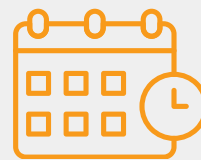


Jazz Exams & Assessments

Sitting a Jazz exam or assessment is optional and students will be able to progress next year regardless of whether they enter or not. Your teacher will recommend an exam or assessment based on individual readiness.

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

- 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.



Exam Dates
Mon 21st - Fri 25th
September
(TBC)

Who are the Examiners?

Our studio is registered with the New Zealand Association of Modern Dance (NZAMD). 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 will be updated with learning lists and videos towards the end of Term 2.
- Work hard in class and attend the extra **compulsory** practices (see below). Dancers who are unable to attend these compulsory practices might have their exam entry altered to an assessment, depending on their readiness.

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

To enter, go to www.wellingtondance.co.nz/hub

Practice Dates

PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS: 1x 'Dance Day' (**Sunday 17th May**) & 3x exam practices on Sundays 30th August, 13th & 20th September.

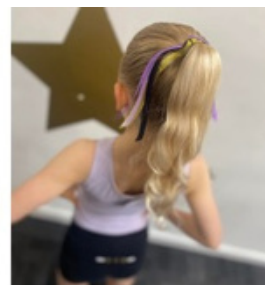
Jazz Dance Day (timetable below) - Sunday 17th May

Thorndon Studios

10.00am - 11.00am	Jazz Grade 2	
11.00am - 12.00pm	Jazz Pre Grades	
12.00pm - 1.00pm	Jazz Grade 3 (<i>studio 1</i>)	Jazz Senior 4 (Advanced 1) (<i>studio 2</i>)
1.00pm - 2.00pm	Jazz Grade 1	
2.00pm - 3.00pm	Jazz Grade 4	
3.00pm - 4.00pm	Jazz Senior Foundation (Grade 5)	
4.00pm - 5.00pm	Jazz Senior 1 (Pre Elementary)	
5.00pm - 6.00pm	Jazz Senior 2 (Elementary)	
6.00pm - 7.00pm	Jazz Senior 3 (Intermediate)	
	<i>Finish</i>	

**Jazz Senior 5 (Advanced 2): Friday date and time to be advised*

Exam Practices - Save the dates Sunday 30th Aug, 13th & 20th Sept.
Sunday exam practices timetable will be confirmed once entries close.



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Entry Fees

Please Note:

- There are **no refunds** available for exam fees unless a medical certificate is provided.
- Any entries after Weds 27th May will incur a **\$20 late fee**
- Sunday practices are 1 hour long for Pre Grades - Senior Foundation and 1.5 hours for Senior 1+

Exam (or assessment)	Entry fee (incl exam day & admin fee) + Dance Day (\$20) + x3 practices*
Jazz Pre Grades (<i>NZAMD Pre Rosette 3</i>)	\$81 + \$20 + \$69 = \$170
Jazz Grade 1	\$85 + \$20 + \$69 = \$174
Jazz Grade 2	\$89 + \$20 + \$69 = \$178
Jazz Grade 3	\$93 + \$20 + \$69 = \$182
Jazz Grade 4	\$101 + \$20 + \$69 = \$190
Jazz Senior Foundation (<i>Grade 5</i>)	\$103 + \$20 + \$69 = \$192
Jazz Senior 1 (<i>Pre Elementary</i>)	\$110 + \$20 + \$104 = \$234
Jazz Senior 2 (<i>Elementary</i>)	\$123 + \$20 + \$104 = \$247
Jazz Senior 3 (<i>Intermediate</i>)	\$127 + \$20 + \$104 = \$251
Jazz Senior 4 (<i>Advanced 1</i>)	\$130 + \$20 + \$104 = \$254
JAZZ Senior 5 (<i>Advanced 2</i>)	\$134 + \$20 + \$104 = \$258

*Sunday practices for Grade and Senior Foundation dancers are 1 hour long. Senior 1+ Sunday practices are 1.5 hours long.

Exam vs Assessment

EXAM	ASSESSMENT
Perform barre, centre, combinations & dance for examiner in an exam group	Perform barre, centre, combinations & dance for examiner in an exam group
Receive a mark (graded result) on report card and certificate	No mark given. "Successfully Assessed" on report card and certificate
Both options follow the same classwork, practices and preparation—this simply reflects how your dancer is assessed at the end.	