

Ringwood Secondary College
2017 Course Planning Document
VCE Unit 2 Dance

Time Allocation

This unit of work will consist of approximately 100 hours of which at least 50 hours will be class time. **To complete this unit of work satisfactorily, students must complete each of the following learning outcomes.**

Learning Outcomes

Outcome 1

The student should be able to analyse use of the elements of movement – time, space and energy – in selected dance traditions, styles and dance works.

Outcome 2

The student should be able to choreograph and perform a solo or group dance work, complete structured improvisations, and describe the dance-making processes and performance practices used in their own works.

Outcome 3

The student should be able to expressively perform a learnt solo or group dance work and analyse the processes used.

Assessment Tasks

1. Analysis of Prescribed Dance Work (outcome 1)

The student is required to complete a multimedia report on a chosen group dance piece.

Weighting: This task is worth 15% of the overall grade

Time allocated to task: 8 periods

Due: Term 3, Week 8

2. Compositional Solo Dance Film (outcome 2)

The student is required to choreograph, rehearse and perform a Compositional solo with an expressive intention and structured improvisations.

Weighting: This task is worth 25% of the overall grade

Time allocated to task: 30 periods

Due: Term 4, Week 3

3. Performance of Learnt Work

The student is required to learn and perform a solo or group piece

Weighting: This task is worth 25% of the overall grade

Time allocated to task: 30 periods

Due: Term 4, Week 3

4. Analysis of Solo (outcome 2) and Learnt Work (outcome 3)

The student is required to learn, rehearse and perform a group-devised piece that someone else has choreographed and report on the processes used to learn, rehearse and perform the dance.

Weighting: This task is worth 25% of the overall grade

Time allocated to task: 10 periods

Due: Term 4, Week 4

5. Semester Exam

The student is required to apply knowledge and understanding of Psychology to complete the semester exam.

Weighting: This task is worth 10% of the overall grade

Time allocated to task: 90 minutes

Due: Term 4, Week 7