



12th April 2021

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Dancesplash – upcoming audition for Years 4 - 6

Dancesplash is an event that requires students to learn and rehearse a dance that we then perform in front of many other schools at the Michael Fowler Centre in an evening showcase. This year we want to give our students an opportunity to take part in this event.

We are looking at holding a lunchtime audition in Week 1 of next term for students who are interested in being part of this experience. I will be teaching a short dance to the children during this lunchtime to see how the students can follow and perform the choreography.

If your child is in Years 4-6 and would like to put their name down for this experience, please encourage them to come along to this lunchtime audition. Students will be reminded through the school notices on the day of the audition.

If your child is selected to be a part of the Dancesplash team, they will be expected to take part in at least one lunchtime practice per week for much of Term 2 and 3 as well as be practicing at home. Please note that all Year 5 and 6 students will also be taking part in the music section of Artsplash this year. Therefore if your child is also wanting to take part in Dancesplash, they will be required to be at the Michael Fowler Centre for 2 evening performances at the end of September.

Please ensure that you are comfortable with both of these points before you encourage your child to pursue this opportunity.

If you have any questions, please contact me at laurab@westpark.school.nz

Many thanks,

Laura Bell

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