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# READY SET DANCE



## READY SET Ballet

## READY SET Acro



## READY SET MOVE with me

2024

WELCOME PACK



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# OUR STUDIO

With a focus on strong technique, versatility and excellence, Pointe Dynamic Arts and our team of fully qualified staff are committed to creating a safe and nurturing environment where students are encouraged to work hard and develop a love of the performing arts.

We believe that performing arts training encourages young people to develop a positive self-image. Along with improving coordination skills and developing muscular awareness, our classes give children the freedom to express themselves through movement and performance whilst learning valuable lessons about respect, commitment, discipline and team work.

The highest educational standards are expected from all Pointe Dynamic Arts staff members. They are lifelong learners who continue to educate themselves through certification programs, teacher-training schools, conferences, professional work and other learning opportunities.

At Pointe Dynamic Arts our classes are designed to stimulate the enjoyment of performing arts while laying an important foundation for further training. As the student advances, the variety and intensity of the class work increases. Optional opportunities in solos, duos and Performance Teams offer students the opportunity to take their training to a pre professional level if they desire.



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# OUR PROGRAMS



READY SET DANCE is a one hour combo class of JAZZ, TAP, HIP HOP, SINGING and MUSIC.

Designed for both boys and girls, the program focuses on teaching the fundamentals of dance while developing confidence, coordination and creativity in a professional and safe environment.

## **JAZZ**

Develop muscle strength, control and balance and achieve coordination milestones like skipping before going to school.

## **HIP HOP**

Bust out some ice cold moves just like FREEZE to our original hip hop tracks.

## **MUSIC**

Develop the musical ear, dynamics and tempo while having fun with instruments and the parachute.

## **SINGING**

Sing like TWIRL and build confidence singing on the microphone.

## **TAP**

Learn the fundamentals of tap in a playful and creative way splashing in puddles and shuffling like a penguin.



READY SET BALLET is 30 minute magical ballet experience for 2- 5 year olds where they learn the fundamentals of classical ballet.

## **MUSIC**

Engage in specifically designed music that captures the beauty of classical ballet

## **CURRICULUM**

Develop coordination, body awareness, strength and flexibility both through visual and auditory instruction.

## **MIME**

Explore creativity and gain confidence by going on a picnic with FREEZE and TWIRL, riding the tutu train to storybook lane and so much more.

## **THEMED DANCES**

Learn the beautifully themed dances that have music prompts to support preschooler's playful participation.

## **PROPS**

Have fun twirling with rainbow ribbons, swaying with feathers and popping bubbles. These resources support tactile awareness and strengthen fine motor coordination and control.



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Ready Set Acro is a collaborative acrobatic program developed with Industry Leader Acrobatic Arts, specifically designed for preschoolers. It emphasises safe and effective progressions to foster the physical and social skills needed for healthy early childhood development. The program is developed with original music with lyric cues and focuses on three key components: Stretch, Strength, and Skills.

Led by FLEXY, the Giraffe, the **STRETCH** component incorporates age-appropriate exercises to enhance flexibility and mobility, through movements like splits and backbends. The **STRENGTH** aspect, guided by BRIDGIE, the Elephant, builds physical strength and control through fun and safe exercises that help little dancers perform moves with power. FLIPPY, the Penguin, leads the **SKILL** portion, developing a range of acrobatic movements, from basic poses and balances, to more complex hand stands and cartwheels whilst always working at an appropriate level for their skill and experience.

The guided training and structured approach allows instructors to successfully conduct a dynamic and engaging preschool acrobatics class that not only promotes holistic developmental milestones but teaches a range of exciting AcroDance Skills.



READY SET MOVE is a creative movement and music class for toddlers and their grown up. The class consists of 3 sections – ENGAGE, EXPLORE AND EXPRESS.

The **ENGAGE** section is a playful exploration of music, nursery rhymes, lap play and parachute fun.

The **EXPLORE** section is set up as a circuit around the room with stepping stones, tunnels and sensory activities designed to encourage investigation and build coordination skills.

The **EXPRESS** section of the class involves free dance movement which develops creativity with instruments, feathers and bubbles.

Join our community and learn new ways to interact with your toddler. Young children at this age are in the period of highest brain growth and development in their lifespan.

Participating in READY SET MOVE with the support of a grown up can make a significant contribution to play, development and learning. So come and bounce like a bunny, be slow like a sloth and create memories with your special little mover.



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# OUR TEAM



Miss Mon - Monique Barrios  
Studio Owner & Teacher



Miss Hannah - Hannah Perritt  
Team Leader & Teacher



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## 2024 TIMETABLE:

MONDAY - STUDIO 1		MONDAY - STUDIO 2	
9.30AM	READY SET ACRO LVL 1	9.30AM	READY SET ACRO LVL 2
10.00AM	READY SET DANCE LVL 1	10.00AM	READY SET DANCE LVL 2
11.00AM	READY SET BALLET LVL 1	11.00AM	READY SET BALLET LVL 2

TUESDAY - STUDIO 1	
9.15AM	READY SET MOVE
10.00AM	READY SET DANCE COMBO
11.00AM	READY SET BALLET COMBO

WEDNESDAY - STUDIO 1		WEDNESDAY - STUDIO 2	
9.30AM	READY SET ACRO LVL 1	9.30AM	READY SET ACRO LVL 2
10.00AM	READY SET DANCE LVL 1	10.00AM	READY SET DANCE LVL 2
11.00AM	READY SET BALLET LVL 1	11.00AM	READY SET BALLET LVL 2



## 2024 TIMETABLE:

THURSDAY - STUDIO 1	
9.15AM	READY SET MOVE
10.00AM	READY SET DANCE COMBO
11.00AM	READY SET BALLET COMBO

FRIDAY - STUDIO 1		FRIDAY - STUDIO 2	
9.30AM	READY SET ACRO LVL 1	9.30AM	READY SET ACRO LVL 2
10.00AM	READY SET DANCE LVL 1	10.00AM	READY SET DANCE LVL 2
11.00AM	READY SET BALLET LVL 1	11.00AM	READY SET BALLET LVL 2

SATURDAY - STUDIO 1	
9.30AM	READY SET ACRO COMBO
10.00AM	READY SET DANCE COMBO
11.00AM	READY SET BALLET COMBO



# ROLLOVER ENROLMENT

This year we are introducing Rollover Enrolments for all current students.

## **What is Rollover Enrolment and how does it work?**

Rollover Enrolment means that you will automatically be rolled over in to our new season for 2024 on the 19th of October 2023. On this date we will send you a link to pay your registration and this will ensure you are on our priority list for enrolment which will open on the 1st of November.

## **What do we gain by doing the Rollover?**

- Secured Enrolment for 2024
- Priority Placement for your classes next year (first pick)
- Registration covers all your child's insurance, music and membership etc.
- Early Bird Ticket sales to all our 2024 PDA Showcases & Productions

## **What if I am not ready to Enrol for 2024?**

If you are not yet sure of your plans for 2024 but know you are 100% wanting to register for classes you can still rollover and hold off selecting your classes till your ready and also get all the perks.

Still want to wait? You can chose to Opt-out of the Rollover. This must be done by the 26th of October 2023 and once you have opted out if you chose to return to classes you will need to do so as a new member and will miss out on the bonus' offered with the rollover and may run the risk of missing out on your choice of days and times for class.

To Opt-out please email us to let us know and we will make a note to check in with you later in the year.





## ENROL FOR CLASSES

Enrolment is on a first come, first served basis. All enrolments are processed in the order received and class size limitations will be strictly observed to ensure quality over quantity in our class time.

It's important that all students and/or parents – whether returning or new - register online so we can ensure we have the most up-to- date contact details for you.

This information includes contact details, media release form (so we can show off our amazing performers), acknowledgement of studio policies and our public liability/insurance contract. These are available on the Parent Portal.

To enrol visit <https://app.classmanager.com/portal/pointe-dynamic-arts>



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## IMPORTANT DATES:

Our calendar for all Ready Set classes follow the Pre School format in 2024. This means we now run all year round, with the exception of Public Holidays and a 2 week break over the Christmas and New Year period.

The dates for the dancing year are as follows:

**January 8th 2024 to December 21st 2024**

Classes will be closed on the following NSW Public Holidays:

**Australia Day - Thursday 26th Jan**

**Good Friday - Friday 29th Mar**

**Easter Saturday - Saturday 30th Mar**

**ANZAC Day - Thursday 25th Apr**

**King's Birthday - Monday 10th Jun**

**Labour Day - Monday 7th Oct**

Classes will not be billed on these dates.

End of Year Performance Proposed Dates:

**December 7th/8th 2024**

(More details will be provided later in the year, dates may be subject to change depending on venues)



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## PRICES:

<b>Name of Class</b>	<b>Price per Lesson</b>
Ready Set Dance	\$18.00
Ready Set Ballet	\$15.00
Ready Set Acro	\$15.00
Ready Set Move	\$20.00

Tuition is billed fortnightly via Stripe

### **Tiny Star Package**

3 Class Deal: Ready Set Dance, Acro & Ballet  
\$45.00

2 Class Deal: Ready Set Dance &  
Ready Set Acro OR Ballet  
\$30.00

### **Additional Costs**

End of Year Performance - \$80.00 per family  
End of Year Performance Costumes - \$60.00 per costume



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## UNIFORM:

All READY SET DANCE, READY SET BALLET, READY SET ACRO & READY SET MOVE students will be required to wear the official uniform that we are sure you will love. Below are the following options that can be purchased at via the parent portal.

### Ready Set Dance, Ballet & Acro



### Ready Set Move



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## Ready Set Ballet Accessories



## Winter Warm Up Gear



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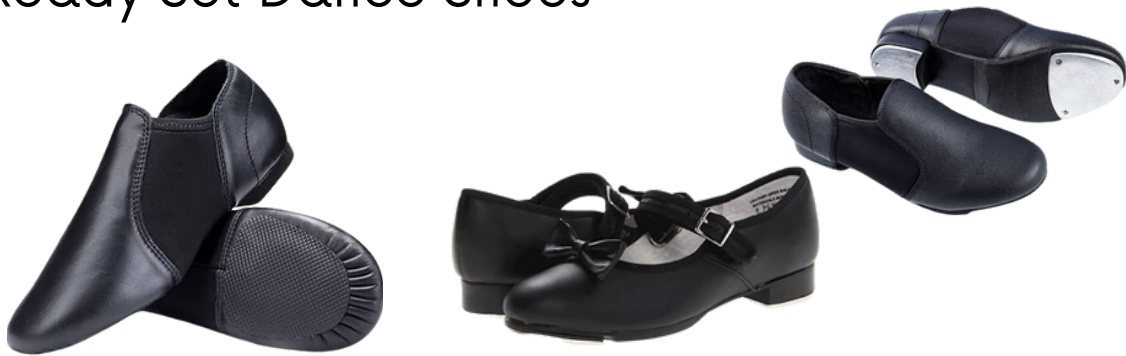
# Accessories



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Each class requires a special type of shoe or shoes for students to be able to fully participate in this classes and work their feet correctly and safely in dance. These items can be purchased at The Dance Essentials Co. in Bowral.

## Ready Set Dance Shoes



Ready Set Dance students will require Black Jazz shoes and Black Tap Shoes. For Tap we request Mary Jane Velcro Taps (Female) or Slip On Black Taps (Male).

## Ready Set Ballet Shoes



Ready Set Ballet students will require leather full sole ballet shoes in pink/flesh tone (female) or black (male)

\*Note: Ready Set Acro & Ready Set Move do not require specific shoes.

Ready Set Acro: We recommend students wear convertible tights so they can be rolled up when in Acro and down for other classes.

Ready Set Move Students may wear Socks, Sneakers or Jazz Shoes.



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## FAQ:

### **Can I watch my child's classes?**

In our experience preschoolers are able to concentrate better without the distraction of other noise in the room from parents and other siblings. Our program has been endorsed by leading child care experts who support the independent learning model. As preschoolers participate in classes they have the opportunity to develop additional secure attachments with adults (teachers) and peers. This helps them transition positively into the larger world and helps with school readiness.

Having said that, a lot of children are timid at first and need to know that a parent is close by. Our program allows parents to watch the first class if necessary to help them adjust.

### **Are your teacher's qualified?**

All teachers have their Working with Children Check and follow the program that is endorsed by early learning experts. READY SET DANCE teachers are required to gain their accreditation from READY SET DANCE head office before delivering the program.

### **Do we need to purchase uniform and shoes?**

Students must wear the READY SET DANCE uniform. However, we need to make sure we are the right fit for you and your child before committing to anything. Comfortable clothes and sneakers are fine for the first couple of lessons. Once your child has settled you can purchase the official READY SET DANCE uniform at reception which we are sure you will love.

### **What is watching day?**

Watching day is where parents get to view their child dance as an audience in the classroom. It's a chance for your child to begin their first step to working on their performance skills.

### **If we miss a class can it be made up on another day of the week?**

You may swap days during Terms 1, 2 and 3 if you miss a class (as long as the make up class is not full). In term 4, each class works on a different routine for the end-of-year concert, and it is too confusing for students to be swapping days. We do recommend that you avoid alternating days too much as preschoolers need the comfort of knowing that the same teacher and their friends will be there when they go to dancing.

### **How can I experience READY SET DANCE at home?**

READY SET DANCE airs every day on Nick Jr at 10am. You can also catch us on YouTube and the Nick Jr Play App. The Show has been so popular that it is now airing in 120 countries all over the world. Preschoolers love to dance along to their favourite songs from the TV show in their classes every week.





# TERMS & CONDITIONS

## ATTENDANCE

1. Enrolment at Pointe Dynamic Arts is a commitment for the full year, divided into 4 terms between the 30th of Jan to the 16th of Dec 2023 (40 weeks). Enrolments will automatically roll over to the next term unless advised otherwise.
2. Students are to attend class each week, except in cases of illness or serious personal matters; please inform us by phone/SMS if a student is to be absent from class.
3. Students are expected to be punctual, please arrive no more than 5 min before your class.
4. Lateness is disruptive to the class and other students, and warm up at the beginning of class is essential to ensure the students are physically prepared to participate safely in class.
5. If a student does not attend class and we have not received any notice a courtesy SMS will be sent so that we can make sure all students are accounted for.
6. Participation in the End of Year showcase on the 10/11th of December is expected of all students, please advise us in writing by the commencement of Term 2 if you will not be in attendance for the Showcase.
7. Students not taking part in the showcase are still able to participate in classes, we ask in advance so absences can be accounted for in the choreography and purchasing of costumes.
8. Attendance at all scheduled rehearsals, events and performances is required of all students.

## ETIQUETE

1. All enquiries, concerns and questions are to be sent to the director, Mrs Monique E Barrios or reception.
2. If you have been unable to contact the director or reception and need to get a message to a teacher (e.g. Early pick up, injury etc.) please send a signed note with the student to hand in on arrival.
3. Our class time is dedicated to the students getting the most out of every class, if you are needing to speak to a teacher or would like feedback on your child's progress, please leave a message with the director or reception to arrange a meeting time outside of class hours.
4. Only Staff and students are permitted to enter the studio teaching space during class times unless invited to do so (e.g. Open Week, Costume assistance etc.). Drop off and pick up is to be at the designated zones outside the studio, this will be outlined in an email before classes commence with the latest updates.
5. While there is a class on please keep noise levels in the reception/waiting area to a minimum, as it is disruptive to the learning of the other students and to our neighbours.
6. No food or drink other than water is permitted during class time.
7. Pointe Dynamic Arts will send email updates and SMS reminders of important events/dates. Be sure to read all information provided to keep up to date with the latest news at the studio. These will also be posted on our Parent Portal, so you will always have important information at hand.
8. Pointe Dynamic Arts creates a fun, safe and friendly learning environment. Bullying or any other kind of disrespectful behaviour from students and/or their families will not be tolerated and can result in suspension or expulsion from the studio.
9. If for any reason you or your child have any concerns with classes at Point Dynamic Arts please do not hesitate to contact us to discuss.



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## CHILD SAFETY AND PROTECTION

1. Students are to be dropped off directly to their class teacher at hand over before class, all adults are to please wait in the reception areas during class time.
2. Any individual including students outside of the studio or in the waiting areas are not responsibility of Pointe Dynamic Arts. Please ensure your child is picked up and dropped off on time, friends or siblings are not to be left at the studio while waiting for students to finish classes.
3. No student under the age of 13 will be permitted to leave the studio alone or without being picked up by a parent guardian or nominated persons. Please do not wait in the car park, you must come in to collect your child.
4. Parents are asked to wait in the studio reception or outside the studio doors for pick up, your teacher will bring your child to you at the end of class.
5. Please ensure your child has been to the toilet before class and if they are still toilet training we ask parents please remain at the studio during class in case their child needs to go to the bathroom during class.
6. Dance classes are a physical activity, and it may be required for a teacher to engage in contact to enable correct alignment or to perform first aid. All teachers, staff and volunteers of Pointe Dynamic Arts have the new Working with Children Check that began in NSW from July 2013. (You can find further details in our studio Child Protection Policy on the parent Portal)

## TIMETABLE, CALENDER, AND INFORMATION

1. The calendar of events for the year will be available after the 30th Jan 2023. Please note that changes and additions can and may occur due to unforeseen circumstances be made to the calendar as the year progresses. If this becomes the case for an event or class, you or your child/children are involved in you will be advised with as much notice as possible.
2. As a part of our "Going Green" policy all newsletters, notes and reminders are digital. To ensure you receive all newsletters and updates please keep an eye on your emails or check the parent portal.

## PRESENTATION

1. Presentation is an essential part of performing arts training, a life skill as well as for safety. All students must adhere to the studio uniform and presentation requirements for all classes.
2. Long hair is to be slicked back and off the face for all classes and is required to be in a ballet bun for classical ballet classes. Short hair must be off their face, ties back if possible to neatly styled off the face.
3. For safety, all jewellery and watches are to be removed before class.
4. If a student does not have their correct uniform, shoes or does not have their hair done for class their teacher has the right to ask them to sit out the class or correct their uniform/hair before re-entering class as it may be unsafe for them to participate.
5. When in uniform students are representing the studio even when outside of class, we ask that they will always behave in a professional manner.



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## PERFORMANCES & CHOREOGRAPHY

1. As a part of enrolling at Pointe Dynamic Arts all students perform at the end of year showcase. This year's showcase will be on the 10/11th of December and details of the shows will be given closer to the dates.

## PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Pointe Dynamic Arts holds the right to utilise any photography in the advertising and promotion of the studio. If for any reason you or your child do not consent to this use of the imagery, please ensure you have noted this on your enrolment form.
2. Photos and video will be taken at our end of year performance as a memento for each of our students of their shows. If you do not consent to your child's image appearing in these photos/videos please advise us so we can make arrangement to film the routine without your child for the DVD.
3. At times videos will be provided for class practice, these videos are not to be posted or shared under any circumstance.
4. You may be invited to film your child during our open weeks. Please note that no more than 15sec of video and audio containing Ready Set Dance material can be posted online.

## SOCIAL MEDIA

1. We ask that parents and students please refrain from "friend requesting" or "following" teachers and staff of PDA on social media. As we live in a small town there are some people within the studio that are personal friends or family of our staff, it is a personal choice of each staff member as to whom they choose to have on their Facebook or other forms of social media.
2. Pointe Dynamic Arts does have a public page on Facebook and Instagram that students and families are permitted and encouraged to follow and see the latest updates on what is happening at the studio, share photos ask questions or contact us and other information.

DISCLAIMER – Dance, Drama and Singing classes are a physical activity, with a risk of personal injury. Pointe Dynamic Arts takes every precaution to ensure the safety of all students in class, rehearsals or other performances and studio-based events; it therefore accepts no responsibility for any injury or loss whilst either at or near the studio or any other premises we may be operating. It is your responsibility to ensure that you/your child are physically and medically fit to participate.



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# JOIN OUR COMMUNITY

Check out the latest updates and sneak peaks in to our classes via our instagram specially dedicated to Ready Set Dance at Pointe Dynamic Arts



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