

Your Question:

1. What is the status of academic standards and teacher certification for dance in each state?
2. What are licensure assessment requirements to become a dance educator in states w.7 (ns)51.2 (.8 (act.6 (t)061.3 (eq)-

| State | Standards | | | Licensure | | | Other information |
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| | Link to standards | Aligned to NCAS | Date of most recent update | Dance certification in state | Type of certification | Certification assessment requirements – dance | |
| Alabama | Arts Education Courses of Study | Yes | 2017 | Yes | Full | edTPA Performing Arts | |
| Alaska | Alaska Arts Standards | Yes | 2016 | No | | | |
| Arizona | Arizona Academic Standards in the Arts | Yes | 2015 | Yes | Full | Arizona Educator Proficiency Assessment Subject Knowledge: Dance | |

Standards

| State | Link to standards | Standards | Approved to NYS | Date of most recent update | Dance education in state | Licensure | | Other information |
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| Florida | New Generation Standards | No | 2 | | | | | |



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| Maryland | Maryland State Fine Arts Standards | Yes | 2016 | Yes | Full | None | |
| Massachusetts | Massachusetts Arts Curriculum Framework | Yes | 2019 | Yes | Full | Massachusetts Tests for Educator Licensure: Dance | |
| Michigan | Michigan Merit Curriculum | No | 2011 | No | | | Dance endorsement area phased out in January 2018 |
| Minnesota | Minnesota K-12 Academic Standards in Arts Education | Yes | 2018 | Yes | | | |

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| New Hampshire | New Hampshire Arts Model Competencies | Yes | 2015 | Yes | Full | None | |
| New Jersey | New Jersey Student Learning Standards | Yes | 2020 | Yes | Full | edTPA Performing Arts | |
| New Mexico | Adopted Natio | | | | | | |

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| Rhode Island | Adopted National Core Arts Standards | Yes | 2017 | Yes | Full | None | |
| South Carolina | South Carolina College- and Career-Ready Standards for Visual and Performing Arts Proficiency | Yes | 2017 | Yes | Full | None | |
| South Dakota | South Dakota Fine Arts Standards | Yes | 2015 | No | | | |
| Tennessee | Tennessee Academic Standards for Fine Arts | Yes | 2018 | Yes | Full | edTPA Performing Arts | |
| Texas | Fine Arts Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills | No | 2013 | Yes | Full | Texas Examinations of Educator Standards: Dance 6-12 AND either Texas Examinations of Educator Standards: Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities or edTPA K-12 Performing Arts | Dance standards only at middle school and high school levels |

Utah

