



PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE (POE) - THE ARTS PRODUCTION AND PERFORMANCE

APPLICATION FORM

As part of our school's commitment to improved student outcomes Albany Creek State High School has been accredited as *Program of Excellence School - The Arts Production and Performance*.

Students wishing to enrol in the POE – The Arts must provide evidence of their ability and good character prior to acceptance in the program.

It is essential that this application form is completed and signed by the student's **Class Teacher, Dance, Music or Art Teacher on the reverse of this form** and returned to the school by **Thursday 29 May 2025**.

Please ensure you have also:

- Submitted an Enrolment Application (Enrolment Pack 2026) to the Enrolments Office
- Submitted the ***Program of Excellence (POE) - The Arts Application Form*** to the Enrolments Office

Please return completed forms to enrolments@albanycreekshs.eq.edu.au Please print clearly.

Student Name:	Date of Birth:
Current school:	Year level in 2026:
Parent Name:	
Address:	
Telephone Number:	
Email:	
Parent/Carer signature:	

Acceptance to the program is based on each student's performance at the selection auditions. All participating students need to have the following clothing/equipment at the auditions:

DANCE

- ☐ Dance tights or shorts and T-shirt or Leotard Jazz Shoes or Toe Thongs or Bare Feet

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

- ☐ Instrument Played - Recommended EQ Curriculum Level 4 and /or AMEB 2 or equivalent preferably EQ Curriculum Level 5 and/or AMEB 3 or equivalent
- ☐ Music Folder and backing tracks if required

VISUAL ART

- ☐ Photographs from Art Journal or examples of Art Work made within the last 12 months

MEDIA ARTS

- ☐ Please follow instructions regarding submission for Media Arts



PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE (POE) THE ARTS APPLICATION FORM

This section to be completed by the nominator from one of your areas of interest

Student Name:	
----------------------	--

Students may select more than one Arts area but will only be placed in one of the Programs of Excellence The Arts in 2026. Students must attend auditions for the option/s circled to be considered for the program.

ARTS AREA OF INTEREST (please tick below)

DANCE	INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC	MEDIA Years 7 and 8 only	VISUAL ART

I verify that the above is actively involved named student in an Arts Program in and/or outside of school and is spending ____ hours per week in this activity.

Examination Level (if applicable):

Student's ability in Arts areas: (please circle 1-5 with 5 being the highest)

SKILLS and TALENT IN AREA:	1	2	3	4	5
CAPACITY/POTENTIAL:	1	2	3	4	5
ATTITUDE:	1	2	3	4	5
COMMITMENT:	1	2	3	4	5

Achievements in Arts Area/s:	
Additional comments:	
Nominator Name:	
Position held:	
Signature:	Date:



Program of Excellence – *The Arts Production and Performance Selection Process:*

Please keep this page for your information

Students may attend more than one audition but may only be placed in one Program of Excellence - The Arts in 2026. Students will be notified by letter at the beginning of Term 3 2025 of the outcome of the audition. Any new applications received after the initial auditions will be considered case by case by the Head of Department - The Arts and Arts POE coordinator.

Students wishing to take part in the selection process for POE - The Arts are required to attend audition/s on the day and times indicated below:

Please ensure you have also submitted an ***Expression of Interest to Enrol Form*** to Albany Creek State High School and have submitted the ***Program of Excellence (POE) - The Arts Production and Performance Application Form 2026*** by the deadline to be considered for acceptance in 2026.

For all enquiries, please email enrolments@albanycreekshs.eq.edu.au or phone 3325 6333.

All auditions will be reviewed by the Head of Department - The Arts and Program of Excellence - The Arts coordinator.

Head of Department - The Arts, Deborah

Ruellan. **POE Dance, Visual Art, Instrumental**

Email: druel1@eq.edu.au Phone: 3325 6396

Music and Media Art

- **DANCE – Tuesday 10 June 2025, (XPAC at 3.30 pm to 4.45 pm) ***
- **INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC – Wednesday 11 June 2025, (Music Centre XPAC 3.30 pm to 4.45 pm)**
- **MEDIA ARTS – Friday 13 June 2025, submission deadline****
- **VISUAL ART – Thursday 12 June 2025, E Block Art Rooms at (3.30 pm to 4.45 pm)**

In addition to the application form, acceptance to the program is based on each student's performance in a video audition for Dance uploaded or sent to the school. Online auditions for Dance should include a maximum of 2 to 3 minutes dance performance in two contrasting dance styles.

Instrumental Music auditions occur in person and students are to present two contrasting pieces on a brass, woodwind, strings or tuned and untuned percussion instrument.

*** Please follow the *How to Submit Your Online Audition***

**** Please follow the *How to Submit Your Media Arts Application***

Applications for the Visual Art program is the submission photographs of artwork, maximum of ten images of two-dimensional and/or three-dimensional artworks brought to the Audition.

Where to find the above information:

How to Submit Your Online Audition
How to Submit Your Media Arts Application
Frequently Asked Questions
The Arts Audition 2026 – What to Expect

Please visit the Enrolment pages at:

<https://albanycreekshs.eq.edu.au/enrolments/enrolling-at-our-school>

THE ARTS PRODUCTION AND PERFORMANCE PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE

GOALS OF THE PROGRAM

- To provide unique learning opportunities for students talented in the Arts to develop and enhance their knowledge and skills in Arts disciplines.
- To develop Arts skills through integrated or student-initiated programs that use production and performance as a vehicle for improving student outcomes.
- To develop students' capabilities in the Arts to pursue various pathways in the Arts industry.
- To contribute to the whole school improvement agenda by having a positive impact on academic outcomes.
- To enhance the school's social and cultural capital, community profile and its academic reputation.

OUTCOMES FOR STUDENTS INVOLVED IN THE ARTS PROGRAM

- High personal academic achievement of individuals and groups and an opportunity to strive for personal excellence through an enjoyable and challenging educational process.
- Developing advanced levels of skills and Arts related knowledge and understandings.
- Opportunities to perform and compete in Arts events at regional, state, national and international levels.
- Confidence, pride and valuing of an academic and personal identity and reflection as an artist.

PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE - MEDIA ARTS

PROGRAM GOALS OF THE PROGRAM

Students will have opportunities to:

- Plan, produce and distribute media art works
- Develop, practice and realise works of a professional standard
- Engage with industry professional and access feedback and mentoring through the Artist in Residence Program
- Experience the media industry in a professional environment through the excursion program