

DANCE - MINOR

College of the Arts

School of Theatre and Dance - Dance Division
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About This Program

The Dance minor provides students with an understanding of dance through its contemporary applications.

Students are eligible to begin in level 1 dance courses without auditioning. Students may audition for higher-level placement.

Contact Information

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Program Delivery

- **Delivery:**
 - In person
- **Location:**
 - Kent Campus

Admission Requirements

Admission to a minor is open to students declared in a bachelor's degree, the A.A.B. or A.A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree (not Individualized Program major). Students declared only in the A.A. or A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree in Individualized Program may not declare a minor. Students may not pursue a minor and a major in the same discipline.

Program Requirements

Minor Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Minor Requirements		
Dance (DAN) Technique Lower-Division Electives, choose from the following: ¹		9
DAN 17001	MODERN 1	
DAN 17002	MODERN DANCE 2	
DAN 17004	JAZZ 1	
DAN 17005	JAZZ 2	
DAN 17007	TAP 1	
DAN 17008	TAP 2	
DAN 17009	TAP 3	
DAN 17010	BALLET 1	
DAN 17011	BALLET 2	
DAN 17013	AFRICAN DANCE 1	
DAN 17016	SWING DANCE 1	
DAN 17019	HIP HOP 1	
DAN 17020	HIP HOP 2	
DAN 17049	FUNDAMENTALS OF DANCE AND MOVEMENT	
DAN 17051	MODERN 3	
DAN 17054	BALLET 3	
DAN 17055	MEN'S BALLET	
DAN 17101	MODERN 1A	

DAN 17102	MODERN 2A	
DAN 17104	JAZZ 1A	
DAN 17105	JAZZ 2A	
DAN 17110	BALLET 1A	
DAN 17111	BALLET 2A	
DAN 27070	JAZZ STYLES I	
DAN 27071	MODERN 4	
DAN 27073	BALLET 4	
DAN 27074	DANCE COMPOSITION I	
DAN 27170	JAZZ STYLES II	
Dance (DAN) Electives, choose from the following: ¹		6
DAN 27150	KINESIOLOGY FOR DANCERS	
DAN 37010	DANCE PEDAGOGY	
DAN 37020	TEACHING DANCE AND MOVEMENT FOR NONTRADITIONAL POPULATIONS	
DAN 37035	DANCE COMPOSITION II	
DAN 37068	MODERN 5	
DAN 37069	BALLET 5	
DAN 37070	DANCE COMPOSITION III	
DAN 37072	DANCE AND TECHNOLOGY	
DAN 37100	POINTE 1	
DAN 37150	POINTE 2	
DAN 37192	DANCE PRACTICUM - PERFORMANCE (ELR) ²	
DAN 47060	PROFESSIONAL ASPECTS IN DANCE	
DAN 47063	DANCE HISTORY I	
DAN 47070	JAZZ STYLES III	
DAN 47095	SPECIAL TOPICS IN DANCE	
DAN 47163	DANCE HISTORY II (WIC)	
DAN 47170	JAZZ STYLES IV	
DAN 47196	INDIVIDUAL INVESTIGATION IN DANCE	
Minimum Total Credit Hours:		15

- ¹ Any physical practice Dance (DAN) courses may be repeated toward minor requirements. Students must receive permission for placement into the course levels beyond one.
- ² An additional concert audition may be required for DAN 37192.

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Minor GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
2.250	2.000

- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be upper-division coursework (30000 and 40000 level).
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be outside of the course requirements for any major or other minor the student is pursuing.
- Minimum 50 percent of the total credit hours for the minor must be taken at Kent State (in residence).

Program Learning Outcomes

Graduates of this program will be able to:

1. Articulate dance aesthetics and technique.
2. Perform positions and movement phrases in one or more dance genres.
3. Articulate appropriate dance terminology and vocabulary.