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Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Min. Grade required	Included in Major GPA	Important Notes

Semester One: [14-15 Credit Hours]				
UCO 1200	3			
DAN 2405	2		√	
DAN 2107	0-1		√	
R C 1000	3			
GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience	3			
GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience	3			
Semester Two: [14-15 Credit Hours]				
Dance or Somatic Technique Class	2		√	See Program of Study for list of courses
THR 2214	3		√	Offered Spring Only
DAN 2107 (If not taken in the Fall)	0-1		√	
Foreign Language 1010 or CSD 3368	3			If test out of this level, take appropriate level (1030 may be option for some languages)
GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience	3			
GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience	3			
Semester Three : [15-18 Credit Hours]				
Dance or Somatic Technique Class	2		√	
R C 2001	3			
DAN 3420 and/or DAN 3450	3-6		√	Dance 3420 Prerequisite: DAN 1400 or higher or permission of instructor Dance 3450 Prerequisite: DAN 1400 or permission of Instructor
GEN ED: Quantitative Literacy	4			
Minor Course	3			
*Eligible to declare major; may apply for Dance Honors				
Semester Four: [18 Credit Hours]				
Dance or Somatic Technique Class	2		√	
Foreign Language 1020 or CSD 3370	3			If test out of this level, take appropriate level or Free Elective if language is complete
DAN 3450 or DAN 3420	3		√	
GEN ED: Science Inquiry	4			
Minor Course or THR 2214 (√)	3		√	THR 2214 If not already taken
Free Electives	3			

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Semester Five: [14-16 Credit Hours]

Dance or Somatic Technique Class	2		√	
Foreign Language 1040 or CSD 3372	3			If test out of this level, take appropriate level or Free Elective if language is complete (FL 1060 may be an option for some lang)
DAN 3430 or DAN 3445	3		√	May also be used in GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience
DAN 4420 (If not already taken)	0-2		√	Prerequisite: DAN 3420. *May be repeated for up to 3 credits
GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience	3			
Minor Course	3			

*Must declare major by Junior year

Semester Six: [18 Credit Hours]

Dance or Somatic Technique Class	2		√	
Foreign Language 1050 or CSD 3374	3			Also may count GEN ED: in Liberal Studies Experience. If language is complete, take Free Elective
DAN 3435 or DAN 3445	3		√	May also be used in GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience
Minor Course or DAN 3430 (√) or DAN 4420 (√) (If not already taken)	3		√	
GEN ED: Science Inquiry	4			
T&D Elective (√)/Free Elective	3		√	

Semester Seven: [12 - 13 Credit Hours]

T&D Elective	3		√	
DAN 4830	3	C	√	Offered Fall only; WID
DAN 4460	3		√	Gen Ed: Wellness Literacy; Prerequisite: Senior Standing or permission of instructor
DAN 2105 or DAN 2106 (If not already taken)	0-1		√	
Minor Course	3			

Semester Eight: [15-18 Credit Hours]

T&D Elective	3		√	
DAN 4840	3		√	Spring only (Capstone)
T&D Elective(s)	3		√	To total a minimum of 45 sh in the major
Minor Course	3			

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Free Elective	3			
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General Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Gen Ed. Hours	Writing	Minimum Major GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
120	44	R C 1000 and R C 2001	2.5	2.0

General Education Program Model - 44 Semester Hours Total

Program Categories	Hours	Important Notes – <i>Be sure to check for Gen Ed courses required in your major</i>
First Year Seminar	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Wellness Literacy	2	
Quantitative Literacy	4	
First Year Writing	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Sophomore Writing	3	
Integrative Learning Experience	9	Complete nine hours from a single theme. Students must take courses from at least two discipline prefixes in the chosen theme.
Liberal Studies Experience	12	Must choose a minimum of three disciplines
Science Inquiry	8	

You must also meet the Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and the Social Science Designations. Those may be met within the Integrative Learning Experience and the Literary Studies Experience.

Additional Notes:

- **A Minor outside of Dance is required for the major.**
- **Foreign Language requirements:**
 - Students are required to demonstrate intermediate-level proficiency in a language other than English. Intermediate-level proficiency is demonstrated by successful completion of a 4th semester language course (FL 1050 or 1060). A higher level language course that requires one of these courses as a prerequisite may also be used to fulfill the requirement.



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- Placement exams are required for several languages. Should a student place higher than the beginning level, any lower level requirement listed on the four year guide will need to be replaced with a free elective if needed for total hours for the degree. Please consult with your advisor for more information.
- **NOTE: Appalachian's language placement test is designed for placement purposes only, and a score on this test alone is not sufficient to demonstrate intermediate-level proficiency.**
- **Residency Requirements:**
 - 30 hours must be from ASU (25% of the credit hours required for the degree).
 - 18 hours in the major must be from ASU.
 - 9 hours in the minor must be from ASU. (See the relevant department for the total number of hours required for the minor)