21 March 2024



NSW Schools Spectacular Audition Expression of Interest 2024

Dear students,

Grays Point Public School will be auditioning for the 2024 NSW Schools Spectacular. Our school's dance teacher Alecia Picken and staff will be selecting approximately 12 students from Years 5 and 6 Jazz and Hip Hop to be involved in a filming of their dance to submit as an audition piece for this event. It is at the discretion of this staff who is to be selected for this audition piece and potentially for the final event. Students wishing to be part of the application must be in filmed submission.

Students are asked to wear black form-fitting dance attire and bare feet for the audition. The video will be filmed in week 10 on Thursday the 4th of April in dance class before school at 8:30am. If we are successful to be a part of this event, more information will be provided. Here are some important details to consider prior to auditioning and committing:

- Schools Spectacular will be held at Qudos Bank Arena, Sydney Olympic Park on Friday 29th and Saturday 30th November 2024. There will be 2 shows on the Friday and 2 shows on the Saturday.
- Up to 3 combined rehearsals will occur between Monday 4th November Thursday 28th November 2024.
- We will have a combined rehearsal on Monday 4th November, Wednesday 27th November and Thursday 28th November at Qudos Bank Arena prior to the performances.
- Extra rehearsals with Alecia and Miss Freestone will also occur in school.
- The cost for a costume for this event is approximately \$130 plus travel costs to the rehearsals and event (the school will try and assist where we can to support families with the cost through fundraising).

Any individuals wishing to apply as featured artists or other ensembles, apply directly to the School Spectacular website via this link: <u>https://artsunit.nsw.edu.au/schools-spectacular/applications/individual-students</u>

This is not part of our school's application.

Please have a discussion as a family as to whether you are interested in becoming a part of the audition process and potentially the main event. Please sign below and bring back your commitment letter to Miss Freestone (2 Aqua) by Friday 29th March (Week 9). Any questions, please come and see Miss Freestone.

Please return this slip to Miss Freestone by Friday 29th March (Week 9). Acknowledgement of commitment for audition for Schools Spectacular 2024 *****Please return this slip before auditioning.

I ______Class ______ Dance Group ______ am interested in auditioning for the school group 2024 Schools Spectacular. I understand that this will be a big commitment and have spoken to and have permission from my parents/caregivers to audition. I also understand that selection of students for auditions will be at the discretion of staff of Grays Point Public School.

Signed	(student)	Date

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