

Transfer Guide between Maricopa Community Colleges and Grand Canyon University



Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Dance – Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (*Traditional Campus*)

Chandler-Gilbert Community College
Estrella Mountain Community College
GateWay Community College

Glendale Community College
Mesa Community College
Paradise Valley Community College
Phoenix College

Rio Salado College
Scottsdale Community College
South Mountain Community College

The following table outlines the requirements needed to receive an Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Dance from Maricopa Community Colleges. Within the table we have identified preferred courses from Maricopa Community Colleges that will be applicable towards Grand Canyon University's Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (*Traditional Campus*). The following will be used in evaluating official transcripts.

Maricopa Community Colleges – Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Dance	Credits	Grand Canyon University – Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (<i>Traditional Campus</i>)	GCU Applied Semester Credits
General Education Requirements: 35 credits			
ENG101 First Year Composition OR ENG107 First-Year Composition for ESL (<i>Prerequisite placement must be met</i>)	3	ENG-105: English Composition I	3
ENG102 First Year Composition OR ENG108 First-Year Composition for ESL	3	ENG-106: English Composition II	3
CRE101 College Critical Reading OR Equivalent by assessment	0-3	General Education: Effective Communication (<i>see Course Equivalency Guide</i>)	0-3
Literacy & Critical Inquiry - Select one course. See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists.	3	General Education: Effective Communication OR General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (<i>See Course Equivalency Guide</i>)	3
MAT150/151/152 College Algebra/Functions (3-5) OR MAT187 Precalculus (5) (<i>Prerequisite placement must be met</i>)	3-5	MAT-250: College Algebra and Trigonometry AND General Education: Critical Thinking	3-5
Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications – Select CS course. See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists.	3	General Education: Critical Thinking OR General Elective (<i>See Course Equivalency Guide</i>)	3
DAH201 World Dance Studies	3	DAN-315: Dance History I	3
Humanities and Fine Arts – Select HU that also meets Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C). See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists.	3	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (<i>See Course Equivalency Guide</i>)	3
Social and Behavioral Sciences – Select two SB courses from more than one discipline. See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists.	6	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (<i>See Course Equivalency Guide</i>)	6
BIO160 Introduction to Human Anatomy and Physiology OR BIO201 Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIO-155/L: Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology (Lecture & Lab) OR BIO-201/L: Human Anatomy and Physiology I (Lecture & Lab)	4
Natural Sciences – Select SQ and course with lab. See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists.	4	General Education: Critical Thinking (<i>See Course Equivalency Guides</i>)	4
Required Courses: 29 credits			
DAN150 Dance Performance I	1	DAN-130A: Dance Ensemble I-A (0.5) AND DAN-130B: Dance Ensemble I-B (0.5)	1
DAN210 Dance Production I	3	DAN-395: Dance Production	3
DAN221 Rhythmic Theory for Dance I	2	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics	2

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DAN264 Choreography I	3	DAN-385: Choreography I: Space and Time/Design and Dance	3
DAN280 Dance Practicum	2	DAN-390: Choreography II: Process	2
Level III Competency, select 9 credits			
DAN131 Ballet I OR DAN134 Ballet II	1	DAN-100: Introduction to Ballet Technique	1
DAN132 Modern Dance I OR DAN135 Modern Dance II	1	DAN-120: Introduction to Modern Dance	1
DAN133 Modern Jazz Dance I OR DAN136 Modern Jazz Dance II	1	DAN-101: Introduction to Jazz Technique	1
DAN231 Ballet III	1	DAN-250: Ballet Technique II	1
DAN232 Modern Dance III	1	DAN-270: Modern Technique II	1
DAN233 Modern Jazz Dance III	1	DAN-260: Jazz Technique II	1
DAN234 Ballet IV	1	DAN-350: Ballet Technique III	1
DAN235 Modern Dance IV	1	DAN-370: Modern Technique III	1
DAN236 Modern Jazz Dance IV	1	DAN-360: Jazz Technique III	1
Restricted Electives, select 3 credits			
DAN115/120/125/129/130/131/132/133/134/135/ 136/140/145/146/150/155/164/229/230/231/ 231AA/232/232AA/233/233AA/234/234AA/235/ 235AA/236/236AA/237/240/245/250/255/290/ 291/292/298	1-3	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics OR General Elective (see DAH & DAN Course Equivalency Guide)	1-4
DAN155 Dance Performance II	1	DAN-280: Dance Ensemble II-A (0.5) AND DAN-280: Dance Ensemble II-B (0.5)	1
Restricted Electives – Dance Theory, select 6 credits			
DAN138 Dance Seminar (1) AND DAN238 Dance Seminar II (1)	2	DAN-200: Somatics for the Dancer	2
DAH210 History of Ballet and Modern Dance	3	DAN-340: Dance History II	3
DAN272 Dance Technology	2	DAN-320: Technology for Dance Educators	2
DAH100/110/190/201/250 OR DAN138/211/222/238/241/265/293/294/ 295/296/298	1	General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (see DAH & DAN Course Equivalency Guide)	1
Minimum Number of Credits Required for Associate in Arts (AA), Fine Arts - Dance at Maricopa Community Colleges			64
Total Credits Applied Towards Grand Canyon University's Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (Traditional Campus)			64

The following table outlines the remaining courses required to fulfill the Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (Traditional Campus) program requirements at Grand Canyon University.

Course #	Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (Traditional Campus)	Semester Credits
General Education: 4-8 credits		
UNV-103/303*	University Success	4
CWV-101/301	Christian Worldview	4
Program Major: 48		
EDU-213	Educational Psychology	4
POS-301	Arizona and Federal Government	2
DAN-355	Dance Kinesiology and Injury Prevention	4
ESL-223N	SEI English Language Teaching: Foundations & Methodologies	3
DAN-210	Improvisation for Dance	1

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DAN-380A	Dance Ensemble III-A	0.5
DAN-380B	Dance Ensemble III-B	0.5
DAN-335	Foundations of Dance and Culture for Diverse Learners	4
ARE-337	Integrated Arts Methods and Assessment in the Elementary School	4
DAN-470	Choreography III: Performance	2
DAN-450	Dance Pedagogy	2
DAN-300	Alignment and Pilates for Dance	2
DAN-398	Dance Methods and Assessment in the Secondary School	3
DAN-480	Dance Ensemble IV	1
ESL-433N	Advanced Methodologies of Structured English Immersion	3
ARE-480	Student Teaching: Arts Education	12
	Elective credits if needed to reach 120 credit minimum for Bachelor's degree	0-4
Total Credits Completed at Grand Canyon University		56

Transfer Credits from the Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Dance – Maricopa Community Colleges	64 semester credits
Remaining Credits Required at Grand Canyon University	56 semester credits
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete Bachelor of Arts in Dance Education (IP-TL) (Traditional Campus) at Grand Canyon University	120 credits

*Traditional campus students who have transferred in a minimum of 24 college level credits and have a 3.0 GPA or higher can waive the University Foundations course, UNV-303. For additional graduation requirements, please see the [University Policy Handbook](#).

To obtain a baccalaureate degree at Grand Canyon University (GCU), a student must earn a minimum of 36 semester credits in upper division (300 or above) courses.

A minimum of 120 credits are required for completion of this program of study. If taking one course at a time, this program will take on average 48 months at GCU. Students with transfer credit that applies to this program will shorten the time to completion from that stated on this transfer guide. Please contact your Academic Advisor for more information.

All Grand Canyon University programs follow a Program of Study, which can be changed by the University at any time. All Programs of Study are subject to the terms, conditions, and policies outlined in the University's enrollment application and the [University Policy Handbook](#).

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