

College of Arts & Sciences

B.A. Dance, with Secondary Level Teacher Certification

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- Entrance auditions are required for admission to be a BA dance major in the dance program.
- The College of Arts and Sciences expects students to have completed the Texas State recommended high school program and be ready to enroll in Language 2040 (TCCNS: Language 2311) and a college level mathematics course. If you are not prepared for this level, the necessary prerequisites will either replace electives or increase the hours required for this degree.

Courses Recommended for Transfer

UNT Core: English Composition & Rhetoric

ENGL 1301; and ENGL 1302 or 2311

A grade of 'C' or better is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

UNT Core: Mathematics

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Arts & Sciences mathematics requirement (see next column).

UNT Core: Natural Science

This requirement will be met by fulfilling B.A. Dance major requirements (see next column).

UNT Core: U.S. History

Two courses chosen from: HIST 1301, 1302, 2301

UNT Core: Political Science

Two courses chosen from one of the following combinations:

- GOVT 2301 and 2302
- GOVT 2301 and 2306
- GOVT 2305 and 2306
- GOVT 2302 and 2306
- GOVT 2301 and 2305

UNT Core: Visual & Performing Arts

This requirement will be met by fulfilling a B.A. Dance major requirement (see page two).

UNT Core: Humanities

One course chosen from: ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, or 2333; PHIL 1304 or 2316

UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences

One course chosen from: ANTH 2346 or 2351; COMM 1307; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301 or 2302; HUMA 2323; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301; SPCH 1318; TECA 1354

UNT Core: Discovery

This requirement will be met by fulfilling a B.A. Dance major requirement (see page two).

UNT Core: Capstone

This requirement will be met by fulfilling teacher certification requirements (see page two).

College of Arts & Sciences Core: Mathematics

Choose **one** course below (also satisfies the university core):

- MATH 1316
- MATH 1324
- MATH 1325 or 1425
- MATH 1332
- MATH 1342 or 1442 or 2342
- MATH 2312 or 2412
- MATH 2313 or 2413 or 2513

MATH 1332, 1342 or 1442 or 2342 is recommended.

Math 1350 and 1351 are not to be used to satisfy this requirement.

College of Arts & Sciences Core: Foreign Language

Any foreign language 2311 and 2312.

Courses must be taken in the same language.

NOTE: Prerequisites for foreign language 2311 and 2312 courses are 1311 and 1312 or 1411 and 1412 or 1511 and 1512. Placement exams may be available; see your community college academic advisor for details.

B.A. Dance: Other Course Requirements

- PHYS 1401 or 1101/1301
- BIOL 2401 or 2101/2301
- BIOL 2402 or 2102/2302
- Entrance auditions are required for admission to be a B.A. Dance major in the dance program. Further information is available at www.danceandtheatre.unt.edu concerning time, date, and place.
- B.A. Dance majors are expected to enroll in either ballet or modern technique courses every semester they are taking courses at UNT (excluding summers), completing a minimum of 12 hours of dance technique courses toward the major.

BIOL and PHYS courses above fulfill both Natural Science core and Dance program requirements.

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B.A. Dance: Major Requirements

- DANC 1000, only offered at UNT, fulfills the Discovery Core requirement and a Dance program requirement.
- DANC 2800, only offered at UNT, fulfills the Visual and Performing Arts Core requirement and a Dance program requirement.
- DANC 4650, only offered at UNT, fulfills the Capstone Core requirement and a Dance program requirement.

Courses listed above are TCCNS options and do not include all courses required for the UNT B.A. Dance major.

Teacher Education Program

Admission to Teacher Education Program:

Prior to enrolling in the education courses, students must:

- be a junior (60 credit hours earned)
- have a 2.75 UNT GPA
- have a 2.75 overall GPA (includes courses transferred to UNT, plus all courses taken at UNT)
- have minimum THEA scores of 240 reading, 230 math, and 220 writing
- be actively enrolled at UNT and have an official degree audit with certification requirements included
- have completed the application process and been admitted to Teacher Education through the College of Education Student Advising Office in Matthews Hall, Room 105

Continuation in the Teacher Education Program is not guaranteed by the admission process.

Teacher Certification Information

Students must complete the required 21 hours in upper-level education courses and meet all GPA requirements to apply for state Certification. No TCCNS options available. A 2.75 GPA is required on Teacher Education courses; see current UNT Undergraduate Catalog for all requirements.

To be certified to teach in the State of Texas, the student must successfully pass the following exams:

Exam #1 TExES: Pedagogy & Professional Responsibilities (EC-12)

Exam #2 TExES: Dance (8-12)

Additional requirements for Teacher Certification in Dance include a 2.75 overall GPA (including all transferred courses), a 2.75 UNT GPA, a 2.75 major GPA, and a 2.75 GPA in all Teacher Education courses.

Special Notes

Hours Required and General/College Requirements:

A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree as specified in the "[General University Requirements](#)" section of the UNT catalog and the College of Arts & Sciences requirements.

Students majoring in dance must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5.

To graduate, students majoring in dance are required to have a minimum grade of "C" in dance courses comprising the major beyond the pre-major. Student must also have a minimum grade of "B" in dance courses that comprise the pre-major. Transfer course work to be substituted for required dance courses. Transfer course work to be substituted for required dance courses must be approved by a student's academic advisor during the degree audit process.

UNT Core Curriculum/Transfer of Core Curriculum:

UNT complies with the mandates of the 1997 Texas Legislature regarding requirements for state-assisted institutions. Students who successfully complete the common core curriculum (in whole or in part) at a Texas state-assisted institution of higher education are eligible to transfer as "core complete" for those categories in the UNT University Core Curriculum.

Individual academic programs may require courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum. Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major/program requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

Choice of Catalog: Any student transferring directly from a Texas public community college to UNT shall have the same choice of catalog designating degree requirements as the student would have had if the dates of attendance at the university had been the same as the dates of attendance at the community college.

The College of Arts & Sciences required curriculum and policies are located in the [Undergraduate Catalog 2012-2013](#).

For additional program and contact information see the College of Arts and Sciences Student Advising website: www.cas.unt.edu/advising

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This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current [Undergraduate Catalog](#) for course prerequisites. Course availability at UNT is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to UNT's course offerings.

YEAR	FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER	
	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
FRESHMAN	ENGL 1310 or 1313	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1320 or 1323	ENGL 1302
	DANC 1250	None	DANC 2095 (1 hr)	None
	Foreign Language 2040	Foreign Language 2311	Foreign Language 2050	Foreign Language 2312
	CAS Core: Mathematics	See list of approved courses	PHYS 1410/1430	PHYS 1401 or 1301/1101
	Modern Dance Technique (per placement)	None	Modern Dance Technique (per placement)	None
	DANC 2500 (1 hr)		DANC 2710 (1 hr)	See list of approved courses
	Freshman Year, Summer I		Freshman Year, Summer II	
UNT Core: Political Science	See list of approved courses	UNT Core: Political Science	See list of approved courses	

YEAR	FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER	
	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
SOPHOMORE	BIOL 2301/2311	BIOL 2401 or 2301/2101	BIOL 2302/2312	BIOL 2402 or 2302/2102
	DANC 2800	None	DANC 3800	None
	DANC 3030		Elective	Consult UNT advisor
	DANCE 1100		UNT Core: Humanities	See list of approved courses
	DANC 2500 (1 hr)		DANC 2710 (1 hr)	None
	Modern Dance Technique		Modern Dance Technique	
	Sophomore Year, Summer I		Sophomore Year, Summer II	
UNT Core: U.S. History	See list of approved courses	UNT Core: U.S. History	See list of approved courses	

YEAR	FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER	
	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
JUNIOR	DANC 3050	None	DANC 3400 or 4400	None
	DANC 3060		DANC 3410 or 4410	
	DANC 3400 or 4400		EDSE 4060*	
	DANC 3410 or 4410		EDSE 3830*	
	EDSE 3800*		DANC 3046	
	DANC 3617 (1 hr)		DANC 1050 (1 hr)	
	Junior Year, Summer I			
UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences	See list of approved courses			
*Students must be admitted to the Teacher Education Program prior to enrolling in certain Education courses.				

YEAR	FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER	
	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
SENIOR	DANC 4620	None	EDSE 4108* (Student Teaching)	None
	DANC 4070		EDSE 4118* (Student Teaching)	
	EDSE 4070*		Modern Dance Technique (advanced)	
	EDSE 4840*		Modern Dance Technique (advanced)	
	Modern Dance Technique (advanced)		DANC 4650 (Senior Project)	
	DANC 4050 (1 hr)			