



**B.A. Degree  
Dance Major  
2022/2023 Catalog**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Id No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Previous Degree: \_\_\_\_\_ A.A. \_\_\_\_\_ A.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Bachelor's  
 Where/term degree earned \_\_\_\_\_

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Women's College students must complete the GOLD Program Curriculum. The number of courses required will be based on the number of hours of transfer credit accepted.

If the student transfers fewer than 24 post-secondary school hours to Brenau, one of the following courses is required to graduate:  
 AS 100W 1<sup>ST</sup> Year Experience/or AS 110 1<sup>st</sup> Year Seminar \_\_\_\_\_

**Liberal Education:**

The Liberal Education program is divided into four portals. Please see the Brenau University catalog or the Brenau University web site for a list of applicable courses for each requirement. **If the student earned a previous degree (must be A.A., A.S., or Bachelor's Degree) from a regionally accredited institution, the Liberal Education section of the student's program is considered complete.**

<b>World Understanding</b>	<b>Term</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Course Number &amp; Title</b>
Historical Perspective (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Global Awareness (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Civic Engagement (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
<b>Scientific &amp; Analytic Curiosity</b>			
Mathematics (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Science (7-8 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Reasoning (3-4 hrs)	_____	_____	Satisfied by additional program requirement.
<b>Artistic &amp; Creative Imagination</b>			
Fine Arts (3 hrs)	Satisfied by major course.		
Literature (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Lifetime Fitness (3 hrs)	_____	_____	HL _____ Title: _____
Remaining fitness requirements satisfied by major [technique] courses.			
<b>Communication &amp; Language Fluency</b>			
Writing (6 hrs)	_____	_____	EH 101 Written Communication EH 102 Reading & Research Writing
Speaking (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Modern Language (0-3 hrs)	_____	_____	FH/or SH 102/ (or higher)
Must complete language through the high beginner level (102 or equivalent. If 101 & 102 are taken, 101 can be applied toward the Communication requirement or used as a general elective. May be placed into 102 via WebCape or exempted by competency exam (BYU FLAT test or CLEP).			
Communication (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____

Comments:  
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Program Plan Revised by: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_ Needs English placement exam.

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### Additional Program Requirements: (6 hours)

\_\_\_\_\_ Arts Appreciation non-dance <sup>LE</sup> (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ PH 240 Philosophy of Art (3) <sup>LE</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of C or better required for all major classes.

### Dance Major Requirements: (61 hours, including technique)

#### Technique: <sup>LE</sup>

Student must take a minimum total of 20 hours Dance Technique at 200 level or above. Students must be enrolled in at least one technique class per semester. Prior to graduation students must attain and enroll in a 300 level, or higher, technique class in at least one genre of: ballet, modern, or jazz dance. Students must complete a minimum of 6 semester hours each of ballet, modern, and jazz dance + DA 118 & DA 160 (1 hour each)

Use the lines below to track **each hour** of dance completed toward the technique requirement. A grade of "C" or better is required for each technique course.

\_\_\_\_\_ Ballet  
\_\_\_\_\_ Modern  
\_\_\_\_\_ Jazz  
\_\_\_\_\_ DA 118 (World Dance) \_\_\_\_\_ DA 160 (Ballroom/Social)

- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 100 Dance Appreciation <sup>LE</sup> (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 103 Improvisation (1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 116 Dance Production (2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 123 MindBody Yoga <sup>LE</sup> (1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 199 Dance: Prep. & Prof. (1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 233 Flexibility and Conditioning (1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 220 Dance Composition I (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 225 Performance Laboratory (1)  
*(or 1 hour of DA 226 Repertory)*
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 227 Introduction to Dance/Movement Therapy (3)  
*or DA 427 Appl of Dance/Movement Therapy*
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 299 Sophomore Practicum (1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ BY 105 Human Biology w/lab (4)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 303 Dance History I (3)  
*or DA 390 Special Topics in Dance*
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 304 Dance History II (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 317 World Dance Perspectives (2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 318 Contact Improvisation (2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 319 Dance Composition II (2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 320 Dance Pedagogy (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 399 Junior Practicum (1)
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 420 Choreography & Production (3)  
*or DA 490 Senior Thesis*
- \_\_\_\_\_ DA 499 Senior Seminar (1)

#### Residency requirement:

A residency requirement of 30 semester hours is required to graduate from Brenau University. This includes a major residency of 21 semester hours.

*Note: Financial aid recipients cannot receive aid for courses repeated unnecessarily or for courses not specifically required for their degree.*

### Required Minor/Concentration: (15-33 hours)

Students must complete one of the following minor or concentrations:

Dance/Movement Therapy Minor, or Concentration in: Advanced Ballet, Dance Pedagogy, Jazz/Musical Theatre, Modern Dance, Pre-OT (Occupational Therapy) or Pre-PT (Physical Therapy).

Be aware when planning the minor that some of the minor or concentration courses may satisfy Liberal Education <sup>LE</sup> requirements.

Term	Grd	Crs# / Title

**Advanced Ballet: 15 hours**  
 DA 300 or 400 level ballet (12)  
 DA 403 Variations (1)  
 DA 404 Variations (1)  
 DA 326 Repertory (.5)  
 DA 426 Repertory (.5)

**Dance/Movement Therapy Minor: 19 hours**  
 DA 227 Int Dance/Movement Therapy (3)  
 DA 427 Appl to Dance/Movem Therapy (3)  
 EX 300 Kinesiology (4)  
 PY 101 Intro to Psychology (3)  
 PY 202 Human Growth & Dev (3)  
 PY 309 Abnormal Psych (3)

**Dance Pedagogy: 15 hours**  
 DA 201 or 205 or 314 (3)  
 DA 308 Teaching Methods Laboratory (1)  
 DA 309 Teaching Methods Laboratory (1)  
 DA 409 Teaching Practicum (2)  
 DA 410 Teaching Practicum (2)  
 ED 206 Developmental Psychology (3)  
 ED 250 Into to Multicultural Ed <sup>LE</sup> (3)

**Jazz/Musical Theatre: 15 hours**  
 TH 108 Musical Theatre Workshop (3)  
 DA 119 Tap (1)  
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 DA 314 Jazz Dance Technique (3)  
 DA 315 Jazz Dance Technique (3)  
 DA 390 Special Topics in Dance (Mus Th Choreo) (3)  
 TH 105 Physical Cond for Performing Artists (1)

**Modern Dance: 15 hours**  
 DA 305 or 405 level (12)  
 DA 318 Contact Improvisation (2)  
 DA 103 Improvisation (1)

MINORS – Students are highly encouraged to declare a minor

The minor the student chooses must be followed as stated in the catalog. When required by the catalog, the minor department must approve the minor. Several minors suggested by the dance department are: Entertainment Management, Psychology and Small Business Management.

<sup>LE</sup> –Liberal Education course. All <sup>LE</sup> courses are noted on the plan whether satisfying a <sup>LE</sup> requirement or not.

**Electives:** Electives are not listed on the program plan by the Admissions Office, however all courses are posted to the student's transcript. Electives needed for graduation can be calculated simply by:

Adding  
 The total number of hours on the student's transcript  
 (available in CampusWEB)  
 - hours earned for courses taken at the developmental level  
 + courses currently registered for  
 + courses still outstanding.

A minimum of 120 semester hours is required to graduate from Brenau University. After completing liberal education and major requirements, if the total number of hours on the student's transcript is not at 120, then the student must take enough general elective hours to reach a cumulative total of 120 hours. If a course is repeated, it is the student's responsibility to contact the Registrar's Office to adjust the earned hours on their transcript so that they are not short hours at graduation. Due to placement, a student may graduate with more than 120 semester hours.

Students must earn a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 and a major grade point average of 2.50.

**Note: This program plan is not an official document. It is a tool to assist the student and adviser in schedule planning.**

This program plan was prepared by the Registrar's Office.