

DANCE (B.S.) - RESIDENT

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2026 through summer 2027. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

General Education/Foundational Skills Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Communication & Information Literacy ¹		
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
	Communications Elective	3
	Information Literacy Elective	3
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning ¹		
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1
	Math Elective MATH 114 or higher	3
	Technology Competency ²	0-3
Critical Thinking ¹		
RLGN 105	Introduction to Biblical Worldview ³	2
	Critical Thinking Elective	3
Civic & Global Engagement ¹		
EVAN 101	Evangelism and the Christian Life ³	2
	Cultural Studies Elective	3
Social & Scientific Inquiry ¹		
	Natural Science Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
Christianity & Contexts ¹		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2
Total Hours		40-43

¹ Refer to the list of approved general education electives before enrolling in foundational skill requirements

² All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course

³ Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Courses		
DNCE 103	Dance Health & Wellness	3
DNCE 105	Ballet Technique I	2
DNCE 106	Contemporary Modern Dance Technique I	2
DNCE 107	Jazz Dance Technique I	2
DNCE 202	Dance History I	3
DNCE 203	Dance History II	3

Code	Title	Hours
DNCE 205	Ballet Technique II	2
DNCE 206	Contemporary Modern Dance Technique II	2
DNCE 207	Jazz Dance Technique II	2
DNCE 208	Social Dance Technique I	2
DNCE 220	Improvisation	2
DNCE 228	Dance Kinesiology	3
DNCE 300	Dance Practicum	1
or THEA 300	Theatre Practicum	
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Dance Elective ¹		2
DNCE 315	Technical Production for Dance	3
DNCE 325	Dance Composition I	3
DNCE 430	Dance Pedagogy	3
DNCE 471	Dance as Ministry	3
DNCE 481	Careers in Dance	3
DNCE 491	Senior Capstone	1
Technique Elective ²		2
Technique Elective ²		2
THEA 202	Stagecraft	3
Total Hours		55

¹ Choose one of the following: DNCE 305, DNCE 306, or DNCE 307

² Choose one of the following: DNCE 110, DNCE 210, DNCE 305, DNCE 306, DNCE 307, or DNCE 497

Code	Title	Hours
Free Electives		
Choose 22-25 credit hours of Free Electives		22-25
Total Hours		22-25

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- **120** Total hours
- **2.0** Overall grade point average
- **30** Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
- **Grade of 'C'** Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
- **25%** Of major taken through Liberty University
- **30** Hours must be completed through Liberty University
- **Grad App** Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date
- **CSER** All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Course Sequence

Freshman Year		
First Semester		
		Hours
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
RLGN 105	Introduction to Biblical Worldview	2
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1

Technology Competency ¹	0-3
DNCE 103 Dance Health & Wellness	3
DNCE 105 Ballet Technique I	2
DNCE 106 Contemporary Modern Dance Technique I	2
CSER	0

Hours 15-18

Second Semester

BIBL 110 New Testament Survey	2
Communications Elective ²	3
Information Literacy Elective ²	3
DNCE 107 Jazz Dance Technique I	2
DNCE 202 Dance History I	3
THEA 202 Stagecraft	3
CSER	0

Hours 16

Sophomore Year

First Semester

THEO 201 Theology Survey I	2
Critical Thinking Elective ²	3
Cultural Studies Elective ²	3
Math Elective ²	3
DNCE 203 Dance History II	3
DNCE 205 Ballet Technique II	2
DNCE 206 Contemporary Modern Dance Technique II	2
CSER	0

Hours 18

Second Semester

EVAN 101 Evangelism and the Christian Life	2
THEO 202 Theology Survey II	2
Social Sciences Elective ¹	3
DNCE 220 Improvisation	2
DNCE 228 Dance Kinesiology	3
DNCE 300 Dance Practicum or THEA 300 or Theatre Practicum	1
Elective	1
CSER	0

Hours 14

Junior Year

First Semester

Information Literacy Elective ²	3
DNCE 300 Dance Practicum	1
DNCE 315 Technical Production for Dance	3
DNCE 325 Dance Composition I	3
Elective	3
Elective	3
CSER	0

Hours 16

Second Semester

Natural Science Elective ²	3
DNCE 207 Jazz Dance Technique II	2
DNCE 208 Social Dance Technique I	2
DNCE 430 Dance Pedagogy	3

Elective	3
Elective	3
CSER	0
Hours	16

Senior Year

First Semester

DNCE 471 Dance as Ministry	3
Dance Elective ³	2
Technique Elective ⁴	2
Elective	3
Elective	3
CSER	0

Hours 13

Second Semester

DNCE 481 Careers in Dance	3
DNCE 491 Senior Capstone	1
Technique Elective ⁴	2
Elective	3
Elective	3
CSER	0

Hours 12

Total Hours 120-123

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