

# I Can Dance Theatre

offers a new program in 2009 which services both The Arts and Student Well-Being

*The program was fabulous! Children enjoy dance, but how motivated and how much you get out of them depends on the quality of the teachers...[they] maintained an enthusiasm and patience throughout and children responded accordingly. What the program offers is at a level and of quality not able to be matched by staff at school.*

**Mentone Primary School**

## Program includes:

- **Performance** (choice of 2 performances)

Theatrical production focusing on issues of self-esteem and resilience. This serves as an introduction to the program and motivates students to work towards their own performance.

- **Artist residency**

Weekly dance workshops which develop co-ordination, creativity, presentation and musicality. Each class learns different routines using inspiring music which students can relate to.

- **Student performance**

Students have the opportunity to perform their work to an audience.

- **Students' own choreography** (final week)

Students now have the confidence and skills to choreograph their own work.

*The children were very excited as the workshops allowed them to feel good about themselves, and they felt confident when learning the steps to the dance.*

**Chelsea Primary School**

**Levels:** Prep – Year 6

**Duration:** Minimum 6 weekly sessions  
(incl. I Can Dance Theatre performance, 5 x 40 minute workshops & student performance)

**Cost:** I Can Dance Theatre performance: \$4.00+GST per student  
Workshops: \$2.50+GST per student (per workshop)

***This program can be tailored to suit your school's requirements.***