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CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Tuesday, 17th October

The new Grade 2/3 Dance Club

Dear Families,

In the last few weeks of Term 3, we trialed combining Grades two and three for our lunchtime dance club. Even though we had a large volume of students attend (around 50 both weeks), their behaviour was fabulous and they showed good commitment to learning the dance, making the combined grades viable.

The students were informed that the Term 3 sessions were trial classes, and if they wish to continue with the dance club in Term 4 they need to commit to regular attendance at dance club. Students who participate in the club this year, do not have to commit to any performances in 2017. However, in 2018, we will be working toward performing at certain occasions. In 2018, participants will be required to perform if they continue with the group. Their 2017 experience will hopefully give them all the confidence to perform in 2018. From my experience, performance is a wonderful way to celebrate and share their great work, and an enjoyable experience.

Unfortunately, I will have an unexpected absence from school for at least the first two to three weeks of Term 4. It was my intention to have this group create a dance that could be performed at the College Fair. This will no longer be possible but when I return I will aim to continue learning the dance we started, with the view of sharing it at the final Kingston Campus assembly. Again, the performance will be optional for students participating this year.

In summary, we have been thrilled with the enthusiasm and ability of the students who have attended the combined Grade 2/3 Dance Group. We will aim to continue learning our dance in the final weeks of Term 4, with a view to perform it at the Kingston Campus final assembly. This letter is simply to confirm arrangements.

If you have any queries, please contact me via email (andrea.reece@catholic.tas.edu.au).

Regards,

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