

UC Irvine

Claire Trevor School of the Arts

B.F.A. Degree Requirements

DANCE PERFORMANCE

2025-2026

36 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 160 Improvisation _____

DANCE 185W Critical Issues in Dance _____

**To be taken in the senior year.*

Select **ONE** course from: _____

DANCE 125A, DANCE 127A, DANCE 162A, DANCE 163, DANCE 164 or DANCE 195

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 III 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). *Students will essentially complete at least a year in every technique.**

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 **TWO** of the following sequences:

DANCE 155A-B-C (Hip Hop II) or DANCE 133A-B-C (Ballet III) _____

or DANCE 143A-B-C (Modern III) or DANCE 153A-B-C (Jazz III) _____

Complete **ONE** of the following sequences:

DANCE 156A-B-C (Hip Hop III) or DANCE 134A-B-C (Ballet IV) _____

or DANCE 144A-B-C (Modern IV) or DANCE 154A-B-C (Jazz IV) _____

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DANCE 139 Partnering _____

Select **ONE** of the following:

DANCE 137 Repertory _____

DANCE 179 Etude Ensemble _____

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Select **FIVE** courses from:

DANCE 170, DANCE 171, or DANCE 172

DRAMA 30A OR SIXTH Dance Performance (selected from DANCE 170 series): _____

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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