

## Why study this subject at Hayesfield?

The study of Dance enables students to develop socially whilst promoting creativity, fitness and well-being. Through becoming a performer and choreographer at A Level, students develop their confidence, self-esteem and team working skills.

## Course content

Solo performance linked to a specified practitioner within an area of study.

Performance in a quartet.

Group choreography.

Knowledge, understanding and critical appreciation of two set works.

One compulsory set work within the compulsory area of study.

One optional set work within the corresponding area of study, from a choice of four.

## Assessment

Practical exam - 50% of A Level.

Written exam - 50% of A Level (2 hours 30 minutes).

Hayesfield Dance students go on to study at prestigious dance schools with National and International reputations.

## Entry requirements and subject specific skills

Grade 5 in GCSE Dance.

### This subject works well with

English Literature, Psychology, History, Politics and any of the Arts subjects.

### Extra/Super curricular activities

Students will be expected to participate in additional dance classes to maintain and improve their own dance practice, and participate in dance performances within school.

Students in Year 12 and 13 run a Dance Club for younger students.

## Future Pathways

Students can go on to study Dance within a higher education institution, professional dance training, dance teaching, arts administration.

## Recent exam success

100% A\*-B (compared to 57% A\*-B Nationally).

Students have gone on to study at the London Contemporary Dance School and the Laban Centre.