

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) Dance

2024-2026

	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
3	Choose 1	Communication	С	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on English portion of ACT test and TSI examination or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301.	See General Education Core for more details. Options: ENGL 1301
3	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST 2327
3	DANC 1351	Introduction to Dance	С			Required course for Dance majors. Not required for Dance minors Only offered Fall.
3	Choose 1	Social and Behavioral Sciences		080		See General Education Core for course options.
2	DANC 2246 or 2341	Foundations in Contemporary Dance - Two Credit Hour or Ballet Foundations - Three Credit Hour	С			Select Contemporary Dance or Ballet (15 credits required). See Degree Plan for Options. Recommended to select Contemporary Dance. DANC 2246 Foundations in Contemporary Dance
3	DANC 23XX	Second Dance Technique	С			Select a Different Technique (15 credits required). See Degree Pla for options. Recommended DANC 2341 Ballet Foundations
	UNIV	1301 Learning Framework 1101 Academic and Career Success 1001 Living and Working by Design				As required, based on credit hours earned, TSI status, High school rank, major declaration
17 Sem	ester Total Hours					
3	Choose 1	Communication	С	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on English portion of ACT test and TSI examination or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301.	See General Education Core for more details. Options: ENGL 1302 or ENGL 1305
3	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST 2327
3	Choose 1	Mathematics	С		College Ready TSI status in Mathematics or MATH 0314/0332/0342.	See General Education Core for course options. MATH 1314 or high recommended.
1	Choose 1	Integrative/Experimental Learning Option		090		See General Education Core for course options.
2	DANC 1202	Dance Improvisation	С		Credit or registration in DANC 2246, DANC 2345, DANC 3246, DANC 3345, DANC 4246, or DANC 4345.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Please note students must meet a pre-requisite or co-requisite of a Contemporary Dance technique course. Only offered Spring.
3	DANC 2345 or 2242	Foundations in Contemporary Dance - Three Credit Hour or Ballet Foundations - Two Credit Hour	С			Same Required Technique Class Contemporary Dance or Ballet (15 credits required). Recommended DANC 2345 Foundations in Contemporary Dance
2	DANC 22XX	Second Dance Technique	С			Continue with second technique selected. 15 credits required. See degree plan.
17 Sem	ester Total Hours					
	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
4	BIOL 2401	Anatomy and Physiology I		030/ 090		1 hour of lab for Core 090.
3	POLS 2305	U.S. Federal Govt & Politics		070		
2	DANC 3246 or 3341	Intermediate Contemporary Dance - Two Credit Hour or Intermediate Ballet - Three Credit Hour	С			Same Required Technique Class Contemporary Dance or Ballet (15 credits required, a minimum of 10 hours advanced)
3	DANC 33XX-43XX	Second Dance Technique (Advanced hours)	С			Continue with second technique selected. 15 credits required with minimum 10 advanced hours. See degree plan.
3	DANC 2303	Music for Dancers	С			Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Fall.
1	DANC 2112 or 3112	Dance Performance: Beginning/Intermediate or Dance Performance: Intermediate/Advanced	С			Must be registered concurrently in any dance technique course.
16 Sem	ester Total Hours					
3	Choose 1	Creative Arts		050	Must not be DANC 2323 Dance Appreciation	See General Education Core for course options.
3	POLS 2306	Texas Government & Politics		070		
3		Integrative/Experimental Learning Option		090		See General Education Core for course options.
	Choose 1					
3	Choose 1 BIOL 2402	Anatomy and Physiology II		030/ 090	BIOL 2401.	1 hour of lab for Core 090.
3			С		BIOL 2401.	1 hour of lab for Core 090. Same Required Technique Class Contemporary Dance or Ballet (15 credits required, a minimum of 10 hours advanced)

The 2024-2026 list of core courses can be found in the 2024-2026 Undergraduate Catalog: www.utrgv.edu/catalog > See 'Bachelors Degree Program Regulations'

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3	Choose 1	Language, Philosophy & Culture		040		See General Education Core for course options.
3	DANC 3301	Choreography I	С		Grade of "C" or better in DANC 1202.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Fall.
3	DANC 3308	Dance History	С			Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Fall of ODD yea or Summer when needed.
3	DANC 33XX-43XX	Dance Technique Course: Intermediate or Advanced Contemporary Dance or Intermediate or Advanced Ballet	С			Same Required Technique Class Contemporary Dance or Ballet (15 credits required, a minimum of 10 hours advanced)
2	DANC 32XX-42XX	Second Dance Technique (Advanced hours)	С			Continue with second technique selected. 15 credits required with minimum 10 advanced hours. See degree plan.
1	DANC 3112	Dance Performance: Intermediate/Advanced	С			Must be registered concurrently in any dance technique course.
15 5	Semester Total Hours					
3	DANC 3311	Dance Production	С			Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Spring.
3	DANC 3302	Choreography II	С		Grade of "C" or better in DANC 3301.	Only offered Spring.
2	DANC 32XX-42XX	Dance Technique Course: Intermediate or Advanced Contemporary Dance or Intermediate or Advanced Ballet	С			Same Required Technique Class Contemporary Dance or Ballet (15 credits required, a minimum of 10 hours advanced)
3	DANC 33XX-43XX	Second Dance Technique (Advanced hours)	С			Continue with second technique selected. 15 credits required with minimum 10 advanced hours. See degree plan.
1	DANC 3112	Dance Performance: Intermediate/Advanced	С			Must be registered concurrently in any dance technique course.
12 5	Semester Total Hours					
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3	DANC 3313	World Dance	С			Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Fall.
3	DANC 3320	Dance Science	С		BIOL 2401 and BIOL 2402.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Offered only Fall (EVEN years
1	DANC 3121	Dance Science Lab	С		BIOL 2401 and BIOL 2402.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Offered only Fall (EVEN years
3	DANC 4302	Senior Project	С		Grade of "C" or better in DANC 3302.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
2	DANC 32XX-42XX	Second Dance Technique (Advanced hours)	С			Continue with second technique selected. 15 credits required with minimum 10 advanced hours. See degree plan.
1	DANC 3112	Dance Performance: Intermediate/Advanced	С			Must be registered concurrently in any dance technique course.
13 5	Semester Total Hours					
	DANC 3312	Dance Philosophy and Criticism	С		Grade of "C" or better in DANC 3308.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Spring (EVEN years).
3			С		Grade of 'B' or better in DANC 3242, DANC 3244, DANC 3246, DANC 3341, DANC 3345,	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Only offered Spring.
3	DANC 4309	Dance Theory			DANC 4242, DANC 4246, DANC 4341, or DANC 4345.	
3	DANC 4309 DANC 23XX-43XX	Dance Technique- Additional Techniques	С		DANC 4242, DANC 4240, DANC 4341, OF DANC 4345.	See degree plan for course options. Complete a minimum of 6 hour from two dance technique areas not previously taken.
3		·			DANC 4242, DANC 4240, DANC 4341, OF DANC 4345.	See degree plan for course options. Complete a minimum of 6 hou

120 TOTAL HOURS

Advanced minimum credit hours

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