

<u>Star Struck 2018 "Connect" – Permission to Participate</u>

Dear Parents/Carers, Your child ______ of class ______ has auditioned to be part of NWPS's dance group for this year's Star Struck Performance.

Star Struck is a unique large-scale performance project showcasing our public school students, where they can develop and display their passion, creativity, excellence and talents at all levels in the creative arts to the community. This is one of the largest and most powerful expressions of positive public education that your child can be part of.

Being part of this production requires a great level of commitment by students, staff and parents. This requires a commitment to attending rehearsal and performance days set down by the production team, additional costs for costume, makeup, participation, production shirts and more, private transport of students and use of own time for extra rehearsals at school and days out of school outside of school hours.

Costing for Star Struck is not the same each year. As a school we attempt to raise funds in order to subsidise part of the cost for those students participating. Last year the costing for Star Struck covered their entry fee, costume and transport. Students are able to purchase an event shirt as an optional extra.

This year, Star Struck is requiring schools to have costumes made through a supplier for uniformity. As the order needs to be made next week, we are asking for a deposit of \$30 to put towards our order.

Here are the mandatory dates that ALL students must attend. If you are aware that your child will not be able to attend one or more of these dates please come and discuss this with us:

| Wednesday 9 th May or Thursday 10 th May | Dance Rehearsal at the University of Newcastle Forum |
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| (To be advised.) | |
| Wednesday 30 th May | 1 st Major Movement Rehearsal at Newcastle Entertainment Centre |
| Wednesday 13 th June | 2 nd Major Movement Rehearsal at Newcastle Entertainment Centre |
| Thursday 14 th June | Technical and Dress Rehearsals at Newcastle Entertainment Centre |
| Friday 15 th June | Matinee and Evening Performance at Newcastle Entertainment Centre |
| Saturday 16 th June | Matinee and Evening Performance at Newcastle Entertainment Centre |

Please return the bottom half of this note with the \$30 deposit by next Wednesday 28th March 2018 to secure your child's position in this event. We look forward to working with you and your child this year for Star Struck 2018.

Mrs Kate Halligan and Mrs Renee Richards Star Struck Coordinators Ms Jodie Corrigan Principal

(Return this form to the office by Wednesday 28th March 2018)

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| Permission Details - Please Tick I give permission for my child | of class | to participate in Star Struck 2018. |
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| I have made a deposit of \$30 for their costu | me to be ordered. | |
| | OR | |

My child of class will NOT be able to participate in Star Struck 2018.

Details - Please Tick

| | I understand that costing will be provided to me as information is confirmed with NWPS. |
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| | I understand that I (or another family adult) will be required to assist with private transport for rehearsals. |
| | I understand that NWPS staff will attempt to get bus transport for the performance days, depending on costing, and they will require assistance with possibly driving these buses. |

Parent/Carer Name

Signature