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# Dance GCSE



**For Students in Year 9 or 10  
in September 2021  
New Course Starting September 2021  
Register today!**

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# AQA Dance GCSE Course starting September 2021

This two-year course is suitable for students who will be in Year 9 or 10 in September 2021 (13 years+)

**When: WEDNESDAY Evening - Times TBC**

**Where: The Marist School, Sunninghill**

The AQA Dance GCSE course seeks to promote knowledge, skill and understanding of dance through composition, performance and appreciation of each candidate's own work and that of others, including peers and professionals. Each student will experience a range of dance styles, while being allowed to develop his or her own technical and expressive skills. The Dance GCSE course will provide students with a rich source of ideas for creating dances and allow them to explore the relationship between content and form in the expression of a dance idea.



As well as developing their established technique and extending it to encompass numerous dance genres, the students will learn how to work as a team through the variety of choreographic tasks they



undertake and gain an excellent understanding of performance through the appreciation of their own and professional works. The course is divided into two components: Performance & Choreography (60%) and Dance Appreciation (40%). The course is spread over 2 years (6 Terms) and is available to students aged 13 years+. A minimum of 7 students will be required for the course to run. Students do not have to currently attend classes at NVSDD.

**Students come from a number of different academic schools in the area including** The Marist School, Charters, LVS, St George's Ascot, Wellington College, St Mary's Ascot, Heathfield Ascot, Salesian College, Ranelagh, Farnborough Hill, St George's Weybridge, Tomlinscote, Luckley House,

Windsor Girls School, Garth Hill, Gordon's School and Edgebarrow.



**If you enjoy dance, have plenty of energy and discipline and would like to develop the range of your dance skills, then the GCSE course is ideal for you.**

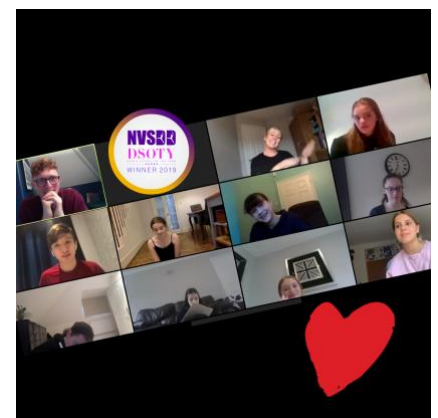
(Previous dance experience is necessary. Students must attend a regular weekly "technique" class.)

**RESULTS:** Since 2005, 145 students have taken the AQA GCSE Dance Examination at NVSDD with 100% Pass Rate. Over 90% of NVSDD students achieved A\*/B and 91% have taken their GCSE examination a year early, in Year 10. In 2020, 100% of our students achieved a Grade 8/6 (A\*/B) – all the girls took the exam in Year 10.

**Fees for 2021 -2022 = £315 per 10 week term (or pro rata.) Extras - £50 Deposit (Refunded April 2023), Exam Fee, Theatre Trips, Online Revision Courses, Additional Masterclasses**

**To register for the 2021 Dance GCSE Course please complete and return the attached form. Limited places available, on a first-come basis.**

In recent years NVSDD Dance GCSE students have enjoyed Masterclass Workshops with The Royal Ballet, Kimberly Wyatt, Rebecca Davies, StopGap Dance Co, Rambert Dance Co, Boy Blue Entertainment, Luke Brown Dance Co, James Cousins Co, The Professional Dance Experience and Arts Pool. Since March 2020, during all three Lockdowns, we have switched seamlessly to LIVE Online Learning – our programme of Live Workshops has continued, and we have welcomed James Cousins, Boy Blue Entertainment, Luke Brown and Christopher Tendai to our Virtual Studio. We are extremely proud of our Dance GCSE students – they have worked so hard and showed great resilience.



# NVSDD DANCE GCSE REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete the sections below, sign to confirm that you have read and understood the Terms & Conditions and return to [Natalie@ascot.dance](mailto:Natalie@ascot.dance) or **NVSDD, The Spinney, 7 Kingsley Avenue, Camberley, Surrey, GU15 2NA**. After registration you will be invoiced each term. Invoices will include all payment details. Please take note of NOTICE PERIOD and DATES or fees will be due in lieu if written notice is not given in time.

Student's Name	Date of Birth
Name of parent/guardian	
Tel Contact 1	Tel Contact 2
Email 1	Email 2
Student's Email	Student's Mobile
Address	Postcode
<b>Medical Information</b> <i>Please include any information about your child that may affect their class experience.</i>	
<b>SEN Information</b> <i>Please include any information if your daughter/son has Special Access Arrangements (Extra Time in written examinations)</i>	
Academic school?	
How did you hear about NVSDD?	
Previous Dance/Drama school attended?  Dance Experience?  Grades achieved? (Where possible, please send copies of the most recent examination report)	
<b>TERMS AND CONDITIONS</b> Attendance on the NVSDD Dance GCSE Course is dependent on acceptance of our Terms & Conditions. These can be found on our website <a href="http://www.nvschoolofdance.co.uk/t--cs.html">www.nvschoolofdance.co.uk/t--cs.html</a> Please read and confirm below that you have understood and accept the Terms and Conditions. It is the parents' responsibility to contact their son/daughter's "Academic" school to inform them about registration on the Dance GCSE course at NVSDD. Parents will be required to obtain their son/daughter's GCSE Examination Candidate Number in the Autumn Term 2022 from their school.	
<input type="checkbox"/> I confirm that I have read the NVSDD Terms and Conditions and that I understand and accept them.	
<input type="checkbox"/> I confirm that I am happy for my son/daughter to join the 2021/2023 NVSDD Dance GCSE WhatsApp group.	
Parent/Guardian Signature..... Date.....	



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