



# SCHOOL OF DANCE

## DIPLOMA IN BHARATANATYAM

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## DIPLOMA PROGRAM – BHARATANATYAM

The Diploma program in Bharatanatyam will focus on both the practical and the theoretical aspects of the dance form.

The students will have a deep understanding of origin, history and the modern day practice of this Classical Dance form

Duration 2 semesters	Required Units 15 Credit Units	Required Courses: Total of 5 courses ( 4 core mandatory and 1 elective )
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### ADMISSION PREREQUISITE:

- A High School Diploma or GED is required
- Practical Dance training of at least 2 years

CORE COURSES	DBN 301	History, Origin and development of Sadir to Bharatanatyam	3 Credit Units
	DBN 302	Nayaka and Nayika – A detailed study	3 Credit Units
	DBN 303	Practicals- Few items of the margam	4 Credit Units
	DBN 304	Bhakthi movement and it's influence on Bharatanatyam	3 Credit Units
ELECTIVES	DBN 401	Folk dance forms of Tamilnadu	2 Credit Units
	DBN 402	An Overview of the Dasarupakas, Nirupanas and Bhagavatamelas	3 Credit Units

EVALUATION	A student enrolled in the Diploma Program is evaluated using the following methods/metrics:		
	❖	Written Exam at the end of each course	
	❖	Program Final Exam at the completion of all courses together:	
		• The final exam will be a combination of a written exam and a practical demonstration exam.	
	❖	Assignments:	
		• Students have to complete assignments in each course before taking the course exam	
	❖	Quizzes:	
		• Students have to complete quizzes in each course before taking the course exam	

Students will be awarded a Diploma in Bharatanatyam on the successful completion of all the required courses, with an overall combined GPA of 2.0, based on the evaluation weightages across the various methods/metrics.

**TUITION FEES: \$5,400**

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