



Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate in Science (AS) to BFA Dance

Due to the individual complexities of this program, interested transfer students should contact the ECU School of Theatre and Dance directly and as early as possible in their studies. For more information, students should visit the School of Theatre and Dance website (<https://theatredance.ecu.edu/dance-auditions>) or contact Jayme Host at hostj17@ecu.edu.

Admission to the Dance Education and Dance Performance & Choreography programs is competitive and requires an application to the program and an in-person audition. In order to declare a major in dance, a student must be admitted through an entrance audition in the year prior to attending ECU and must pass an examination by a dance faculty jury in the spring of the first and second year to maintain enrollment in the program. Dance faculty will determine placement in technique levels. Dance majors must attain a minimum grade of C- (1.7) in all required DNCE courses, and all students must earn a C (2.0) or better in technique classes to advance to the next level.

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance requires a minimum of 120 semester hours. ECU requires a minimum 2.0 overall GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA for graduation. Two concentrations are available in the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance: Dance Education and Dance Performance & Choreography.