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SFD MEMBERSHIP 2026

Memberships classifications are as follows:

Teacher Membership

Premium Membership

- Membership renewal is due on 31st December each year.
- Membership Fees are by calendar year, regardless of the time of year joined.
- You must be a Premium Member of SFD to submit students for Exams and Masterclasses.
- Members must keep SFD updated with any changes to their contact details.
- The SFD Manual will be distributed in February 2026 to all current financial Members, which provides detailed information on all SFD procedures and events

Teacher Membership - Fee \$180.00 AUD per annum

Teacher Membership is offered to any teachers, student teachers or other interested persons (pre-requisite qualifications are not required). Teacher Membership does <u>not</u> allow the holder to submit students for SFD examinations.

Teacher Membership entitlements:

- Attendance at the SFD Convention and Syllabus Launches/Inservices at discounted Membership Prices
- Free viewing at all SFD run masterclasses
- Purchase of syllabus bundles (including Notes, Music and Video files)
- Inclusion on the SFD mailing list to receive email updates and newsletters
- Attendance at the annual AGM with the right to vote for Office Bearers.
- · Can be nominated and voted onto the SFD Committee of Management

Premium Membership - Fee \$250.00 AUD per annum

To qualify for Premium Membership to Southern Federation of Dance the applicant must be able to provide evidence of one of the following pre-requisites:

- 1. Southern Federation of Dance Teaching Certificate in Classical, Jazz or Tap
- 2. Teaching Qualifications in another known method e.g. RAD, ISTD, BBO, ATOD, Cecchetti, ADA
- 3. A tertiary qualification in dance
- 4. A tertiary qualification in education **and** have passed Intermediate or Advanced Classical with a recognised society **e.g.** SFD, RAD, ISTD, BBO, ATOD, ADA, Cecchetti
- 5. Have been running own dance school for a minimum of 10 years (evidence must be supplied)
- 6. Have been teaching consistently on a permanent part-time basis at one or more dance schools for a collective period of at least 10 years list of schools and reference names must be provided.

Premium Membership entitlements:

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- Purchase of syllabus bundles (including Notes, Music and Video files)
- Inclusion on the SFD mailing list to receive email updates and newsletters
- Attendance at the annual AGM with the right to vote for Office Bearers.
- Can be nominated and voted onto the Southern Federation of Dance Committee of Management, and may also hold an executive position.
- Entry of students for Examinations, Masterclasses and Workshops.
- Entry of students for the SFD Scholarship Competition (refer to SFD Scholarship Rules for further details)

Conditions of Membership:

Any of the above memberships can be terminated/revoked or changed at the discretion of the SFD Committee. SFD reserves the right to refuse membership to any person.