**COLLIN COLLEGE**

**COURSE SYLLABUS**

Course Information

**Course Number:** DANC 1245

**Course Title:** Beginning Modern Dance

**Course Description:** Instruction in the fundamental techniques and concepts associated with the concert form of modern dance. Lab required.

NOTE: May be repeated one time for additional credit.

**Course Credit Hours: 2**

Lecture Hours: 2

Lab Hours: 1

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

* **State-mandated Outcomes**: Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Recognize and exhibit dance class etiquette such as spatial awareness, active listening, personal responsibility, commitment to the practice, and respect for the larger community of dance.
2. Demonstrate vocabulary related to modern dance both kinesthetically and verbally.
3. Evaluate improvement in biomechanics related to alignment, traveling, coordination, flexibility, and strength/stamina in modern dance disciplines.
4. Exhibit increased facility in movement phrasing, rhythmic accuracy, and execution of learned movement (picking up material quickly).
5. Articulate an understanding of the legacy of modern dance as relevant to contemporary practices.

**Withdrawal Policy:** See the current *Collin Registration Guide* for last day to withdraw.

**Collin College Academic Policies:** See the current *Collin Student Handbook*

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