

Dance Four Year Academic Plan

Year 1	Fall	Spring
Benchmark 1 Requirements		
DANC 109	ENGL 101 (AW)*	DANC 219
DANC 179	Math (MA)*	DANC 207
DANC 207	DANC 218	DANC 1xx-4xx (Dance Styles #1)
DANC 218	DANC 179	Oral Communication (OC)
DANC 219	DANC 109	Analytic Reasoning (AR)
DANC 1xx-4xx (Dance Styles) <i>Must be completed by the end of two semesters.</i>	ARHU 158 <i>*Must attempt by 30 cr.</i>	
Year 2		
Benchmark 2 Requirements		
DANC 209	DANC 209	DANC 283
DANC 283	DANC 318	DANC 319
DANC 318	DANC 1xx-4xx (Dance Styles #2)	DANC 1xx-4xx (Dance Styles #3)
DANC 319	TDPS 201	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #1**
TDPS 201	Global Engagement #1	Global Engagement #2
Two additional DANC 1xx-4xx (Dance Styles)		
4th Semester Assessment <i>Must be completed by the end of four semesters.</i>		
Year 3		
Benchmark 3 Requirements		
DANC 304	DANC 304	Area of Emphasis #1 (3xx-4xx)
DANC 488	DANC 488 #1	Area of Emphasis #2 (3xx-4xx)
TDPS 479	Humanities (HU)**	TDPS 479 (1-3 credits)
Area of Emphasis 3xx-4xx <i>Must be completed by the end of six semesters.</i>	History/Social Sciences (HS)**	Natural Sciences (NS)**
	Natural Science Lab (NL)**	History/Social Sciences (HS)**
Year 4		
	DANC 488 #2	Area of Emphasis #3 (3xx-4xx)
	Professional Writing (PW)	Area of Emphasis #4 (3xx-4xx)
	Humanities (HU)**	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #2**
	TDPS 479 or DANC 389 (1-3 credits)	Elective 3xx-4xx
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 1xx-4xx
	Total Credits for Degree: 120; 45 credits must be 3xx-4xx level	

Note: Some courses for the major may also count toward the General Education requirements.

**All students must complete two Distributive Studies courses that are approved for I-series courses. The Understanding Plural Societies and Cultural Competence courses may also fulfill Distributive Studies categories.

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General Education Requirements				Benchmark Requirements		
Fundamental Studies				Year 1 - Benchmark Requirements		
<i>Requirements: 15 credits/5 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade			
Academic Writing (AW)	ENGL 101			DANC 109		
Professional Writing (PW)				DANC 179		
Oral Comm. (OC)				DANC 207		
Math (MA)				DANC 218		
Analytic Reasoning (AR)				DANC 219		
Distributive Studies				Year 2 - Benchmark Requirements		
<i>Requirements: 25 credits/8 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade			
Natural Science Lab (NL)				DANC 209		
Natural Sciences (NS)				DANC 283		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				DANC 318		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				DANC 319		
Humanities (HU)				TDPS 201		
Humanities (HU)				Two additional DANC 1xx-4xx (Dance Styles)		
Scholarship in Practice (SP)				4th Semester Assessment		
Scholarship in Practice (SP) non major				Year 3 - Benchmark Requirements		
I-Series				DANC 304		
Normally double counted with Distributive Studies				DANC 488		
<i>Requirements: 6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	TDPS 479		
I-Series (IS)				Area of Emphasis 3xx-4xx		
I-Series (IS)						
Diversity				Major Requirements		
(overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-series)				<i>Cumulative average of major requirements must be at least a 2.0</i>		
<i>Requirements: 4-6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	<i>Requirements</i>		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP)				<i>Credits</i>		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP) <i>or</i>				<i>Grade</i>		
Cultural Competency (CC)				DANC 109		
Experiential Learning- optional				DANC 179		
(overlap permitted with other requirements/courses)				DANC 207		
<i>Requirements: 0-3 credits</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	DANC 209		
				DANC 218		
				DANC 219		
				DANC 283		
				DANC 304		
				DANC 318		
				DANC 319		
				DANC 488		
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				TDPS 479 (1-3 cr.)		
Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete a degree.				<i>Dance Styles (6 credits)</i>		
University Requirements for Graduation:				DANC 1xx-4xx		
<input type="checkbox"/> At least 30 credits must be earned at UMD				DANC 1xx-4xx		
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 of the final 30 credits must be earned at the 300-400 level				DANC 1xx-4xx		
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 upper level major credits must be earned at UMD				DANC 1xx-4xx		
ARHU Requirements for Graduation:				<i>Area of Emphasis (12 credits)*</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> 45 upper level credits				TDPS 479 or DANC 389 (1-3 cr.)		
<input type="checkbox"/> ARHU 158 or equivalent (if applicable)				DEPT 3xx-4xx		
<input type="checkbox"/> Global Engagement				DEPT 3xx-4xx		
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				*Area of Emphasis courses will be discussed with departmental advisor		