

Dance Company Portfolio Assignment

For this assignment, you will create a dance portfolio to show off your choreographic and performance work. The purpose of this assignment is to allow you to learn how to create a professional video that can be used in applying for college, scholarships, or jobs (especially in a professional dance career). The assignment also fulfills the requirements of the Utah Core Curriculum.

The parameters of this assignment include making a video that includes a display of your performance work and choreographic work. You need to have clips of yourself dancing and teaching. You can also include pictures or video clips of performances and/or dances you choreographed. Your video needs to have an introduction and credits. The introduction can be done through words or voice. Follow the general guidelines listed below. Other than that, the project is fairly simple. Do your best to show yourself off. You can include any information you want that adjudicators would be interested in knowing. You can talk about awards you have won, your years of experience, etc. This is all about YOU! You can't go wrong if you show yourself off and follow the general guidelines.

I have created an example video that you may want to watch before you begin your project. It can be found on my blog at dancedood.blogspot.com.

Have FUN!

Part I. General Requirements	
Length. The video should be 1-3 minutes in length.	1 point
Digital Image. Includes at least one still image.	1 point
Digital Video. Includes at least one original video that you recorded.	2 points
Narration. Includes some narration (not with your recorded video)	1 point
Text. Includes on screen text. This works well for the Title scene and the credits scene.	1 point

Background Sound. Include background sound or music.	1 point
Title Scene. Includes a title scene.	1 point
Credits Scene. Includes a credits scene citing resources used.	1 point
YouTube. The video should be uploaded to youtube and embedded on your blog.	1 point
Part II. Design	
Appearance. The video should be well designed with appropriate color schemes, fonts, transitions etc.	2 points
Engaging. The video should be interesting and capture the attention of the audience	2 points