

Canyon Crest Academy: Dance Choreography & Performance

Level of Difficulty	Estimated Homework	Prerequisites
<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Difficult <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Very Difficult	0-30 minutes	<u>District</u> None <u>Department</u> Audition only. See Envision website for details.

Course Description

Through this course, students explore, understand, create, evaluate, and criticize dance as an art form. In historical and cultural contexts, students develop skills that include kinesthetic awareness, theories of choreography, dance technique, and multisensory integration. Using the dance elements of time, space, and energy, they create and communicate meaning through dance improvisation, composition, and performance. Students analyze, compare and contrast their work, evaluate their work, and critique their development as an artist. There will be master classes in improvisation, somatics, modern, ballet, jazz, hip hop, as well as rehearsal for Senior Thesis projects. Students may also be presented the opportunity to teach in an outreach setting.

Grading

Letter grade and evaluation

50% Participation

30% Assessments

20% Written/Journal/Business

Supplemental Information

10 credits

Meets high school graduation requirement for fine/performing art or physical education or elective

Meets UC/CSU subject area "f" requirement

Repeatable for up to 80 credits