# B.F.A. Degree Requirements

## DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY

### 2024-2025

41 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-B-C**  
Choreography I  
*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 160**  
Improvisation  
*To be taken in the Fall quarter of senior year.

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

### TECHNIQUE

Students must complete at least one Dance technique course (ballet, modern, jazz, hip hop, world dance, pointe, social dance, tap, or repertory) each quarter in residence. Students must complete the departmental requirements as listed for the B.A. degree in Dance.

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 53A-B-C (Hip Hop I)**  

**DANCE 132A-B-C (Ballet II)**  

**DANCE 142A-B-C (Modern II)**  

**DANCE 152A-B-C (Jazz II)**  

Complete **ONE** of the following sequences:

- **DANCE 133A-B-C (Ballet III)** or **DANCE 143A-B-C (Modern III)**
- **or DANCE 153A-B-C (Jazz III)** or **DANCE 155A-B-C (Hip Hop II)**

### PERFORMANCE

Select **TWO** courses from **DANCE 170, DANCE 171,** or **DANCE 172**

### ADDITIONAL COURSES

**DRAMA 30A**  
Acting

**DRAMA 50C**  
Lighting Design

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Students need to check their DegreeWorks via StudentAccess to track their degree progress  
https://catalogue.uci.edu/clairetrevorschoolofthearts/departmentofdance/dance_bfa/#requirementstext
Select **ONE** from the following:

- **DRAMA 50A** Costume Design
- **DRAMA 50B** Scenic Design
- **DRAMA 50D** Sound Design
- **DRAMA 50E** Stage Management
- **DANCE 127A** Costume Design for Dance

Select **THREE** from the following:

- **DANCE 162A** Choreography II
- **DANCE 162B** Choreography II
- **DANCE 164** Sceendance

*Dance 164 requires Dance 163 as a prerequisite.

- **DANCE 165** Choreographic Projects

*Must take two quarters of Dance 165 in the spring of junior and senior years.

**Four units in Art, Art History, Drama, and Music**

*In addition to Drama 30A, 50C, and 101

- **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**

6 Units to be completed within the DANCE Department

*Units earned in ballet, jazz, modern, and hip hop beyond the required amount **do not** count towards the 6 departmental electives.