

SINGING!
DANCING!
ACTING!

ECLIPSE ARTS PROGRAM



PRSHS

*Applications
now open*

LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE

How to audition/apply

1. At your enrolment interview you will be given this brochure along with an application form. If you have not received an application, please contact Mr Purtle as below
2. Fill out the application with the students experience, passions and goals and submit it back to the person at your enrolment interview. If you would like more time, please feel free to email the form once complete to Mr Purtle as below

If you have any issues, please contact Mr Purtle - mpurt9@eq.edu.au or
07 3380 4113

GET IN QUICK!

SEIZE THE LIGHT - ECLIPSE @ PRSHS

←----- What is ECLIPSE? -----→

"Increased engagement in arts education has wide ranging benefits for academic and social outcomes – and those most at risk have the most to gain. Research has long shown the arts offer many benefits beyond “art for arts sake”, with health, social and economic benefits which offer both private and public value.” - The Conversation - Arts education helps school students learn and socialise.

Eclipse is a three-year program ranging from year 7 - 9. Students are asked to commit to the program for the full three years, in which they will be studying -



Acting

In the first year of ECLIPSE students will get to explore acting and drama skills including trips to the Queensland Performing Arts Centre, workshops by local artists and groups and much more. Students will explore the elements of drama and break the barriers of performance, enabling them to feel comfortable in front of an audience.



Dancing

In the second year of ECLIPSE students will branch into dancing techniques as well as acting, combining the two elements into visually spectacular performances. Students will develop movement skills, explore the elements of Dance and get an opportunity to work with master dancers whilst they perform to live audiences.



Singing

In the third year of ECLIPSE students will be able to synthesise and combine all three areas and create wonderful performances including Acting, Dancing and Singing. They will be explicitly be taught elements of Music, singing techniques, warmups and tips. They will explore tone and timbre of voice and bring all three facets (Acting, Dancing, Singing) to the stage to create full musical theatre performances.



WHAT IS THE ECLIPSE ARTS PROGRAM?



ECLIPSE is a program that encourages students to 'SEIZE THE LIGHT', to take the stage and embark upon a journey of self discovery. This program will help students develop many intrinsic skills to help them in life including-

*RESILIENCE CONFIDENCE PUBLIC
CREATIVITY SPEAKING
COLLABORATION RESOURCEFULNESS PROBLEM
SOLVING*

These skills will be explored by a performance focused study of Dance, Drama and Voice. Students will study a subject blending these focus areas for three years consistently, involving many performances, excursions, camps and workshops. The program will graduate with a potential trip to either Sydney Opera House or the Princess Theatre in Melbourne.



ECLIPSE



Application form

1. Students name _____
2. Student Primary School _____
3. Parents email address _____
4. Parent contact number _____
5. Which of the following do you think you are the strongest in? (You may choose more than one)
 - ☐ Drama (Acting)
 - ☐ Music (Singing)
 - ☐ Dance
6. Please write a very short statement about your experience in any of the above arts (It's ok if you don't have much experience!) –

7. Why do you want to enter this program at Park Ridge SHS?

I understand that this is a three-year commitment and I agree to commit to the program for the full term.

Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____



Thank you for applying to the ECLIPSE program at Park Ridge SHS. You will be notified via email if you have successfully gained a place in this program.