DANCE STUDIES, B.A.

The B.A. Dance Studies degree focuses on general studies in dance within a liberal arts framework. Dance Studies B.A. students may choose to add the Dance K–12 Teaching Licensure concentration. All students admitted to the School of Dance are accepted from a mandatory entry audition.

Overall Requirements

- 120 credit hours, to include at least 36 credits at or above the 300 course level
- Overall 2.50 or higher GPA in courses taken at UNC Greensboro (3.0 or higher GPA for Dance Education concentration)
- Minimum of 50 credit hours in DCE courses required for the program.

Degree Program Requirements

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Major Requirements

Select one of the concentrations as detailed following the major requirements.

- Dance Studies
- Dance Studies with K–12 Teaching Licensure

Electives

Sufficient electives to complete the 120 total credit hours required for the degree.

Dance Studies Concentration Requirements

- Overall 2.50 or higher GPA in courses taken at UNC Greensboro.
- Minimum 50 credits in Dance courses.

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Dance Technique

- DCE 118 Jazz Dance: Praxis and Context
- DCE 132 African Dance I

Select a minimum of 2 credits from the following:

- DCE 112 Contemporary Dance I
- DCE 124 Contemporary Dance Praxis I
- DCE 212 Contemporary Dance II
- DCE 224 Contemporary Dance Praxis II
- DCE 312 Contemporary Dance III
- DCE 324 Contemporary Dance: Theory and High Intermediate-Level Technique
- DCE 412 Contemporary Dance IV

Select a minimum of 2 credits from the following:

- DCE 114 Ballet I
- DCE 214 Ballet II
- DCE 314 Ballet III
- DCE 414 Ballet IV

Select 4 credits from the following:

- DCE 133 Tap Dance I
- DCE 216 Jazz Dance II
- DCE 230 Somatic Practices in Dance
- DCE 231 Global Dance Forms
- DCE 232 African Dance II
- DCE 233 Tap Dance II
- DCE 316 Jazz Dance III
- DCE 330 Iyengar Yoga: Somatic Practice
- DCE 332 African Dance III
- DCE 432 Pilates: Movement Fundamentals for Dancers

Select 2 credits from the following and complete with a minimum grade of B (3.0):

- DCE 212 Contemporary Dance II
- DCE 214 Ballet II
- DCE 216 Jazz Dance II
- DCE 232 African Dance II
- DCE 312 Contemporary Dance III
- DCE 314 Ballet III
- DCE 316 Jazz Dance III
- DCE 324 Contemporary Dance: Theory and High Intermediate-Level Technique
- DCE 332 African Dance III
- DCE 412 Contemporary Dance IV
- DCE 414 Ballet IV

Dance Electives

Select Dance electives to total 50 credits in Dance.

- DCE 355 is taken for 1 credit.

Recommended Dance Electives:

- DCE 331
- DCE 455
Dance Studies with K–12 Teaching Licensure Concentration Requirements

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.

- Overall 3.0 or higher GPA in courses taken at UNC Greensboro.
- Minimum 50 credits in Dance courses.

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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 Janet Lilly at j_lilly@uncg.edu for information on admission to the Disciplinary Honors Program in Dance. To apply: http://honorscollege.uncg.edu/forms/disc-application.pdf