

DANCE

Associate in Arts

Transfer Preparation* (Major Code: A1350)

Dance is a rigorous, specialized area of the performing arts that communicates and expresses meaning, emotion, and cultural values. The field demands a high level of physical preparation as well as a thorough understanding of aesthetics. Designed to help students develop the technical skills and professional preparation for careers related to dance. Students develop their skills in ballet, jazz, and modern dance, concentrating on rhythm, musicality, coordination, and memory building techniques. It also offers the option to explore tap, ethnic, and social dance forms while offering opportunities for individual creativity.

Program Student Learning Outcomes

- Create and perform dance studies for a small group using accompaniment.
- Employ the concepts of specific dance techniques in the demonstration and performance of center and tor movement combinations.

Code	Title	Units
Program Requirements		
ANTH 102	CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY	3
BIOL 260	HUMAN ANATOMY	4
DANC 109	MODERN DANCE I	1.5
DANC 110	MODERN DANCE II	1.5
DANC 113	BALLET I	1.5
DANC 114	BALLET II	1.5
DANC 115	BALLET III	1.5
DANC 117	JAZZ DANCE I	1.5
DANC 118	JAZZ DANCE II	1.5
DANC 200	DANCE HISTORY AND APPRECIATION	3
PSYC 101	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3
Total Units		23.5

Code	Title	Units
Recommended Electives		
BIOL 100	PRINCIPLES OF BIOLOGY	3
BIOL 101	PRINCIPLES OF BIOLOGY LABORATORY	1
DANC 111	MODERN DANCE III	1.5
DANC 112	MODERN DANCE IV	1.5
DANC 125	DANCE PRODUCTION I	2
DANC 126	DANCE PRODUCTION II	2

* Students planning to transfer to a four-year college or university should complete courses specific to the transfer institution of choice. University requirements vary from institution to institution and are subject to change. Therefore, it is important to verify transfer major preparation and general education requirements through consultation with a counselor in either the Counseling Center or Career and Transfer Connections. See catalog Transfer Courses Information (<http://catalog.swccd.edu/student-success-support-program/student-services-and-college-services/other-services/transfer-courses/>) section for further information.

To earn an associate degree, additional general education and graduation requirements (<http://catalog.swccd.edu/certificates-certifications-degrees-csuuc-requirements/>) must be completed.