

Queensland Ballet Academy – International Applicants

Frequently Asked Questions

What makes Brisbane a great place to live, study and train?

Studying overseas provides students with a unique opportunity to meet, study, train and share knowledge with students from all over the world. Australia is a multicultural nation and Queensland Ballet Academy students are fortunate to live, study and train in Queensland's idyllic capital city, Brisbane. Brisbane is a vibrant, subtropical city that is blessed with diversity and sunshine almost every day. Brisbane is a safe and friendly city and is within easy driving distance of other Australian tourist hotspots such as the Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast. At Queensland Ballet Academy, international students have the opportunity to further develop their English language skills and acquire self-confidence and independence whilst completing their ballet training in a world-class facility.

Can I audition if I am not an Australian citizen or resident?

International students are welcome to apply for a position in the Academy Program. Please make sure to include your country of citizenship in the application form. International applicants, unless able to travel to Brisbane, are required to submit a video audition.

Our Pre-Professional Program is not a government accredited course, and therefore under Australian Federal Government international student visa guidelines, international students are not eligible to enrol in this program for more than three months.

Are there other international students enrolled at Queensland Ballet Academy?

Queensland Ballet Academy values diversity and currently has a number of students enrolled from countries such as Hong Kong, USA, UK and New Zealand.

How much are the program fees for international students?

International students pay the scheduled Queensland Ballet Academy Program annual tuition fees in addition to an annual enrolment processing fee. Further information about Queensland Ballet Academy fees can be found by [clicking here](#).

International students are also required to pay Education Queensland International fees to cover their academic enrolment and studies at Kelvin Grove State College. Further information on fees and inclusions can be found online by [clicking here](#).

Does Queensland Ballet Academy have boarding facilities?

Queensland Ballet Academy in collaboration with Kelvin Grove State College facilitate a successful Homestay Program, in which students live with a local family in their home. Staying with a local Homestay family gives international students the opportunity to train at Queensland Ballet Academy while living in a safe and caring family environment. Each Homestay family is visited by a dedicated Homestay Officer from Kelvin Grove State College and interviewed in their home annually, to ensure that international students are placed with safe and caring Homestay families.

Are there specific entry requirements for international students?

International students wishing to apply for entry into Queensland Ballet Academy and Kelvin Grove State College are required to meet all Queensland Department of Education and Education Queensland International eligibility criteria, including the minimum English language proficiency levels. Please visit kelvingrovesc.eq.edu.au/international for further details.

Further Information

International applicants are encouraged to visit eqi.com.au/about-us to read the Guide for International Students which is available to download in a number of languages.

For further information about Queensland Ballet Academy, please visit our website <https://www.queenslandballet.com.au/academy> or click here to download the [Queensland Ballet Academy Prospectus](#).

For further questions, please email academy@queenslandballet.com.au