

DANCE

COMPONENT	OBJECTIVES	COMPETENCY
I Movement Skills and Underlying Principles	 Executes warm-up exercises specific to the dance styles studied (ballet, modern, jazz, theater, dance or tap). Understands the terminology of at least two dance styles studied. Uses correct alignment in the execution of axial and locomotor movements in at least two dance styles studied (ballet, modern, jazz, theater dance or tap). (DA.A.1.4.1) Executes exercises specific to each of the goals for daily conditioning strength, coordination, flexibility, and endurance. (DA.E.1.4.1) (DA.E.1.4.2) Recognizes and understands the basic cognitive and motor skills (principles of movement, locomotor movements, axial movements, space, time, force, flow). (DA.E.2.4.3) Recognizes and understands dance terminology specific to dance styles studied (ballet, modern, jazz, theater dance, tap). Demonstrates movement patterns of at least two dance techniques studied on the floor, at center floor, and across the floor. Recognizes and demonstrates the role of concentration and artistic expression in movement and performance experiences. (DA.A.1.4.2) (DA.A.1.4.4) 	 A. The student can demonstrate the ability to use dance terminology of at least two dance styles studied by writing and executing a warm-up activity at the center floor that includes flexion, extension, rotation, abduction, and isolation. B. The student can use correct alignment and breath rhythms in the execution of warm-up exercises specific to at least two dance styles studied. (DA.A.1.4.1) C. The student can demonstrate movement patterns of at least two dance techniques studied by executing specific steps on the floor, at center, and across the floor. D. The student can demonstrate appropriate artistic expression while executing technical movement. (DA.A.1.4.2) (DA.A.1.4.4) E. The student can compare lifestyle choices, and the impact on dancers. (DA.E.1.4.1) (DA.E.1.4.2) (DA.E.2.4.3)



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II Dance Making	 Applies a knowledge of the elements of composition. (DA.A.2.4.1) (DA.A.2.4.3) Explores improvisation, problem solving, and manipulation of movement. (DA.A.1.4.3) (DA.A.2.4.2) 	A. After listening to a pre-selected piece of music repeatedly for ten minutes, the student can improvise a 48 count dance sequence that incorporates the elements affecting movement. (DA.A.2.4.1) (DA.A.2.4.2)
	 Understands various sources of literature, music, dance, visual arts, and media as inspiration for dance. (DA.E.2.4.1) (DA.E.2.4.2) Appreciates a knowledge of the basic elements of movement and uses them to create a solo composition in at least one dance style studied. Constructively critiques works of self and others. (DA.B.1.4.2) 	B. The student can demonstrate a knowledge of the elements affecting movement by creating a solo (one minute minimum) composition using personal feelings, emotions, various sources of literature, and media as inspiration. (DA.A.1.4.3) (DA.A.2.4.3) (DA.E.2.4.1) (DA.E.2.4.2)
III Building Context: Cultural, Historical and Social Inquiry	 Identifies at least two choreographers of each dance style studied and their particular contribution to the field of dance. (DA.C.1.4.3) Recognizes and understands the role of dance in the past and present society. (DA.B.1.4.3) Explores various cultural traditions relative to music and visual art to understand the aesthetics of the dance styles studied. (DA.B.1.4.1) (DA.C.1.4.4) Identifies the political and cultural influences on the history of at least two dance styles studied. (DA.C.1.4.1) (DA.C.1.4.2) Distinguishes characteristics of exemplars and pioneers from at least two dance styles studied. 	 A. The student can observe a cultural dance in an informal setting (Calle Ocho, Goombay Festival, other dance field trips) in Miami and write a narrative about the activity that includes place of activity, ethnic origin, style of dance, and distinct characteristics. (DA.B.1.4.3) (DA.C.1.4.2) (DA.C.1.4.3) (DA.C.1.4.4) B. The student can research and present orally and in written form the biography of one ethnic choreographer and his/her contributions to the field of dance. (DA.B.1.4.1) (DA.B.1.4.2) (DA.C.1.4.1)





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IV Critical and Aesthetic Inquiry 1. Views and discusses a professional dan descriptive vocabulary. 2. Observes and analyzes dance with respondent. (DA.D.1.4.2) 3. Writes reviews of dance performances in interpretation and personal evaluation. (DA.D.1.4.3) (DA.E.2.4.4) 4. Identifies and discusses distinguishing edance styles studied. 5. Formulates a personal definition of dance change to accommodate new information (DA.D.1.4.1)	the student can choreograph dance phrases that express the ideas of their writing. (DA.D.1.4.1) B. After viewing an original composition choreographed by a classmate, the student can write and discuss a one page critique on the composition including description, interpretation, and personal evaluation. C. After viewing a live or recorded professional dance performance, the student can analyze and critique the performance using specific descriptive vocabulary.