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Word	Example
dance investigation /dæns ɪnˌvestɪˈgeɪʃn/	The **dance investigation** compares two dance styles.
dance cultures /dæns ˈkʌltʃəz/	Different **dance cultures** use the body in different ways.
traditions /trəˈdɪʃnz/	Dances keep old **traditions** alive.
bharatanatyam	**Bharatanatyam** is a classical dance from South India.
mudras	**Mudras** are hand shapes with meanings in Indian dance.
hula kahiko	**Hula kahiko** is the old style of Hawaiian dance, done to chants and drums.
dance elements /dæns ˈelɪmənts/	Space, time and energy are **dance elements**.
context /ˈkɒntekst/	The **context** explains when and where a dance happens.

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