

Degree:	Bachelor of Fine Arts	Credits required for degree:	128
Major:	Dance	Credits required in major:	78
Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:			8

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 105 Modern IA (or 205A, 205B, 205C, 205D Modern II)	2	DANC 106 Modern IB (or 205A, 205B, 205C, 205D 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 120 West African IA (or 220A, 220B West African II)	1	DANC 121 West African IB (or 220A, 220B West African II)	1
DANC 180 Introduction to Dance Studies	3	DANC 185A, 185B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique I	1
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core)	3	DANC 167 Dance Improvisation	3
Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core)	3
College-Wide Elective	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
		College-Wide Elective	2
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 205A, 205B, 205C, 205D Modern II	2	DANC 205A, 205B, 205C, 205D Modern II	2
DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1	DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II (or DANC 315A, 315B Ballet III)	1
DANC 220A, 220B West African II	1	DANC 285A, 285B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique II	1
DANC 225 Experiential Anatomy	3	DANC 330 Postcolonial Approaches	3
DANC 245 Choreography I	3	DANC 340 Teaching Dance I	3
Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3	DANC 346 Choreography II	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
5th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 310A, 310B, 310C Intermediate Contemporary Modern, DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern, or DANC 385A, 385B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique III	2	DANC 310A, 310B, 310C Intermediate Contemporary Modern, DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern, or DANC 385A, 385B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique III	1
DANC 198A, 198B Topics in Movement Practice	1	BFA elective: DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 230	3
DANC 220A, 220B West African II (or DANC 320 West African III)	1	DANC 370 Professionalism: Navigating and Transforming the Field	3
DANC 365 Screen Dance and Sound Design	3	DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3
DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3	Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3		
7th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern Technique	1	DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern Technique	1
BFA elective: DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 230	3	BFA Elective: DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 230	3
DANC 355 Concert Production	3	DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3
DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3	DANC 470 Capstone	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	College-Wide Elective	3

Notes on the Four-Year Student Degree Plan:

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

Columbia Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, Social Sciences and Columbia Experience classes. Students should review their individual Degree Audits for their specific requirements.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed 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.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core. 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 semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-18 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.

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Major:	Dance	Credits required in major:	78
Concentration:		Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:	6

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	12	Total Semester Credit Hours	13
DANC 205A, 205B, 205C, 205D Modern II	3	DANC 205A, 205B, 205C, 205D Modern II	2
DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1	DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1
DANC 220A, 220B West African II	1	DANC 220A, 220B West African II	1
DANC 185A, 185B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique I	1	DANC 225 Experiential Anatomy	3
DANC 167 Dance Improvisation	3	DANC 245 Choreography I	3
DANC 180 Introduction to Dance Studies	3	DANC 330 Postcolonial Approaches	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	14	Total Semester Credit Hours	14
DANC 198A, 198B Topics in Movement Practice	1	DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1
DANC 215A, 215B, 215C Ballet II	1	DANC 220A, 220B West African II	1
DANC 220A, 220B West African II	1	DANC 285A, 285B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique II	1
DANC 310A, 310B, 310C Intermediate Contemporary Modern, DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern, or DANC 385A, 385B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique III	2	DANC 310A, 310B, 310C Intermediate Contemporary Modern, DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern, or DANC 385A, 385B Hip-Hop and Street Dance Technique III	2
DANC 340 Teaching Dance I	3	DANC 346 Choreography II	3
DANC 365 Screen Dance and Sound Design	3	DANC 370 Professionalism: Navigating and Transforming the Field	3
DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3	DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3
5th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	14	Total Semester Credit Hours	14
DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern Technique	2	DANC 425A, 425B Advanced Contemporary Modern Technique	2
DANC 355 Concert Production	3	BFA Elective: DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 230	3
BFA Elective: DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 230	3	DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3
BFA Elective: DANC 341 or 360 or 480 or COLL 230	3	DANC 470 Capstone	3
DANC 399A, 399B Advanced Topics	3	Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3

Notes on the Transfer Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan assumes a student is starting at Columbia with a **minimum of 60 credits in transfer** and the completion of the Essential LAS Core Requirements. **This degree plan is a suggested sequence only.** Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to develop their unique individual plans.

Columbia Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, Social Sciences and Columbia Experience classes. Students should review their individual Degree Audits for their specific requirements.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed 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.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

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 semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-18 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.