



AIR BORN

2025 TEAM PLACEMENTS



WHAT IS TEAM PLACEMENTS?

With every new Cheer season, comes the opportunity to revise our teams to give students the best chance of enjoyment and success throughout the year.

The Team Placement process is our way to work out the best team for your child. During this time, we are able to determine what teams we will be able to offer in 2025 and who will be best suited to each team. It also allows us to construct our class timetable so that we can cater to students who are participating in more than one team across Cheer & Dance.

For the most part, returning Air Born students will remain on their current team/s with the majority of their team mates. Students who have "aged out" of their current team, or whose skill set would be a better fit on a different team, will be invited to join a new team. New students to Air Born, will be assessed and placed on the team suitable to their age, experience and skill set.

At Air Born, we aim for the team placement process to be welcoming and positive for all athletes. Each session is run like a regular class where each athlete is able to show their strengths both as an individual athlete and team member while having the opportunity to meet and get to know other Air Born students and coaches.



WHO NEEDS TO TAKE PART IN TEAM PLACEMENT?

At Air Born there are 3 main ways that you can participate in Cheer & Dance classes:

1. Club Stream (just for fun Performance based, also known as CheerStars)
2. State Stream (Beginners-Intermediate Semi-Competitive)
3. National Stream (Advanced to Elite Competitive)

Students wishing to be a part of Air Born's Club Stream teams do not need to participate in Team Placements. If you/your child would like to be a part of Air Born's **State Stream or National Stream** competitive Cheer & Dance teams in 2025, they will need to take part in the Team Placement process.

All NEW & RETURNING students are required to complete a Team Placement Registration Form.



WHICH STREAM IS RIGHT FOR MY CHILD?

At Air Born we have 3 "streams" of Cheer & Dance teams. Each stream is a progression from the previous. The best stream for your child will be dependent on their age, the commitment level you are wanting and your child's current skill set.

CLUB STREAM:

Club Stream is our introductory program combining Cheer & Tumbling. Students aged 4-10 years are invited to join a team where they will learn the fundamentals of Cheer and perform at multiple local events throughout the year.

STATE STREAM: (Athletes must participate in team placement to be assigned a team)

The State Stream is our semi-competitive program which introduces athletes to the competitive world of Cheer and Dance. Athletes will learn beginner to intermediate skills. Teams train once or twice per week. Additional Tumbling classes for Cheer are encouraged. Teams compete at approximately 3-4 competitions throughout the year within NSW.

A high level of commitment is required to be a part of our State stream. Students and parents **MUST** be prepared to put attendance at training and events as a top priority.

NATIONAL STREAM: (Athletes must participate in team placement to be assigned a team)

The National Stream is our competitive program which sees athletes compete against the best Cheer and Dance teams across NSW & Australia. Athletes have the opportunity to achieve advanced skills. Cheer & Pom Teams train twice per week, Hip Hop teams train once per week. Cheer athletes are strongly encouraged to be part of **TWO TEAMS** and attend additional Tumbling classes. All athletes are expected to attend workshops that are offered throughout the season. Teams compete at approximately 5-7 competitions throughout the year at State & National level. The opportunity to participate in international events may also arise as part of the National Stream.

A high level of commitment is required to be a part of our National stream. Athletes must commit to a full season and students and parents **MUST** be prepared to put attendance at training and events as a top priority.

THE PROCESS

2025 Team Placements will begin at the start of December with our PREPARATION CLASSES followed by a series of ASSESSMENT CLASSES. Here is a quick run down on how it will work:

🦋 STEP 1 | Fill out the **2025 Team Placement Registration Form**

🦋 STEP 2 | Attend our TEAM PLACEMENT PREPARATION & ASSESSMENT CLASSES in December. At the completion of these sessions, you will receive an email detailing your child's program recommendation for 2025.

🦋 STEP 3 | Complete your Enrolment Form and attend our 2025 training which commences in the new year.

🦋 A reminder that everyone is welcome to join a team at Air Born. No matter your child's experience or skill level. We have beginner level teams with low commitment through to high level advanced teams. We'd love to welcome your child.



HOW DO I ENROL FOR TEAM PLACEMENTS?

NEW & CURRENT ATHLETES must complete a "TEAM PLACEMENT REGISTRATION FORM" in order to participate in the athlete assessment and team selection process.

This form must be completed by Monday 9th December.

[CLICK HERE](#)
[TEAM PLACEMENT](#)
[REGISTRATION FORM](#)

STATE STREAM TEAM PLACEMENT SCHEDULE

TUES 10TH DEC

4.00PM-4.45PM
8-12 YEARS POM
ASSESSMENT CLASS

5.30PM-6.30PM
NOVICE CHEER (STUNT)
PREPARATION CLASS

WED 11TH DEC

4.00PM-4.45PM
NOVICE CHEER (TUMBLE)
PREPARATION CLASS

THURS 12TH DEC

4.00PM-5.30PM
8-11 YEARS HIP HOP
ASSESSMENT CLASS

SUN 15TH DEC

9.30AM-11.30AM
CHEER
ASSESSMENT CLASS

PREPARATION CLASSES

Come along to practice the skills and choreography that will be assessed for Team Placement

ASSESSMENT CLASSES

Attend to be assessed and placed on a Team

NATIONAL STREAM TEAM PLACEMENT SCHEDULE

TUES 10TH DEC

4.45PM-5.30PM
13-18 YEARS POM
ASSESSMENT CLASS

5.30PM-6.30PM
LEVEL 1 CHEER (STUNT)
PREPARATION CLASS

6.30PM-7.30PM
LEVEL 2 CHEER (STUNT)
PREPARATION CLASS

7.30PM-8.30PM
LEVEL 3+ CHEER (STUNT)
PREPARATION CLASS

WED 11TH DEC

4.00PM-4.45PM
TUMBLE - WALKOVERS + VARIATIONS
PREPARATION CLASS

4.45PM-5.30PM
TUMBLE-FRONT HANDSPRING & ROUND OFFS
PREPARATION CLASS

5.30PM-6.30PM
TUMBLE - BACK HANDSPRINGS + COMBINATIONS
PREPARATION CLASS

6.30PM-7.30PM
TUMBLE - FRONT TUCKS
PREPARATION CLASS

7.30PM-8.30PM
TUMBLE - BACK TUCKS & LAYOUTS +
PREPARATION CLASS

THURS 12TH DEC

6.45PM-7.30PM
12-16 YEARS HIP HOP
ASSESSMENT CLASS

7.30PM-8.15PM
17 YEARS + HIP HOP
ASSESSMENT CLASS

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