

Degree:	Bachelor of Fine Arts	Credits required for degree:	128
Major:	Dance	Credits required in major:	78

1st Semester Courses	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 105 Modern IA (or 205A, 205B, 205C Modern II)	2	DANC 106 Modern IB or (205A, 205B, 205C Modern II)	2
DANC 115 Ballet IA (or 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II)	1	DANC 116 Ballet IB (or 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II)	1
DANC 121 W African IA (or 220A, 220B W African II)	1	DANC 121 W African IB (or 220A, 220B W African II)	1
DANC 180 Intro to Dance Studies	3	DANC 185 Hip-Hop Dance Technique I	1
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core/LAS)	3	DANC 167 Dance Improvisation	3
FEXP 1** Columbia Experience (FSE/Core)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core/LAS)	3
College-Wide Elective	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement (Math)	3
		College-Wide Elective	2
3rd Semester Courses	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 205A, 205B, 205C Modern II	2	DANC 205A, 205B, 205C Modern II	2
DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1	DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1
DANC 220A, 220B W African II	1	DANC 165 Contact Improvisation	1
DANC 225 Experiential Anatomy	3	DANC 330 Postcolonial Approaches	3
DANC 245 Choreography I	3	DANC 340 Teaching Dance I	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	DANC 399 Advanced Topics	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
5th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 198 Topics in Movement Practice	1	DANC 310A, 310B, 310P Int Contemporary	1
DANC 310A, 310B, 310P Intermediate Contemporary	2	DAN 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 210 or 230	3
DANC 220A, 220B W African II (or DANC 320)	1	DANC 365 Screen Dance and Sound Design	3
DANC 355 Concert Production	3	DANC 399 Advanced Topics	3
DANC 346 Choreography II	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3		
7th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 210, or 230	3	DANC 425A, 425B, 425P Advanced Contemporary	1
DANC 425 Advanced Contemporary	1	DANC 399 Advanced Topics	3
DANC 399 Advanced Topics	3	DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 210 OR 230	3
DANC 335 Historical Approaches	3	DANC 470 Capstone	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	College-Wide Elective	3

Notes:

This degree plan is a suggested sequence only. Students should work with their Academic Advisors and Departments to develop unique individual plans.

The 42 credits required in the Columbia Core include the Essential Liberal Arts and Sciences (33 LAS Credits) and the Columbia Experience (9 credits).

Students are advised to complete their Writing and Rhetoric and Mathematics Requirements by the time they earn 45 credits (or within the first 3 semesters).

Major Electives include courses required to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of major electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements/Electives.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per term, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-16 attempted credits.

Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each term for financial reasons and also to complete their degree (120-128 credits) in a timely fashion.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Requirement (6 credits) and a minimum of 9 credits at the 200 or higher level in the Columbia Core.