



WARWICK
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

SPECIALIST & ELITE PROGRAMS CONTRACT

Guidelines for Specialist and Elite Programs (Football, Netball, Dance and Music)

ENROLMENT

For a student to be enrolled in Warwick Senior High School Specialist and/or Elite programs, the following conditions must be satisfied:

1. The student is suitably skilled in the program that the course provides for. This may be assessed by try-out or audition as applicable.
2. The student has high standards of attendance, behaviour and academic engagement.

Once the child is accepted into the program, they must maintain high standards of attendance, behaviour and academic engagement to remain a member of the program.

ONGOING PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

To remain a member of the Specialist and Elite programs at Warwick Senior High School, a student must maintain excellent standards of behaviour, attendance and academic progress.

Specifically:

1. Maintain an attendance rate of 90% or above.
2. Achieve positive reports, maintain high standards of behaviour and retain their Good Standing status.
3. Engage fully in all aspects of their schooling.

*This requirement will not discriminate against students with recognised learning difficulties or disabilities and may be managed on a case-by-case basis.

If these standards are not maintained, a student may be placed on 'Probation'.

PROBATION

Parents/carers will be notified when their child is placed on Probation.

Students on Probation will be able to participate in the timetabled classes of the Specialist and Elite Programs but will not be eligible to represent the school in any extracurricular activities, teams, tours or performances.

REMOVAL FROM SPECIALIST AND ELITE PROGRAMS

A student on Probation will be eligible to have their status reviewed at the end of a five-week period. If the situation has improved, then the Probation will be lifted. If the situation has not improved or has deteriorated further, the student may be removed from the program, or the Probation extended.

If removed, the student will be assisted to select replacement classes for their timetable.

Any student who receives a 10-day suspension or is suspended for an offence that brings the reputation of Warwick Senior High School into disrepute may be removed from the program without any period of Probation.

FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR PROGRAM CURRICULUM AND EXTRA EVENTS

There are contributions and charges associated with participating in any Specialist or Elite Program. If these contributions and charges are not paid in full for the current school year, students will not be able to select the program for the following year. Each child's situation will be treated on a case-by-case basis.

I have read and understand the above conditions for acceptance into Specialist and Elite Programs.

Student Name	Signature	Date
Parent Name	Signature	Date
Program Coordinator	Signature	Date

ADDITONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR INDIVIDUAL SPECIALIST AND OR ELITE PROGRAMS

Please refer to:

- Appendix A: Specialist Netball program requirements
- Appendix B: Specialist Football program requirements
- Appendix C: Music Elite program requirements
- Appendix D: Dance Elite program requirements

NB: All signed forms need to be returned to your Specialist / Elite Program Coordinator. If you are involved in more than one program, please complete, and hand into the front office they will make a copy and send the forms to the relevant program coordinators.

Appendix A: Specialist Netball program requirements

Your child is to be congratulated on being selected in the Netball Specialist Program for Warwick Senior High School. It is a privilege to be part of this program and as such we expect all our athletes to abide by a Netball Program - Code of Conduct.

Netball Players Code of Conduct:

- 1) Students will demonstrate respect at all times.
- 2) Students will demonstrate good sportsmanship and team spirit when representing the school.
- 3) Students must ensure they are working to the best of their ability in **ALL subject areas**.
- 4) Students are expected to participate in the Netball community outside of school hours.
- 5) Students must be affiliated with Netball WA unless they have specific permission from your netball teacher for an exemption.
- 6) Students are expected to wear the appropriate Netball uniform and footwear for all Netball classes and games.
- 7) Students are required to be on time to class and prepared for lessons, with jewellery off and hair tied up.
- 8) Students must have their Good Standing to attend any out of school games, carnivals, excursions and events.
- 9) Students are expected to take personal responsibility for their development and learning in Netball.
- 10) A minimum of 90% attendance and participation is required across all areas of the Netball Program and within the school.
- 11) Students must provide a written and signed note or email from their parents/carers, if they are unable to participate due to injury/sickness or do not have the correct uniform. A text message will not suffice. This is aligned to the Health and Physical Education Department – BEES “Being Equipped” policy.

Netball Parent/carer Code of Conduct:

- ☐ Encourage your children to play always according to the rules.
- ☐ Be a model of good sports behaviour for your children to copy.
- ☐ Respect the decisions of all coaches and umpires associated with the Netball Program.
- ☐ Offensive and abusive language and/or behaviour to another player, umpire, parent/carer or coach is not tolerated.

If finding is made that an individual has breached this contract, one or more of the following sanctions may occur:

- 1) Verbal and/or written warning
- 2) Please refer to previous section/s **Probation** and/or **Removal from Specialist and Elite Programs**.

Please initial that you have read this page.

Student Name	Initials	Date
Parent Name	Initials	Date

Appendix B: Specialist Football program requirements

Your child is to be congratulated on being selected in the Football Specialist Program for Warwick Senior High School. It is a privilege to be part of this program and as such we expect all our athletes to abide by a Football Program - Code of Conduct.

Football Players Code of Conduct:

- 1) Students will demonstrate respect at all times.
- 2) Students will demonstrate good sportsmanship and team spirit when representing the school.
- 3) Students must ensure they are working to the best of their ability in **ALL subject areas**.
- 4) Students are expected to wear the appropriate football PE attire and footwear for all Football classes and games.
- 5) Students are required to be on time to class and prepared for lessons.
- 6) Students must have their Good Standing to attend any out of school games, carnivals, excursions and events.
- 7) A minimum of 90% attendance and participation is required across all areas of the Football Program and within the school.
- 8) Students must provide a written and signed note or email from their parents/carers, if they are unable to participate due to injury/sickness or do not have the correct uniform. A text message will not suffice. This is aligned to the Health and Physical Education Department – BEES “Being Equipped” policy.

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Appendix C: Music Elite program requirements

Your child is to be congratulated on being selected to participate in the Elite Music Program for Warwick Senior High School. It is a privilege to be part of this program and as such we expect all our musicians to abide by a Code of Conduct:

- 1) Students will always demonstrate respect. This includes showing respect for staff, students, and equipment.
- 2) Students must ensure that their instrument is in good working order and tuned on a regular basis.
- 3) Students must ensure they are working to the best of their ability in **ALL subject areas**.
- 4) Students are expected to attend all instrumental lessons and ensemble rehearsals.
- 5) Students are required to be on time to class and prepared for lessons.
- 6) Students must have their Good Standing to attend any, excursions, incursions, and events.
- 7) A minimum of 90% attendance and participation is required across all areas of the Music Elite Program and within the school.

If an individual has breached this contract, one or more of the following sanctions may occur:

- 1) Verbal and/or written warning
- 2) Please refer to previous section/s **Probation** and/or **Removal from Specialist and Elite Programs**.

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Appendix D: Dance Elite program requirements

Your child is to be congratulated on being selected to participate in the Elite Dance Program for Warwick Senior High School. It is a privilege to be part of this program and as such we expect all our dancers to abide by a Code of Conduct:

1. Students will always demonstrate respect. This includes showing respect for staff, students, costumes and equipment.
2. Students are expected to wear the appropriate Dance uniform for all Dance classes.
3. Students must ensure they are working to the best of their ability in **ALL subject areas**.
4. Students are required to be on time to class and prepared for lessons, with hair tied up and with a drink bottle.
5. Students must provide a written and signed note or email from their parents/carers, if they are unable to participate due to injury/sickness or do not have the correct uniform. A text message will not suffice.
6. Students must have their Good Standing to attend any, excursions, incursions, and events.
7. A minimum of 90% attendance and participation is required across all areas of the Dance Elite Program and within the school.

If an individual has breached this contract, one or more of the following sanctions may occur:

- 3) Verbal and/or written warning
- 4) Please refer to previous section/s **Probation** and/or **Removal from Specialist and Elite Programs**.

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