

# DANCE

## Bachelor of Arts (BA)

This is a guide based on the 2024-2025 Undergraduate Bulletin and is subject to change. The time it takes to earn a degree will vary based on several factors such as dual enrollment, remediation, and summer enrollment. Students will meet with an academic advisor each semester and use Degree Works to monitor their individual progress.

### CURRICULUM CHECKLIST

#### 52-hour major – No minor required

Students must maintain a 2.5 gpa in the major. Completion of a minimum of 60 hours outside of the DA prefix is required.

#### Required Courses:

- \_\_\_ DA280 Movement and Body Analysis (3)
- \_\_\_ DA282 Movement Improvisation (3)
- \_\_\_ DA380 Choreography I (3)
- \_\_\_ DA392 Dance in World Cultures (3)
- \_\_\_ DA480 Careers in Dance (3)
- \_\_\_ DA485 Choreography II (3)
- \_\_\_ DA490 Western Dance History (3)
- \_\_\_ TH105 Rehearsal/Production I (1)
- \_\_\_ TH111 Introduction to Theatre Design and Technology (3)
- \_\_\_ TH305 Rehearsal/Production II (1 credit x 5 semesters)

#### Select 16 hours from no less than 4 areas of dance technique: \*

##### Ballet area:

- \_\_\_ DA211 Ballet I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA216 Ballet Pointe I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA311 Ballet II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA316 Ballet Pointe II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA411 Ballet III (2)

##### Commercial area:

- \_\_\_ DA130 Ballroom Dance I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA241 Broadway Dance I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA341 Broadway Dance II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA371 Heels & Burlesque (1)
- \_\_\_ DA372 Jumps & Turns (1)
- \_\_\_ DA373 Partnering & Lifts (1)
- \_\_\_ DA431 Broadway Dance III (2)
- \_\_\_ DA441 Dance for TV/Film (2)

##### Contemporary area:

- \_\_\_ DA322 Contemporary Dance I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA422 Contemporary Dance II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA423 Contemporary Dance III (2)

##### Hip Hop & Street area:

- \_\_\_ DA228 Hip Hop & Street Styles I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA328 Hip Hop & Street Styles II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA428 Hip Hop & Street Styles III (2)

##### Jazz area:

- \_\_\_ DA226 Jazz Dance I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA326 Jazz Dance II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA426 Jazz Dance III (2)

##### Tap area:

- \_\_\_ DA236 Tap Dance I (2)
- \_\_\_ DA336 Tap Dance II (2)
- \_\_\_ DA436 Tap Dance III (2)

#### Select 6 hours from:

- \_\_\_ BS113 Anatomy & Physiology (4)
- \_\_\_ DA140 Conditioning for Dance (1)
- \_\_\_ DA301 Dance Musicianship (3)
- \_\_\_ DA391 Topics in Global Dance (3)
- \_\_\_ DA430 Principles of Teaching Dance (3)
- \_\_\_ TH101 Acting for Non-Majors (3)
- \_\_\_ TH122 Class Voice for Musical Theatre I (3)
- \_\_\_ TH123 Class Voice for Musical Theatre II (3)
- \_\_\_ TH124 Class Voice for Dancers (1)
- \_\_\_ TH218 Acting I (3)
- \_\_\_ TH219 Auditioning I (1)
- \_\_\_ TH251 Draping and Patterning for Theatre (3)
- \_\_\_ TH275 Stage Management (3)
- \_\_\_ TH350 Stage Lighting I (3)
- \_\_\_ TH351 Costume Design I (3)

\*5 hours must 300-400 level

### SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN

	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	Course #	Hrs	Course #	Hrs
<b>FIRST YEAR</b>	UI100	1	DA282	3
	EN100	3	TH111	3
	DA280	3	TH305	1
	Dance Technique Class	2	Dance Technique Class	2
	Dance Technique Class	2	General Education	3
	TH105	1	General Education	3
	General Education	3		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>SECOND YEAR</b>	TH305	1	DA380	3
	Dance Technique Class	2	TH305	1
	General Education	3	BS/DA/TH elective	3
	General Education	3	Dance Technique Class	2
	Elective	3	General Education	3
	Elective	3	Elective	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>THIRD YEAR</b>	DA392	3	TH305	1
	TH305	1	TH3485	3
	Dance Technique Class	2	General Education	3
	General Education	3	General Education	3
	General Education	3	General Education	3
	Elective	3	Elective	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>FOURTH YEAR</b>	DA480	3	DA490	3
	Dance Technique Class	2	BS/DA/TH elective	3
	General Education	3	Dance Technique Class	2
	Elective	3	General Education	3
	Elective	3	Elective	3
			Elective	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

**General Education Requirements** – some requirements may be fulfilled by coursework in major program

- Social and Behavioral Sciences – 6 hours
- Constitution Requirement – 3 hours
- Written Communication – 6 hours
- Oral Communication – 3 hours
- Natural Sciences – 7 hours (from two disciplines, one to include a lab)
- Mathematics – 3 hours
- Humanities & Fine Arts – 9 hours (from at least two disciplines)
- Additional requirements – 5 hours (to include UI100 for native students)
- Civics examination

A minimum 2.5 GPA in the major and 2.0 overall are required to graduate with a Bachelor of Arts with a major in Dance.

**Degree requirements for all students:** a minimum of 120 credit hours, completion of the General Education program, and completion of 39 senior division hours (300-599). Refer to the Undergraduate Bulletin or Degree Works for additional graduation requirements for your program.

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# 2024-2025 degree map

