

## **MEDIA RELEASE 2026**

You grant to Ecole Performing Arts (Ecole), the right to take photographs/videos of your child whilst participating in dance classes/activities run by Ecole. You acknowledge that Ecole will use such images/videos for promotional purposes across various media including Ecole's website, Ecole's Facebook, Ecole's Instagram, newsletters, print collateral, etc. You hereby permit Ecole to use images/videos in a lawful manner for the purposes described above. You understand that your consent can be withdrawn at any time upon written notice and that student's private information will not be disclosed.

When you enrol your child at Ecole through the online enrolment form via the Ecole website, there is both a Media Permission acceptance field under the student details section as well a Media Release option at the end of the form. You can either agree or disagree to the Media Permission on the online form. If you agree to the Media Permission, then you grant to Ecole the rights as stated above in the Media Release.

Please note, your child may inadvertently be in a group where a photo is taken, however if you do not agree to the Media Release, the photo will not be published or your child's face will be obscured in the photo. The exception to this is Ecole's Mid Year Showcase, Examination Days, Performance Group events and Ecole's End of Year Performances/Rehearsals. As the photos from these events are of students performing in a group in action, we reserve the right to publish these photos.

At no time do we use student's first name and last name with their photo. The exception to this is our Ecole Awards page on our website (first name and last name). Our website Eisteddfod Results page and Mid Year Showcase winners page has the first name and first initial of the surname. Our social media (Facebook and Instagram) will contain the student's first name of any student that is featured for their Eisteddfod results.



## **PRIVACY POLICY 2026**

Online enrolment is conducted through ThinkSmart Software Pty Ltd. Any personal information is securely stored and will only be used for the purpose for which it is submitted or for such other secondary purposes that are related to the primary purpose.

The ThinkSmart Customer Portal invitation will be sent to you with your 2026 enrolment confirmation, along with the App, which will allow you to manage your account including updating contact details, viewing your child's enrolment and making payments. As above, any personal information is securely stored and will only be used for the purpose for which it is submitted.

Our Ecole website is hosted on the Wix.com platform. Wix.com provides us with the online platform that allows us to communicate news, events and classes to you. Your data may be stored through Wix.com's data storage, databases and the general Wix.com applications. They store your data on secure servers behind a firewall.

We may contact you to notify you regarding your enrolment, or to send updates about Ecole, or as otherwise necessary to contact you to enforce our User Agreement, applicable national laws, and any agreement we may have with you. For these purposes we may contact you via email, telephone, text messages, and postal mail.

We reserve the right to modify this privacy policy at any time, so please review it frequently. Changes and clarifications will take effect immediately upon their posting on the website. If we make material changes to this policy, we will notify you here that it has been updated, so that you are aware of what information we collect, how we use it, and under what circumstances, if any, we use and/or disclose it.

If you would like to access, correct, amend or delete any personal information we have about you, you are invited to contact us at <a href="mailto:info@ecole.com.au">info@ecole.com.au</a>.