

**University of Saint Francis
Curriculum Guide (Course Sequencing) for the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance
Effective Date: 8-16**

Name: _____

Expected Graduation Date _____

Students have 8 semesters to complete the 132 hour program. Some course are offered in odd or even years. The following is a suggestion of how a course sequence for four years could be planned.

By Placement Courses: 0-7 credit hours- these course are needed by some students to be more prepared for the General Education courses at the University of Saint Francis-if you need them, please take them the first semester.

GE Outcome	GE Approved Courses	CR	Fall	Spring	Plan to Take Summer
English	ENGL 100 By Placement (no credit toward degree)	(0-2)	Freshman Year Fall		
Reading	READ 101, 119, 120, 121 By Placement (no credit toward degree for READ 101)	(0-2)	Freshman Year Fall		
Math	MATH 120 By Placement	(0-3)	Freshman Year Fall		

General Education Courses- Introduction: 3 credit hours

GE Outcomes	GE Approved Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
iConnect	ICON 100	3	Freshman Year Fall		

Skills: 12 credit hours

GE Outcomes	GE Approved Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
Composition and Rhetoric	ENGL 101 or ENGL 103	3	Freshman Year Fall		

	(only 3 credits towards a degree)				
Health and Wellness	DANC 110	3	Freshman Year Fall		
Public Communication	COMM 121 Fundamentals of Public Communication	3	Freshman Year Fall		
Rhetoric and Research		3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring OR	
Writing Intensive		0	Senior Year Fall OR	Senior Year Spring	

Disciplines: 24 credit hours

GE Outcomes	GE Approved Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
Behavioral and Social Sciences		3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring OR	
Creative Arts	MUSC 131	3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring OR	
History		3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring OR	Sophomore Year Summer
Literature		3	Junior Year Fall OR	Junior Year Spring	Junior Year Summer
Mathematics	MATH 122 or higher	3		Freshman Year Spring	Freshman Year Summer
Natural Sciences	BIOL 218	3	Junior Year Fall OR	Junior Year Spring	Junior Year Summer
Philosophy		3	Junior Year Fall OR	Junior Year Spring	Junior Year Summer
Theology		3	Senior Year Fall OR	Senior Year Spring	

Franciscan Values: 9 credit hours

GE Outcomes	GE Approved Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
Franciscan Tradition		3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring OR	

Social Justice		3	Junior Year Fall OR	Junior Year Spring	
Care for Creation		3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring OR	

General Education Courses- Introduction: 3 credit hours

GE Outcomes	GE Approved Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
Capstone	DANC 498	3	Senior Year Fall OR	Senior Year Spring	

Total General Education Requirements: 46-49 credit hours

Major Required Courses, Dance Technique Core: 39 credit hours

Major Courses	Major Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
DANC 110-114 GE Health and Wellness	Ballet I (by placement)	-	Freshman Year Fall		
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3		Sophomore Year Spring	Sophomore Year Summer
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3	Sophomore Year Fall		
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3		Sophomore Year Spring OR	Junior Year Summer
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3	Junior Year Fall		
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3		Junior Year Spring OR	Junior Year Summer
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3	Senior Year Fall		
DANC 110-114, 210-214, or 310-314	Ballet I, II, or III (by placement)	3		Senior Year Spring	
DANC 150-154 or 250-254	Contemporary I, II (by placement)	3	Freshman Year Fall		
DANC 150-154 or 250-254	Contemporary I, II (by placement)	3		Sophomore Year Spring	

DANC 150-154 or 250-254	Contemporary I, II (by placement)	3	Sophomore Year Fall		
DANC 150-154 or 250-254	Contemporary I, II (by placement)	3		Sophomore Year Spring	
DANC 205	Character Dance	3	Freshman Year Fall OR	Freshman Year Spring	
DANC 206 or DANC -207	Jazz Dance or Tap Dance	3	Sophomore Year Fall OR	Sophomore Year Spring	
DANC 498 GE Senior Capstone	Senior Project / Capstone	3	Senior Year Fall Or	Senior Year Spring	

Major Required Courses, Dance Performance: 6 credit hours

Major Courses	Major Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
DANC 280	Dance Repertory	3		Junior Year Spring	
DANC 290	Dance Performance	3		Sophomore Year Spring	

Major Required Courses, Dance Studies: 30 credit hours

Major Courses	Major Courses	CR	Plan to Take Fall	Plan to Take Spring	Plan to Take Summer
MUSC 131 GE Creative Arts	Music Appreciation	-	Freshman Year Fall		
THEA 215	Stagecraft	3	Sophomore Year Fall		
BIOL 218 GE Natural Science	Human Anatomy	-		Sophomore Year Spring	
DANC 260	Dance History and Criticism I	3	Sophomore Year Fall		
DANC 261	Dance History and Criticism II	3		Sophomore Year Spring	
DANC 221	Dance Composition I	3	Junior Year Fall		
DANC 321	Dance Composition II	3		Junior Year Spring	

DANC 350	Choreographic Project	3		Senior Year Spring	
DANC 285	Methods and Materials in Dance Education	3	Freshman Year Fall OR		
DANC 390	Dance Teaching Practicum	3	Senior Year Fall OR	Senior Year Spring	
PHES 410	Kinesiology	3		Senior Year Spring	
DANC 470	Internship	3	Senior Year Fall OR	Junior Year Spring OR	Junior Year Summer

Electives: 6 credit hours

Electives from any discipline to complete a minimum of 132 credit hours

Major Courses	Major Courses	CR	Plan to take any Semester or Summer

Total Transfer Credit Hours Completed:

Total USF Credit Hours Completed:

Total Degree Requirements: 129 credit hours