



GRACEVILLE STATE SCHOOL

Established 1928

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Dear Parents,

Each year, the most talented dancers, singers, musician and actors from Queensland State Schools come together to stage one of the state's largest performing arts events., where more than 1500 student performers will come together to showcase their talent by starring in the professionally produced show alongside some of Queensland's leading professional artists.

Creative Generation –State Schools On Stage continues to give students, teachers and school communities the opportunity to be involved in a large-scale, award-winning event. Student Performers will come together to rehearse items covering a wide range of musical genres. CGEN is much more than a musical extravaganza. It is a journey of self-confidence for the talented students who take part.

Your child has indicated that they are interested in being part of the Creative Generation- State Schools On Stage dance performance for 2018.

Please be aware that this production involves a number of rehearsals over weekends and includes a few rehearsals over the June/July Vacation period. This year the show will be over the last weekend of the school holidays.

Students are expected to attend all rehearsals and be available for all performances. If you anticipate taking extended holidays or your child has sporting commitments that you believe may inhibit their ability to participate please respond accordingly.

Please also be aware that there are some costs involved associated with this production including costumes and some transport. We will also require parent supervision during show time at the Brisbane Exhibition and Convention Centre and during rehearsals on the weekends.

Key Timelines (Subject to Change) – This is just a guide and rehearsals won't be on all these dates.

Please note: There have been no times announced

Sat 21 April	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 22 April	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sat 28 April	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 29 April	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sat 12 May	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 13 May	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sat 19 May	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 20 May	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sat 26 May	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 27 May	Massed Dance Rehearsal

Sat 2 Jun	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 3 Jun	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sat 9 Jun	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 10 Jun	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sat 16 Jun	Massed Dance Rehearsal
Sun 17 Jun	Senior and Junior Massed Dance Rehearsal – costume distribution day
Sat 30 Jun	Act 1 - Dress rehearsal with executive producer/creative director and lighting designer
Sun 1 July	Act 2 - Dress rehearsal with executive producer/creative director and lighting designer
Wed 11 July	Combined Dance Rehearsal and Blocking
Thurs 12 July	Full Cast Technical Rehearsal
Fri 13 July	Full Cast dress rehearsal, Schools preview matinee performance and evening performance
Sat 14 July	Matinee and Evening Performance

Please complete the following paperwork to indicate your interest in having your child be involved in the 2018 production and return it to the school office by Wednesday December 6, 2017.

Yours Sincerely


 per Zoe Smith
 Principal

Creative Generation - State Schools On Stage

I _____ would like my child _____ to be involved in the 2018 production of Creative Generations – State Schools On Stage.

I am aware that:

- Students are expected to attend all rehearsals and be available for all performances; if students are unable to attend you need to contact the supervisor prior to the rehearsal
- There are some costs associated with this production including costumes and dinner at the show time; any students who withdraw after Friday 15 April 2016 will be charges for the entire cost of their costumes
- There will be some transport required;
and
- Parent supervision will be required at the Brisbane Exhibition and Convention Centre.

Parent/Carer Signature

Date

