

DANCE B.A.

Bachelor of Arts - Dance

General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (<http://catalog.umn.edu/academics/general-education-requirements/>) of the catalog.

Summary

Code	Title	Hours
Lower-Division Core		24-27
Upper-Division Core		8
Bachelor of Arts in Dance Additional Requirements		30-35
Total Hours		62-70

Degree Specific Credits: 62-70

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.0

Note: There is an admission audition that prospective majors must pass during the first year to continue in the program.

Lower-Division Core

Rule: Complete the following subcategories. 24-27 total credits required.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the following courses:		
DANC 165A	Dance Forms: African	3
DANC 194	Seminar: First Year	1
DANC 200A	Contemporary Modern II (Course must be repeated once.)	4
DANC 220	Creative Practice I	2
DANC 295	Student Teaching: Childrens Dance	1
Total Hours		11

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Modern Experience I

Note: DANC 200A may be taken only once to fulfill this subcategory.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 5-6 credits in the following courses (two semesters):		
DANC 200A	Contemporary Modern II	
DANC 300	Contemporary Modern III	
DANC 400	Contemporary Modern IV	
Total Hours		5-6

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Ballet Experience I

Note: DANC 110A may be taken only once to fulfill this subcategory.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 4-5 credits in the following courses (three semesters):		
DANC 110A	Introduction to Ballet	
DANC 210A	Ballet II	
DANC 310	Ballet III	
DANC 410	Ballet IV	
Total Hours		4-5

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Jazz Experience I

Note: DANC 115A may be taken only once to fulfill this subcategory.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 4-5 credits in the following courses (two semesters):		
DANC 115A	Introduction to Jazz Dance	
DANC 215A	Jazz Dance II	
DANC 315	Jazz III	
Total Hours		4-5

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Upper-Division Core

Rule: Complete the following subcategories. 8 total credits required.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the following courses:		
DANC 334	Dance History	3
DANC 494	Junior/Senior Seminar	3
Total Hours		6

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Junior Project

Note: Junior projects must be planned with the student's project advisor and all journals and papers will be submitted to that advisor.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete the following course:		
DANC 399	Junior Creative Research Project	1
Total Hours		1

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Senior Project

Code	Title	Hours
Complete the following course:		
DANC 499	Senior Thesis/Creative Project	1
Total Hours		1

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Bachelor of Arts in Dance Additional Requirements

Rule: Complete the following subcategories. 30-35 total credits required.

Modern Experience II

Note: DANC 200A may be taken only once to fulfill this subcategory.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 8-9 credits in the following courses (three semesters):		8-9
DANC 200A	Contemporary Modern II	
DANC 300	Contemporary Modern III	
DANC 400	Contemporary Modern IV	
Total Hours		8-9

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Ballet Experience II

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 6 credits in the following courses (three semesters):		6
DANC 210A	Ballet II	
DANC 310	Ballet III	
DANC 410	Ballet IV	
Total Hours		6

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Jazz Experience II

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 4 credits in the following courses (two semesters):		4
DANC 215A	Jazz Dance II	
DANC 315	Jazz III	
Total Hours		4

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Performance Experience

Note: Registration and credit load based on casting for Theatre & Dance productions. Performing in one piece equals one credit.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete the following course:		2
DANC 327	Advanced Rehearsal and Performance	
Total Hours		2

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Design and Technology Experience

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the following courses:		
THTR 102A	Introduction to Theatre Design	3
THTR 103	Introduction to House Management	1
THTR 106	Theater Production I: Run Crew	1
THTR 107A	Theater Production I: Construction Crew	3
Total Hours		8

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Elective Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Complete two of the following courses:		3-6
DANC 108A	Dance Forms	
DANC 320	Creative Practice II	
DANC 345	New Visions Dance	
DANC 360L	World Dance	
DANC 380	Science of Dance Movement	
DANC 406	Dance as a Healing Art	
THTR 220	Acting I	
Total Hours		3-6

Minimum Required Grade: C-