



# Jazz & Contemporary

Sitting an exam is optional and students will be able to progress next year regardless of whether they enter an exam or not.

#### IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SIT AN EXAM, READ ON...

- Tentative dates for exams and extra practices are overleaf. Extra practices (at Thorndon) are compulsory if entering. Exact dates and times of exams will be confirmed after entries close.
- Exams mostly take place during school time on weekdays, or sometimes on weekends.





#### Who are the Examiners?

Our studio is registered with the New Zealand Association of Modern Dance (NZAMD) for jazz and contemporary. Examiners are qualified professionals with a vast background in dance and experience examining. They are trained to put dancers at ease and encourage them to dance to the best of their ability on the day.

#### **Preparation**

- Candidates will have access to the online studio, which has been updated with learning lists and videos towards the end of Term 2.
- Work hard in class and attend the extra practices (see below).

#### **Key Points**

- Uniform is as for class please see wellingtondance.co.nz/dance-uniform
- Hair will be done for you by studio staff on exam day. Please bring \$5 and your own hair brush.
- Your class & private lesson tuition must be up to date before exam entries are accepted.
- Please remember exams are optional.
- Please Note there are no refunds available for exam fees unless a medical certificate is provided.
- If you would like help with your entry, please call Wendy at the office 04 2108642



### **Practice Dates**

**PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS:** 1x 'Dance Day' (**Sunday 26th May**) & 3x exam practices on Sundays 1st, 8th and 22nd September.

Jazz & Contemporary Dance Day (timetable below) - Sunday 26th May
Exam Rehearsals - Save the dates Sunday 1st, 8th & 22nd September.

^ Sunday exam rehearsal timetable will be confirmed once entries close ^

Thorndon Studio 1		Thorndon Studio 2	
10.30am	Jazz Grade 1		
11.30am	Jazz Pre Grades		
12.30pm	Jazz Grade 2		
1.30pm	Break		
1.45pm	Jazz Grade 4		
2.45pm	Jazz Grade 3	2.45pm	Contemporary Grade 4 & Snr Fd
3.45pm	Jazz Senior Foundation	3.45pm	Contemporary Senior 1 & 2
4.45pm	Jazz Senior 1 (Pre El)	4.45pm	Contemporary Senior 3+
5.45pm	Break	5.45pm	Finish
6.00pm	Jazz Senior 2 (Elementary)	6.00pm	Jazz Senior 4/5 (Advanced 2)
7.00pm	Jazz Senior 3 (Intermediate)	7.00pm	Finish
8.00pm	Finish		











## **Entry Fees**

#### **Please Note:**

- There are **no refunds** available for exam fees unless a medical certificate is provided.
- Any entries after Weds 5th June will incur a \$20 late fee

Exam	Entry fee (incl exam day & admin fee) + Dance Day (\$16) + x3 practices (\$64.50)	
Jazz Pre Grades (NZAMD Pre Rosette 3)	\$75 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$155.50	
Jazz Grade 1	\$79 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$159.50	
Jazz Grade 2	\$83 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$163.50	
Jazz Grade 3	\$87 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$167.50	
Jazz Grade 4	\$95 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$175.50	
Jazz Senior Foundation (Grade 5)	\$97 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$177.50	
Jazz Senior 1 (Pre Elementary)	\$104 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$184.50	
Jazz Senior 2 (Elementary)	\$117 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$197.50	
Jazz Senior 3 (Intermediate)	\$121 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$201.50	
Jazz Senior 4/5 (Advanced 2)	\$129 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$209.50	
Contemporary Grade 4 & Snr Fd (Level 1)	\$87 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$167.50	
Contemporary Senior 1 & 2 (Level 3)	\$103 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$183.50	
Contemporary Senior 3+ (Level 5)	\$121 + \$16 + \$64.50 = \$201.50	





Exam Dates
Mon 23rd - Fri
27th September
(TBC)