

El Paso Community College
Syllabus
Part II
Official Course Description

SUBJECT AREA	<u>Dance</u>
COURSE RUBRIC AND NUMBER	<u>DANC 2350</u>
COURSE TITLE	<u>Ballet Folklorico IV</u>
COURSE CREDIT HOURS	<u>3 3 : 1</u> Credits Lec Lab

I. Catalog Description

Continues DANC 2349. Continues to offer participation and instruction in Mexican Folk Dance. Includes performance for special occasions on and off-campus. Instructor's Approval. **Prerequisite: DANC 2349. (3:1).**

II. Course Objectives

Upon satisfactory completion of this course the student will be able to:

- A. Develop a Ballet Folklorico movement vocabulary.
- B. Perform Ballet Folklorico dances in the appropriate style.
- C. Develop rhythmic clarity.
- D. Describe and explain the dances in a historical and social content.
- E. Participate in the creative process and performance and state what is required of a performing artist.
- F. Express an informed opinion on the various dances of Ballet Folklorico.

III. Evaluation

Course evaluation is based on subjective appraisal by the instructor of:

- A. Attendance at and cooperative participation in daily class sessions.
- B. Attendance at and cooperative participation in performances and rehearsals.
The student must attend rehearsals and performances.
- C. Application of knowledge of dance steps and principles of dance presentation.
- D. Application of principles of stage projection and desirable performance behavior in performances.
- E. The final grade will be determined:
Each student is initially assumed to have an "A".
Failure to attend any one public performance or rehearsal for a public performance will lower the letter grade by two letters. Unsatisfactory efforts in any of A, C, or D above will lower the letter grade by one letter.
- F. Since there are no written assignments or formal tests in Chorus, a policy on makeup of work is not applicable.
- G. Regular attendance is mandatory. Three unexcused absences will be grounds for being dropped from the course.

IV. Disability Statement (American with/Disabilities Act [ADA])

EPCC offers a variety of services to persons with documented sensory, mental, physical, or temporary disabling conditions to promote success in classes. If you have a disability and believe you may need services, you are encouraged to contact the Center for Students with Disabilities to discuss your needs with a counselor. All discussions and documentation are kept confidential. Offices located: VV Rm C-112 (831-2426); TM Rm 1400 (831-5808); RG Rm B-201 (831-4198); NWC Rm M-54 (831-8815); and MDP Rm A-125 (831-7024)

V. 6 Drop Rule

Students who began attending Texas public institutions of higher education for the first time during the Fall 2007 semester or later are subject to a 6-Drop limit for all undergraduate classes. Developmental, ESL, Dual Credit and Early College High School classes are exempt from this rule. All students should consult with their instructor before dropping a class. Academic assistance is available. Students are encouraged to see Counseling Services if dropping because exemptions may apply. Refer to the EPCC catalog and website for additional information.