

## **Course Description**

## DAA1290 | Ballet for the Theater 1 | 1.00 - 3.00 credits

Music Theatre students will receive systematic training of the body through a progressive study of the traditional classic ballet vocabulary. Stress is on placement, flexibility and coordination.

## **Course Competencies:**

**Competency 1:** The student will combine movements into phrasing using movement vocabulary at the beginning level by:

- 1. Demonstrating an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities
- 2. Describing how natural systems function and recognize the impact of humans on the environment

**Competency 2:** The student will acquire an awareness of correct body alignment and placement combined with physical movement related to a beginning level of study by:

1. Describing how natural systems function and recognize the impact of humans on the environment

**Competency 3:** The student will integrate components of classical dance phrases through physical repetition of movement and execution of acquired skills at the beginning level by:

- 1. Demonstrating an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities
- 2. Describing how natural systems function and recognize the impact of humans on the environment
- 3. Demonstrating knowledge of diverse cultures, including global and historical perspectives

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Demonstrate an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities

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