

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN DANCE (6-12 DANCE CERTIFICATION)

Contact the Office of Educator Preparation Services
(<https://twu.edu/teacher-certification/>) (OEPS) at
copeadvising@twu.edu or (940) 898-2829 with any questions.

Web Site: <https://twu.edu/dance/undergraduate-dance-programs/>

Admissions

All applicants must meet the general undergraduate admission requirements (<http://catalog.twu.edu/archives/2020-2021/undergraduate/admission-information/>).

In addition to these general requirements, an audition for placement in dance practice classes is required. The placement audition for new students is held the week before classes begin in the fall semester. Students entering in the spring should schedule a placement audition with a dance faculty advisor or the Department Chair. For additional information about auditions please visit the Department of Dance Placement Assessment Audition website.

Teacher Certification

In addition to the general undergraduate admissions requirements (<http://catalog.twu.edu/archives/2020-2021/undergraduate/admission-information/>), to obtain acceptance into the undergraduate Educator Preparation Program (<https://twu.edu/teacher-certification/>) (and prior to taking EDUC 3003, EDUC 3482, EDUC 4113, EDUC 4243, and Clinical Student Teaching) students must have:

- A cumulative GPA of 2.75 (includes **all** courses, whether posted to TWU transcript or used on a degree plan. Excludes developmental and repeated courses);
- Completed EDUC 2003 with a C or better;
- Demonstrated basic skills in reading, written communication, and mathematics by meeting the requirements of the Texas Success Initiative;
- Completed the Digital Literacy Pre-assessment;
- Successfully completed a pre-admission departmental interview with an interview panel;
- A minimum of 12 to 15 semester credit hours in the subject-specific content area for the certification sought;
- Completed department application for admission to the Educator Preparation Program;
- Completed a Commitment Contract acknowledging awareness and understanding of the Dispositions Policy and Educators' Code of Ethics;
- Submitted a non-refundable Texas Education Agency Fee; and
- Acknowledged and accepted admission to the Educator Preparation Program.

Please note:

- All accepted students must maintain the admission requirements to remain in the TWU Education Preparation Program.
- Admission requirements are determined by Texas Education Agency policies and are subject to change without notice.
- Students seeking Bilingual certification must meet minimum proficiency in Spanish.
- Students seeking Deaf/Hard of Hearing certification must meet minimum proficiency in sign.