



This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designed as critical (!) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Critical	Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Type	Term Taken
Semester One [15 Credits]							
!	DAN 17050 Introduction to Dance	1			■		
!	DAN 27070 Jazz Styles I	2			■		
!	Ballet Technique ¹	2			■		
!	Modern Dance Technique ²	3			■		
	US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience ³	1					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Two [15 Credits]							
!	DAN 17053 Principles of Dance Mechanics I	2			■		
!	DAN 27170 Jazz Styles II	2			■		
!	Ballet Technique ¹	2			■		
!	Modern Dance Technique ²	3			■		
	THEA 11303 The Art of Acting	3			■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Three [17 Credits]							
!	DAN 27074 Dance Composition I	3			■		
!	Ballet Technique ¹	2			■		
!	Modern Dance Technique ²	3			■		
	ATTR 25057 Human Anatomy and Physiology I	3			■	KBS	
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Four [16 Credits]							
!	DAN 27174 Dance Composition II	2			■		
!	MUS 11110 Music Fundamentals	3			■		
!	Ballet Technique ¹	2			■		
!	Modern Dance Technique ²	3			■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Five [17 Credits]							
!	DAN 37053 Principles of Dance Mechanics II	2	■		■		
!	DAN 37070 Dance Composition III	2	■		■		
!	DAN 47070 Jazz Styles III	2	■		■		
!	Ballet Technique ¹	2			■		
!	Modern Dance Technique ²	3			■		
	DAN 37192 Dance Practicum	1	■		■	ELR	
	Dance or Theatre Elective	2			■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Six [16 Credits]							
Requirement present choreography in Student Dance Festival							
!	DAN 37071 Movement Notation	2	■		■		
!	DAN 47170 Jazz Styles IV	2	■		■		
!	Ballet Technique ¹	2			■		
!	Modern Dance Technique ²	3			■		
	DAN 37192 Dance Practicum	1	■		■	ELR	
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Seven [16 Credits]							
!	DAN 3/4xxxx Dance Additional Technique ⁴	5			■		
!	DAN 37170 Dance Composition IV	1	■		■		
!	DAN 47063 Dance History I	3	■		■		
!	DAN 47156 Dance Production	3	■		■		
!	DAN 47060 Professional Aspects in Dance	2	■		■		
	Dance or Theatre Elective	2	■		■		
Semester Eight [17 Credits]							
!	DAN 3/4xxxx Dance Additional Technique ⁴	5			■		
!	DAN 47163 Dance History II ⁵	3	■	C	■	WIC	
!	DAN 47174 Senior Choreography Project	1	■		■	ELR	
	Dance or Theatre Elective	2	■		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	General Electives	3					

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Minimum Major GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
129	39	36	2.500	2.000

1. Ballet Technique (12 credit hours), enrollment based on audition

Choose from the following	
DAN 17052 Ballet I-A (2)	DAN 27172 Ballet II-B (2)
DAN 17152 Ballet I-B (2)	DAN 37067 Ballet III-A (2)
DAN 27072 Ballet II-A (2)	DAN 37167 Ballet III-B (2)

2. Modern Dance Technique (18 credit hours), enrollment based on audition

Choose from the following:	
DAN 17051 Modern Dance Technique I-A (3)	DAN 27171 Modern Dance Technique II-B (3)
DAN 17151 Modern Dance Technique I-B (3)	DAN 37068 Modern Dance Technique III-A (3)
DAN 27071 Modern Dance Technique II-A (3)	DAN 37168 Modern Dance Technique III-B (3)

3. US 10097 is not required of transfer students with 25 credits or students age 21+ at time of admission.

4. Minimum eight semesters of modern dance, eight semesters of ballet and successful completion of the III-B level in each are required for graduation as a dance performance major. Promotion to the next level is at the discretion of the dance faculty. Students must be enrolled in daily dance technique classes each semester until graduation.

5. A minimum C (2.0) grade must be earned to fulfill the writing-intensive requirement.

Special Major Notes:

Students who pass 15 credits of non-remedial academic coursework each fall and spring semester and the 1-credit First Year Experience course will accumulate 120 credits in four years. This major requires 130 credits for graduation. Students can stay on track for graduation by:

- Declaring their major as freshmen and completing all courses in sequence (bear in mind that switching majors may cause a delay in graduation);
- Prioritizing required courses above electives;
- Meeting regularly with their academic advisors to stay on track;
- Passing each required course the first time attempted and maintaining the minimal GPA for the major;
- Successfully completing more than 15 credit hours of relevant coursework (field-based work, internship) during academic semesters; and/or
- Completing relevant coursework (field-based work, internship) during summer sessions.

University Requirements Summary

Type	Categories	Course(s) Satisfying Category	Remaining Requirements
KCM	Kent Core I. Composition Enrollment based on placement test	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	6
KMC	Kent Core II. Mathematics and Critical Reasoning Enrollment based on placement test	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KHU	Kent Core III. Humanities Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KFA	Kent Core IV. Fine Arts Minimum one course from the fine arts; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KFH	Kent Core V. Humanities or Fine Arts One additional course from either the humanities or fine arts category, may fulfill diversity requirement.	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KSS	Kent Core VI. Social Sciences Must be selected from two curricular areas; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	6
KBS	Kent Core VII. Basic Sciences Must include one laboratory	ATTR 25057	3
KAD	Kent Core VIII. Additional May fulfill diversity requirement	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	6
DD	Domestic Diversity Course Requirement Either domestic or global diversity must be from Kent Core	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity	one course
DG	Global Diversity Course Requirement Either domestic or global diversity must be from Kent Core	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity	one course
ELR	Experiential Learning Requirement Either course or non-course experience approved by the appropriate faculty member	DAN 37192, DAN 47174	fulfilled
WIC	Writing-Intensive Course Requirement Minimum C (2.000) grade	DAN 47163	fulfilled