

Academy of Performing Arts

Career Cluster: Arts, A/V Technology & Communications

Program Strand: Dance Performance

Students who choose a career in Dance Performance learn to express ideas and emotions through dance forms such as ballet, modern, jazz, ethnic, and folk dance.

Secondary Career Academy Development Timetable Academy classes are listed in bold type.

Pre-Academy Grades 6 – 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
6 th grade—Middle Moves 7 th grade—Career Preparation Requirement 8 th grade—Transition Tools M/J Dance 1, 2, and 3	English I	English II	English III	English IV
	Algebra or higher	Geometry or higher	Algebra II or higher	Pre-calculus or Other Mathematics Course
	Earth & Space Science or Biology	Biology or Chemistry	Chemistry or Physics or Physical Science	Science Elective or Other Elective
	World History	Elective	American History	American Government / Economics
	9 th Grade Transition	Foreign Language or Other Elective	Foreign Language or Other Elective	Foreign Language or Other Elective
	Dance Technique I 030031001	Ballet I 030034001	Dance Choreography / Performance I 030038001	Dance Choreography / Performance II 030039001
	Elective	Dance Therapy II 030032001	Dance History / Appreciation I 030045001 and Dance History / Appreciation II 030046001	Dance Repertory I 030040001
Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective	

Suggested Electives:

- Students may in their Junior or Senior year opt to participate in the Career Experience Opportunity (CEO) internship program using the following course numbers: Workplace Essentials – 83003101A (Honors .5) and CEO internship – 0500330CE (Honors .5).
- Students may complete more than one program within the Academy of Performing Arts: Dance providing courses are offered at the school site.
- In addition, students can choose to enroll in Ballet I, Ballet II, Dance Technique III, Dance Repertory I and II, Dance Technique IV, Dance Kinesiology I and II classes to enhance their marketability.

To find a Miami-Dade County Public High School with this Program Strand, please link to http://ssr.dadeschools.net/acad_tally_schls.pdf

Internship Opportunities	Student Organizations / Clubs	Earn Upon Completion
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internship • Cooperative Education • Job Shadowing • School-Based Enterprise • Service Learning • Dual Enrollment • Portal to CEO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local School Photography/Videography Club • School Yearbook • Local School Drama Club • National Honors Society for Dance Arts (NHSDA) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For more information on the Florida Department of Education Bright Futures Scholarship Programs: Florida Academic Scholars Award (FAS), Florida Medallion Scholars Award (FMS), and Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars Award (GSV) please contact a guidance counselor or visit: http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/factsheets/BF.htm. • For more information about TECH PREP Articulation Agreements with local colleges, please contact your guidance counselor. • NHSDA rewards at graduation an Honor Cord.

POSTSECONDARY OPTIONS

Community College (A.A./A.S.) or Proprietary Programs	Four-Year College and University Programs	Other
Miami Dade College Broward Community College Sante Fe Community College Indian River Community College Hillsborough Community College Daytona Beach Community College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical Studies • Choreographic Studies • Performance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.F.A. in Dance Performance • B.A. in Dance - Pedagogy Concentration • B.S. in Dance - Arts Administration • B.A. in Liberal Arts - Minor Dance
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On the job training • Apprenticeship • Dance Company's School • Florida International University • University of Florida • Florida State University • Jacksonville University

CAREER OPTIONS

Entry Level	After Post-Secondary Education
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dancer in Community Theater • Dance Teacher Assistant • Dancer in College Production • Dance Research Assistant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dance Anthropologist • Dance Writer • Independent Modern Dance Artist • Choreographer • Dancer in a National Company • Investigator of technologies for dance (video, film or other media) • Teacher • Owner of private dance studio • Dance Company Artistic Director