The Dance B.F.A., Choreography and Performance Concentration provides training in dance as an art form with emphasis on creative and performance activities. Course work in Contemporary dance, African dance, Jazz dance, Ballet, choreography, and performance are central in the curriculum, providing preparation for professional dance careers and graduate study in dance.

The Dance B.F.A., Choreography and Performance with K–12 Standard Professional I Licensure concentration may be added by eligible students admitted to the school through audition and who are completing the B.F.A. in dance.

**Overall Requirements**
- 120 credit hours, to include at least 36 credits at or above the 300 course level
- Overall 2.75 or higher GPA in courses taken at UNC Greensboro (3.0 or higher GPA for Dance Education concentration)
- Minimum of 78 credit hours in DCE courses required for the program.

**Degree Program Requirements**

**University Requirements** [https://catalog.uncg.edu/academic-regulations-policies/undergraduate-requirements/undergraduate-degrees-and-degree-requirements/](https://catalog.uncg.edu/academic-regulations-policies/undergraduate-requirements/undergraduate-degrees-and-degree-requirements/)

**General Education Requirements - Minerva’s Academic Curriculum (MAC)** [https://catalog.uncg.edu/academic-regulations-policies/undergraduate-requirements/general-education-program/](https://catalog.uncg.edu/academic-regulations-policies/undergraduate-requirements/general-education-program/)

**Major Requirements**
Select one of the concentrations as detailed following the major requirements.
- Dance (Choreography and Performance)
- Dance (Choreography and Performance) with K–12 Standard Professional I Licensure

**Electives**
Electives sufficient to complete 120 total credit hours required for degree.

**Electives**

**Dance (Choreography and Performance) Concentration Requirements**
- Minimum of 78 credit hours in DCE courses required for the program.
- Overall 2.75 GPA or higher in courses taken at UNC Greensboro.

**Code** | **Title** | **Credit Hours**
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DCE 312 | Contemporary Dance III | 3
DCE 314 | Ballet III | 3
DCE 316 | Jazz Dance III | 3
DCE 324 | Contemporary Dance: Theory and High Intermediate-Level Technique | 3
DCE 412 | Contemporary Dance IV | 3

**Select 6 credits from the following:**

- DCE 112 | Contemporary Dance I | 3
- DCE 212 | Contemporary Dance II | 3

**Dance Choreography, Performance, and Production**

**Select 2 credits from the following:**

- DCE 132 | African Dance I | 3
- DCE 232 | African Dance II | 3

**Dance Performance**

**Select 6 credits from the following:**

- DCE 122 | Musical Theatre I | 3
- DCE 222 | Musical Theatre II | 3
- DCE 322 | Musical Theatre III | 3

**Dance History and Theory**

**Select 2 credits from the following:**
- DCE 250 | Dance Performance Practicum II | 3
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum III | 3

**Select 2 credits from the following:**
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum IV | 3
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum V | 3

**Select 2 credits from the following:**
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum VI | 3
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum VII | 3

**Select 2 credits from the following:**
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum VIII | 3
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum IX | 3

**Select 2 credits from the following:**
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum X | 3
- DCE 450 | Dance Performance Practicum XI | 3
**Dance Electives**

Select Dance (DCE) Electives to total 78 hours in Dance.  

* With a minimum grade of B (2.0)
** DCE 355 is taken for 1 credit.
1 Must include at least 2 credits as listed below:
DCE 343 OR DCE 443
2 May not include more than 2 credits from this course, at least one of which must be 1 credit of DCE 250 in MFA student choreography.

**Recommended Dance Electives:**
- DCE 331
- DCE 333
- DCE 405

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### Dance (Choreography and Performance) with K–12 Standard Professional | Licensure Concentration Requirements

- Minimum of 78 credit hours in DCE courses required for the program.
- Overall 3.0 GPA or higher in courses taken at UNC Greensboro.
- Note: Completion of these courses does not guarantee licensure. Through advising, students are advised of additional requirements for documenting the evidence required for licensure. Contact the School of Education Office of Student Services at 336-334-3410 for more information.

#### Code | Title | Credit Hours
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DCE 217 | Exploration and Improvisation in Dance | 1
DCE 241 | Music for Dance | 1
DCE 253 | Choreography I: Craft | 1
DCE 259 | Introduction to Laban Movement Analysis | 1
DCE 355 | Dance Production Practicum II ** | 1
DCE 360 | Dance Production | 1
DCE 417 | Contact Improvisation | 1
DCE 453 | Choreography III: Group Forms | 1
DCE 465 | Screen Dance | 1
DCE 470 | Creative Synthesis in Dance | 1
or DCE 487 | Performance Theory and Practice | 1

### Dance Performance

Select 6 credits from the following:  

DCE 143 | Dance Performance Workshop | 1
DCE 243 | Dance Repertory II | 1
DCE 250 | Dance Performance Practicum 2 | 1
DCE 343 | Repertory III 1 or DCE 443 | 1
Advanced Dance Repertory | 1

### Dance History and Theory

DCE 207 | Dance History: Modernism and Postmodernism | 1
DCE 307 | Dance History: Mapping Dance | 1
DCE 340 | The Body and Motion in Dance | 1
DCE 359 | Foundations for Dance Education | 1

### Teacher Licensure Requirements

SES 401 | Understanding and Teaching Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings | 1
TED 401 | Child and Adolescent Development and Learning | 1
TED 403 | Teaching English Learners with Diverse Abilities | 1
DCE 459 | Dance Education Methods and Field Experience 3 | 1
DCE 460 | Assessment and Instruction in the Dance Classroom | 1
DCE 461 | Student Teaching in Dance Education | 1
DCE 463 | Seminar in Dance Education | 1

### Dance Electives

Select Dance (DCE) electives to total 78 credits in Dance

* With a minimum grade of B or higher
** DCE 355 is taken for 1 credit.
1 Must include at least 2 credits as listed below:
DCE 343 OR DCE 443
2 May not include more than 2 credits from this course.
3 DCE 459 is taken 3 times for a total of 9 credits.
Disciplinary Honors in Dance

Requirements

- A minimum of 12 credit hours as defined below.
- A grade of A or B in all course work used to satisfy the Honors requirement in Dance and at least a 3.30 overall GPA at graduation.

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* B.F.A. students may substitute DCE 470 with permission of the instructor and the school Honors Liaison.
** Taken as an Honors contract course.

 Recognition
Receive a Certificate of Disciplinary Honors in Dance; have that accomplishment, along with the title of the Senior Honors Project, noted on the official transcript; and be recognized at a banquet held at the end of the spring semester.

Honors Advisor
Contact Ana Paula Hofling at aphofling@uncg.edu for information on admission to the Disciplinary Honors Program in Dance. To apply: http://honorscollege.uncg.edu/forms/disc-application.pdf