



Semester 1	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 2	Credits	Success Marker
THEA 201 Aesthetics of Theatre	3	*MUHL course options toward Creativity and Critical Analysis Knowledge Domain credit	THEA 210 Intro to Theatre & Dance Production	2	
MUHL Course*	3		THEA 210A Intro to Theatre & Dance Production Lab	2	
Dance Technique	3-4		Dance Technique	3-4	
Dance Electives	1-2		Dance Elective	1-2	
THEA 238 Stage Makeup	1		TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1	
TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1		Foundational Studies	3	
Foundational Studies	3		Foundational Studies	3	
Total hours	15-17		Total hours	15-17	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		
Semester 3	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 4	Credits	Success Marker
Dance Technique	3-4	*ARTH course options toward Creativity and Critical Analysis Knowledge Domain credit	THEA 110 Fund of Acting for Non-Majors	3	*KNPE 100 counts toward Nature and Technology Knowledge Domain credit
Dance Electives	1-2		Dance Technique	3-4	
ARTH Course*	3		Dance Electives	1-2	
TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1		TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1	
Foundational Studies	3		TH-D 286 Dance Improv	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Knowledge Domain	3	
THEA 295 Performance Practicum I	1				
Total hours	15-17		Total hours	14-16	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		
Semester 5	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 6	Credits	Success Marker
TH-D 353* Analysis of Dance Movement	3	*These courses are offered in alternating years	TH-D 475* History of Dance	3	*These courses are offered in alternating years
Dance Technique	3-4		Dance Technique	3-4	
Dance Elective	2-3		Dance Elective	2-3	
TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1		Human Diversity	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		University Elective	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1	
Total hours	15-17		Total hours	15-17	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		
Semester 7	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 8	Credits	Success Marker
TH-D 420* Business of Dance	3	*These courses are offered in alternating years • Apply for graduation (2/1 for May, 6/15 for August, or 9/1 for December)	TH-D 474* Contemporary Topics in Dance	3	*These courses are offered in alternating years • It is recommended that this semester be kept light so students have more
Dance Technique	4		Dance Technique	4	
Dance Elective	3-5		Dance Elective	3-4	
TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1		TH-D 377 Dance Performance	1	
THEA 366 House Management	1		University Elective	3	
University Elective	3				
Total hours	15-16		Total hours	14-15	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments: Dance Performance Majors must complete 120 credit hours to be eligible for graduation.		

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student. Placement exam scores in math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU.