Wisconsin Dance

Dance: Grades 6–8

CREATE—Students will generate, develop, and refine artistic work. DD 1	**m. Improvisation Improvise a movement phrase inspired by a variety of stimuli that includes a beginning, middle, and end.** D.D.CR.7.M
	m. Dance Making Compose a movement study that uses elements of dance and other stimuli (i.e. music, spoken word, objects). D.D.CR.8.M
	m. Collaboration Identify and use group collaborative strategies necessary to achieve an artistic outcome. D.D.CR.9.M
PERFORM—Students will analyze, develop, and convey meaning through the presentation of artistic work. DD 2	**m. Skill Development Demonstrate functional alignment, kinetic and body mechanic awareness for complex movement through extended phrases.** D.D.P.9.M
	m. Artistic Expression Apply the elements of dance to demonstrate expression or intent. D.D1.P.10.M
	m. Rehearsal Process Exhibit age appropriate rehearsal skills in a practice and performance while independently applying feedback. D.D.P.11.M
	m. Performance Experience Demonstrate age appropriate knowledge and interactions with choreography, expression and production elements. D.D.P.12.M
RESPOND—Students will critically interpret intent and meaning in order to evaluate artistic work. DD 3	**m. Dance Literacy Demonstrate an understanding of dance elements using proper vocabulary through verbal, physical, written, and/or digital means.** D.D.R.9.M
	m. Reflection Examine and relate ways that dances create context and meaning through examples. D.D.R.10.M
	m. Analysis Assess the various components and movement characteristics of the performance. D.D.R.11.M
	m. View Performance Demonstrate independent developmentally appropriate etiquette skills in response to a performance. D.D.R.12.M
CONNECT—Students will relate prior knowledge and personal experience wi	**m. Cultural Social Awareness Investigate dance genres, historical periods, and cultural forms.** D.D.CN.9.M
	Career Connections Research dance professions and how dance skills translate to other careers. D.D.CN.10.M

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and historical context. DD4

m. **Cross Disciplinary Demonstrate how dance and other content areas interrelate and enhance one another.** D.D.CN.11.M

m. **Life Skills Practice and monitor healthy lifestyle habits through dance.** D.D.CN.12.M