



PERFORMING ARTS UNIT

2022

PERFORMING ARTS UNIT OVERVIEW

The St Ives High School Performing Arts Unit builds on the schools thriving curriculum and creative arts culture. The PAU offers students the chance to further develop skills in performing, acting, dance and musical theatre, through participating in extra-curricular lessons in the Drama Ensemble, Musical Theatre and Dance. Through this program students will be able to showcase their work, have fun exploring their craft.

PAU PROGRAMS 2022

SIHS Drama Junior Ensemble (Years 7 & 8)

The St Ives Drama Ensemble provides an opportunity for students to further explore and develop their acting, improvisation, and collaborative skills with students from other year groups. Through engaging in range of drama games, Theatre Sport activities and playbuilding tasks, students will develop not only their skill as a performer, but also their confidence to perform for an audience at a school level and/or at inter-school competitions. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to develop new friendships while having fun with drama.

"We must all do theatre - to find out who we are, and to discover who we could become" ~ Augusto Boal

Day/Time: Monday, 3.20 - 5.00 pm

Term Cost: \$200 (10 Week Term)

Dance

Dance is a way to express oneself and find confidence. The Dance Program course is taught by specialised and inspiring teachers who explore many different styles with the students ranging from Hip-Hop, Ballet, Jazz and Contemporary. Students not only gain training in basic dance technique, but also learn many dance routines that are performed at various events throughout the year.

"There are short-cuts to happiness, and dancing is one of them"

-Vicki Baum-

Time: Wednesday, 3.20 - 5.00pm

Term Cost: \$200 (10 Week Term)

Musical Theatre

St Ives High School has a strong musical tradition, staging performances such as *Grease*, *Bring It On*, and *Matilda*. This Musical Theatre course will provide your child with the

necessary skills and techniques to be a part of such productions, as well as providing them with the confidence and preparation needed to undertake a principal role if they so desire.

The students will look at song presentation in many different Musical Theatre styles and be taught how to express their character within solo performances, group performances and full ensemble pieces. They will also explore the transition of scene into song, movement, vocal techniques and character projection.

"If I cannot fly, let me sing"

~Stephen Sondheim~

Day/Time: Tuesday, 2.20 - 4.00 pm

Term Cost: \$200 (10 Week Term)

CONTACTS

If you have any questions or require more information, please contact:

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