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**DANC 011: Jazz Dance: Beginning Level 1**

This first of four courses in jazz dance introduces the historical role of jazz dance and emphasizes the learning of basic jazz dance technique. Through basic movement sequences, analysis and discussion of performances, this course concentrates on technique, style, improvisation, and composition. The primary objective of this class is to build competence in basic jazz dance technique and terminology and to develop an appreciation of the historical role of jazz dance in America, including musical theater. NOTE: This course involves significant physical activity.

Letter Grade, Pass/No Pass

Units: 1

Lecture Hours: 0, Lab Hours: 48 - 54

Prerequisites: None

Co-Requisites: None

Advisory: None

Transferable to both UC and CSU

WVC GE: Area A-8: Kinesiology

CSU GE: Area E - Lifelong Learning and Self Development