



# Wayne County Community College District

## COURSE SYLLABUS

### DAN 101 Modern Dance I

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**CREDIT HOURS: 3.00**

**CONTACT HOURS: 45.00**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** Training in the technical, rhythmic, and creative elements of contemporary dance.

**PREREQUISITE:** None

**EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:**

*Upon successful completion of this course, the student will:*

1. Discuss the importance of the genre of dance.
2. Discuss how dance is a creative form of aesthetic experiences and social significance.
3. Demonstrate how dance reflects sensual, emotional, and intellectual forms of human endeavor.
4. Demonstrate an ability to critically think and write about the inherent values dance represents.
5. Demonstrate an enhanced appreciation of the art of dance.

**ASSESSMENT METHODS:**

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

**GRADING SCALE:**

90%-100% = A  
80%-89.9% = B  
70%-79.9% = C  
60%-69.9% = D  
<60% = E