



TERMS & CONDITIONS

Enrolment and participation is based on agreement to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. All items produced by Infinite Dance Studios (including original music edits, choreography, creative concepts, costumes, props and sets) remain the property of Infinite Dance Studios and cannot be replicated or reproduced. All dance teaching staff are appropriately qualified and skilled in the delivery of dance tuition and while Infinite Dance Studios will not be held responsible for any injuries which may occur whilst in class or on the premises at Infinite Dance Studios will seek medical attention or administer basic first aid for your child immediately if needed.
- 2. In order to provide adequate dance training, it is necessary for dance teachers to physically coach in the development of student technique and placement, which may require strictly appropriate physical contact between dance teaching staff and students. It is also understood that any sort of development cannot occur without a formal and structured approach to all dance classes administered at Infinite Dance Studios. Dance is a form of discipline and this will be advocated throughout all dance classes at Infinite Dance Studios.
- 3. It is understood that an annual, non--refundable \$30 cash enrolment fee applies to all students at the commencement of their enrolment date.
- 4. When enrolling at Infinite Dance Studios, you are committing to IDS. We do not allow students to do classes at other dance schools or similar 'programs' while taking classes at Infinite unless an agreement has been made with the Director.
- 5. It is agreed that Term fees will be paid by the invoice due date or a late penalty fee of 10% will apply with an increase of 5% each week thereafter. ALL students attending two or more classes a week are expected to pay by the Term using our Direct Debit system. Installment options are available if personally discussed with Amanda at the beginning of the Term. Anyone wishing to not use our Direct Debit system will need to make an agreement with Amanda. Casual payment is ONLY available to those students doing 1 class per week. (Payments in cash ONLY).

"In the event where your overdue account is referred to a collection agency and/or law firm, you will be liable for all costs which would be incurred as if the debt is collected in full, including legal demand costs".

- 6. IDS uses a Direct Debit system to collect Term fees. If you choose not to use this payment method a \$5 administration fee will be added on top of each Term invoice to cover the administration staff processing your payment.
- 7. If paying casually it is a rule at Infinite Dance Studios that a maximum of two lessons per Term are allowed to be missed without payment. Payment for all lessons missed thereafter will be expected. A courtesy email, phone call or text message is expected for all absences. Positions will be jeopardised if students are noted to have missed a significant amount of classes without a formal explanation. This does not apply to students paying a term invoice as a discount has already been applied. If you no longer wish to be enrolled at IDS, you need to formally let us know in writing. The amount of classes charged for will be at the discretion of the IDS Director.
- 8. It is understood that there are NO REFUNDS on any payment of Term fees, enrolment fee, showcase fee, costume hire, uniform payment and DVD order for any reason, unless unforeseeable circumstances means that classes must cease for the Term at the direction of the Director or drastic personal circumstances have occurred. In any case, plenty of communication must occur between student, parent and teachers in these sorts of circumstances. If no communication has occurred, then no refunds will be given.
- 9. If there are any outstanding fees or administration fees from the following term, your child will not be allowed to participate in their classes until the account has been finalized. In Term 4 all accounts must be finalized by Tech rehearsal. Failure to do so will mean your child will not be able to perform in the end of year showcase. No refunds on any fees or tickets will be applied. If you decide you no longer wish to be part of Infinite Dance Studios end of year showcase, you must inform us ASAP. From Term 4 all invoices including costume and term must be finalised.





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- 10. Enrolments for the following year cannot be processed from any current student with any outstanding accounts. The \$30 enrollment will 100% secure your place at Infinite Dance Studios. This is non-refundable if your child leaves Infinite before the end of the year for any reason.
- 11. It is understood that those students participating in classes of an 'Elite' stream are expected to represent Infinite Dance Studios in competitions and performances throughout the dancing year. These may involve further costs such as; rehearsals, costume hire fees, choreographer fees and competition entry fees. All 'Elite' jazz and contemporary students are expected to attend two ballet classes per week in order to compete.
- 12. Students selected to be a part of Elite teams will be at the discretion of the Director and staff of Infinite Dance Studios. These decisions will be made based on several factors, including and not restricted to; technical strength, attendance, consistent development, commitment to classes and personal progress and rehearsal/competition availability.
- 13. All Infinite Dance Studios students are expected to perform in the annual showcase production. By participating in this event you are giving consent for Infinite Dance Studios to use photographs and/or video footage of the dance student for promotional purposes e.g. website, newspapers, events or flyers.
- 14. Please be aware that Infinite Dance Studios reserve the right to sell videos of students who participate in the end of year performance and professional performance and/or group photos throughout the year. Original photographs/videos taken by staff are held securely by Infinite Dance Studios and used for business purposes only.
- 15. All students enrolled in a Contemporary class will be expected to attend either two Ballet classes or one Strength and Conditioning class per week. Any student wishing to enroll in Ballet MUST do both scheduled Ballet classes each week.
- 16. All students are required to wear full studio uniform and have neat hair for every lesson. We do not "gloss over" students that attend lessons out of uniform. We firmly believe it is an important part of learning as it encourages a sense of discipline.
- 17. Students are to inform the Director or studio teacher/choreographer before entering in any particular 'workshops' or competitions. These shouldn't replace class time unless agreed by Infinite Dance Studios. When entering competitions for solos/duos etc, the Director will inform you when a piece is ready to be competed.
- 18. In Term 4 students are expected to attend ALL compulsory Showcase related rehearsals, this information can be found on class allocation email. Missing too many scheduled rehearsals may result in your child not being placed or missing out on some of their routines.
- 19. All parents are responsible for remaining up to date with studio information. Many avenues are provided to do this; E-mails, Facebook updates, Instagram posts and a detailed website.
- 20. Infinite Dance Studios cannot be held responsible for any property lost or damaged on the premises.
- 21. All students and parents are expected to behave in a respectable manner towards all staff members of Infinite Dance Studios both inside the studio and out. Any kind of disrespectful behavior will result in immediate expulsion of the student, forfeiting any term or advance payment.
- 22. All students and parents must respect all decisions made by the Directors of the studio.
- 23. Social media posts directly related/or involving Infinite Dance Studios Pty Ltd must be respectful and in line with the ethos and culture of the studio. No one is to post choreography from any class unless they have permission from
- the Director. All videos must mention the choreographer and studio.
- 24. All students enrolled at Infinite Dance Studios are equal. Bullying of any kind is NOT tolerated and will result in immediate expulsion.
- 25. During the period of enrolment and participation at Infinite Dance Studios, it is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to advise the Director if personal circumstances and/or information change.

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