B.A. Degree Requirements

DANCE

2015-2016

30 Courses (approximately)

DANCE 2
Dance Health and Injury Prevention
*To be taken in the first year.

DANCE 21A
Music for Dancers
*To be taken in the first year.

DANCE 60A
Choreography
*To be taken in the second year (first year for transfer students).

DANCE 90A-B-C
Dance History
*To be taken in the first year for transfer students.

DANCE 100
Kinesiology

DANCE 180C
Laban Studies (Movement analysis)
*To be taken in the Fall quarter of senior year.

DANCE 185W
Critical Issues in Dance
To be taken in the senior year.

Select ONE course from:

DANCE 125A
Teaching of Dance

DANCE 127A
Costume Design for Dance

DANCE 162A
Choreography II

DANCE 163
Dance and Video Technology

DANCE 164
Screendance

DANCE 180A
Laban Studies (Labanotation and motif writing)

DANCE 194
Topics Vary

DANCE 195
Arts Management

TECHNIQUE

*Students must complete at least one technique course (ballet, modern, jazz, Spanish, world dance, pointe, social dance, tap, or repertory) each quarter in residence. At a minimum, students must complete level II in ballet, modern, and jazz, and level III in either ballet or modern. Students who place above level II in any technique must take a year of that technique at the level in which they are placed. Students must take the classes in A-B-C order (Fall-Winter-Spring).

DANCE 132A-B-C (Ballet II*)
DANCE 142A-B-C (Modern II*)
DANCE 152A-B-C (Jazz II*)
DANCE 133A-B-C (Ballet III) or DANCE 143A-B-C (Modern III)

Select ONE course from the following technique courses:

DANCE 12A, 12B, 12C (Spanish), 14 (Social), 52A, 52B, 52C (Tap), or 110 (World)

DRAMA 101
Theatre Production

*4 units must be completed during the first year of residency, or you will not be cast in any dance productions.

ELECTIVES: 12 Units to be completed within the DANCE Department

*Units earned in ballet, jazz, and modern beyond the required amount do not count towards the 12 departmental electives

PERFORMANCE: Select TWO courses from:

DANCE 170, DANCE 171, or DANCE 172