

UC Irvine

Claire Trevor School of the Arts

B.F.A. Degree Requirements

DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY

2025-2026

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 _____

(BFA requirements continued on other side)

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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 Screendance _____

**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, or 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.*

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