide necessary transport to and from scheduled rehearsals and performance dates which occur outside of normal school hours.

Gaye Couper
Organising Teacher

Deborah Kelly
Principal



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Please return note by **Thursday 23rd February 2023**

I give permission for my child _____ **to be filmed for the Star Struck audition video.** I understand this video will be sent to the Star Struck committee to be viewed.

I commit to paying the associated costs of \$60.50 (plus costume fee) per child. I understand that no money is to be paid until after 10 March 2023.

I agree provide necessary transport to and from scheduled rehearsals and performance dates which occur outside of normal school hours.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____



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