

Northwestern State University of Louisiana Department of Theatre and Dance

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance

Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
DAN 1000	Freshman Seminar	1
DAN 1020	Ballet I	4
DAN 1030	Modern I	4
DAN 1660	Dance Improvisation	2
DAN 1710	Dance Theatre Technology	3
DAN 1720	Anatomy for Dancers	3
DAN 1800	Dance Production or DAN 1900 Dance Performance	2
DAN 2020	Ballet II	4
DAN 2030	Modern II	4
DAN 2050	Rhythmic Analysis and Dance Accompaniment	3
DAN 2590	Dance Composition I	2
DAN 3020	Ballet III	4
DAN 3030	Modern III	4
DAN 3180	Somatic Practice: Pilates - Mat I or DAN 3280 Yoga	2
DAN 3560	Dance History & Criticism I	3
DAN 3570	Dance History & Criticism II	3
DAN 3590	Dance Composition II	3
DAN 3800	Dance Pedagogy	3
DAN 4020	Ballet IV	4
DAN 4030	Modern IV	4
DAN 4180	Pilates - Mat II or DAN 4280 GYROKINESIS	2
DAN 4100	Senior Concert	3
DAN 4400	Senior Seminar	2
THEA 3340	Costume Construction or THEA 3350 Make-Up for the Stage	3



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Course Descriptions



Elective Courses: 8 credit hours from (2 credits each unless otherwise noted)

DAN 1040 Jazz I	DAN 1400 Contemporary Dance	DAN 3750 Ballet Partnering
DAN 2040 Jazz II	DAN 1600 Hip Hop Dance	DAN 3770 Modern Partnering
DAN 3040 Jazz III	DAN 2060 Men's Class	DAN 3900 Dance Performance (1-3)
DAN 4040 Jazz IV	DAN 2200 World Dance	DAN 4900 Dance Performance (1-3)
DAN 1190 Tap I	DAN 2410 Jazz Ensemble	DAN 4500 Workshop in Dance
DAN 2190 Tap II	DAN 2440 Modern Ensemble	DAN 4590 Dance Composition III (3)
DAN 3190 Tap III	DAN 2450 Ballet Ensemble	DAN 4660 Dance & Technology (3)
DAN 4190 Tap IV	DAN 2460 Tap Ensemble	DAN 4700 Laban Movement Analysis (3)
DAN 2760, Pointe I	DAN 3070 Theatrical Dance	DAN 4800 Practicum in Dance (3)
DAN 3760, Pointe II	DAN 3660 Contact Improvisation	DAN 4810 Dance Pedagogy II (3)

University Core: 39 credit hours

English (6 hours): ENGL 1010 & ENGL 1020

Math (6 hours taken in pairs indicated and in sequence)

MATH 1020 and 1060; 1020 and 1090; 1020 and 2010; 1035 and 1060

Natural Science (9 hours)

Physical- 3 or 6 Hours from: SCI 1010, 2010; CHEM 1030, 1040,1070; PHYS 2030

Biological- 3 or 6 Hours from: SCI 1020, 2020; BIOL 1010, 2250, 2260.

Humanities (9 hours)

Literature- 3 hours: ENGL 2110 (English Majors: 2070)

History- 3 hours from: HIST 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020

Communication- 3 hours from: COMM 1010, 2500; BUAD 2200; or PHIL 1010

Fine Arts (3 hours): FA 1040

Social/Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)

Social- 3 hours from: ANTH 1510 or 2020, ECON 2000, PSCI 2010, or GEOG 1010 or 1020

Behavioral- 3 hours from: EPSY 2020, PSYC 1010, 2050; or SOC 1010.

Total Degree Hours (with University Core and Electives) 120