

DANCE

LONG BEACH CITY COLLEGE

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2009-2010

Associate in Arts

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students learn an appreciation of dance as an art form as well as instruction in dance technique, choreography, and aesthetics. Students are also provided partial lower division preparation for transfer to a baccalaureate degree in this field.

This Associate Degree will prepare students for careers in body therapies, dance, and teaching or dance studio operation.

DEPARTMENTAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

None. For more departmental information call (562) 938-4563 or 938-4383.



Students pursuing an Associate Degree for this field of concentration need to select from specific courses in general education disciplines. For a complete listing of courses or disciplines, refer to the Associate Degree information section of this guide OR view the guide online at <http://osca.lbcc.edu>.



REQUIRED COURSES

UNITS

In	Completed
Progress	Grade

Semester 1

DANCE 1	Dance Forms Through the Ages (F, SP, S)	3		
DANCE 10AB	Fundamental of Ballet (1st semester) (F, SP, S)	1		
DANCE 14AB	Beginning Modern Dance (1st semester) (F, SP)	1		
DANCE 20AB	Beginning Jazz Dance (1st semester) (F, SP, S)	1		

Subtotal Units (for Semester 1)

6

Semester 2

DANCE 10AB	Fundamental of Ballet (2nd semester) (F, SP, S)	1		
DANCE 12AD	Conditioning for Dance-Pilates Method (1st semester)	1		
DANCE 14AB	Beginning Modern Dance (2nd semester) (F, SP)	1		
DANCE 20AB	Beginning Dance-Jazz (2nd semester) (F, SP, S)	1		
* TART 1	Acting 1-Introduction to Acting (F, SP, S)	3		
OR				
FILM 1	Intro to Film (F, SP, S)	3		

Select ONE of the following courses:

DANCE 3AD	Musical Theatre Dance (F, SP)	1		
DANCE 5AB	Beginning Tap (F, SP)	1		
DANCE 8AD	Stretch and Relaxation (F, SP)	1		
DANCE 33AD	Dance Choreography Workshop (F, SP)	1		

Subtotal Units (for Semester 2)

8

Semester 3

† DANCE 11AB	Intermediate Ballet (1st semester) (F, SP, S)	1		
DANCE 17AB	Inter. Modern Dance (1st semester) (F, SP)	1		
† DANCE 21AB	Intermediate Dance-Jazz (1st semester) (F, SP, S)	1		
† DANCE 31AB	Choreography I (1st semester) (F)	1		
or				
† DANCE 41/1	Dance Performance (1st semester) (F, SP)	.5		
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†	DANCE 41/2	Dance Performance (1st semester) (F, SP)	.1		
	or				
†	DANCE 41/3	Dance Performance (1st semester) (F, SP)	1.5		
	or				
†	DANCE 41AD	Dance Performance (1st semester) (F, SP)	2		

Select ONE of the following courses:

TART 42AD	Stage Lighting (F, SP)	2		
TART 43	Costume Crafts (F, SP)	2		
TART 55	Stage Makeup (F, SP)	2		

Subtotal Units (for Semester 3)		6.5-8		
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Semester 4

			In Progress	Completed Grade
†	DANCE 11AB	Intermediate Ballet (2nd semester) (F, SP)	1	
	DANCE 17AB	Inter. Modern Dance (2nd semester) (F, SP)	1	
†	DANCE 21AB	Intermediate Jazz (2nd semester) (F, SP)	1	
†	DANCE 32AB	Choreography II (2nd semester) (SP)	1	
†	DANCE 41AD	Dance Performance (F, SP)	2	
	or			
†	DANCE 41/1	Dance Performance (2nd semester) (F, SP)	.5	
	or			
†	DANCE 41/2	Dance Performance (2nd semester) (F, SP)	.1	
	or			
†	DANCE 41/3	Dance Performance (2nd semester) (F, SP)	1.5	

Select ONE of the following courses:

†	DANCE 6AB	Intermediate Tap (F, SP)	1		
†	DANCE 13AD	Turns (F, SP)	1		
	DANCE 18AD	Folk and Ethnic Dance (F, SP)	1		
†	DANCE 60AD	Special Projects in Dance (F, SP)	1		

Subtotal Units (for Semester 4)		5.5-7		
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TOTAL UNITS		26-29		
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†	This course has a prerequisite; prerequisite courses must be completed with at least a "C" or "P" grade (see catalog or schedule of classes).
*	This course is an exception to the "double-counting" rule; it may be double-counted.
(SP = Spring) (S = Summer) (F = Fall) (INF = Infrequently) =	Represents general frequency of course offering

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

For ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE:

The Associate Degree is a two-year college degree awarded by Long Beach City College which includes general education courses and a major. Complete the required units listed above with a minimum grade of "C" in each. In addition, complete the A.A. degree requirements specified in the Catalog. The requirements for general education/proficiency and the field of concentration need to be from the same catalog year. This catalog year may be any year between the year of initial enrollment to the present, provided continuous enrollment is maintained throughout (see the catalog for definition of "continuous enrollment"). Fifty per cent (50%) or more of the unit requirements for this field of concentration must be completed in residence (credit earned by exam, where applicable, may be included).

In general, "double-counting" is not allowed. That is, one course may not be used to fulfill both a field of concentration requirement and to fulfill a general education requirement.

 **REQUIRED** for the **Natural Sciences** requirement; any Biological Science listed for the Associate Degree general education (ANAT 41 recommended).

 **RECOMMENDED** for **Communication & Analytical Thinking** requirement:
†* ENGL 1 and † ENGL 3

NOTE: To receive a degree you must submit completed application forms in the Admissions and Records Office during your final semester of course work.

Students interested in transferring to a university to continue their study in this field of concentration or other majors are strongly advised to consult an LBCC academic counselor and refer to the ASSIST website (www.assist.org) for major preparation information. Counselors can clarify the different major and admissions requirements at a university. Students may visit the Student Success/Transfer Services Center to access further educational resources. If you need to set up an appointment to see a counselor or schedule the SOAR Test, call LAC (562)938-4561 or PCC (562)938-3920.