

AILEYCAMP MIAMI 2025 SUMMER EMPLOYMENT MODERN DANCE INSTRUCTOR

About AileyCamp Miami 2025:

A six-week summer day camp where middle school students are “turned on” to dance and come to respect the discipline of dance as a physical activity that requires athletic ability comparable to skills demanded by any sport. Also, campers will increase their leadership skills and enjoy a variety of social activities. AileyCamp Miami is an innovative summer program designed to use dance as a vehicle for developing self-esteem, self-discipline, creative expression and critical thinking skills. It does not serve as a training ground for professional dancers, but rather serves as a platform for self-growth. AileyCamp Miami serves Miami-Dade County Public Middle School students currently enrolled in 6th, 7th and 8th grade ages 11 to 14.

About the Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts of Miami-Dade County

The Arsht proudly serves as the cultural pulse of Miami – the heart of magical live arts experiences that spark the imagination and connect people to one another. Whether on our stages or in your neighborhood, the Arsht is alive year-round with international artists, innovative programming from [resident companies](#) and local arts partners, free community events that reflect Miami's unique identity and more than 100 culturally diverse and impactful learning experiences for 80,000 children every year.

Since opening in 2006 in the heart of downtown, the Arsht, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, has been recognized as a leader in the city's cultural transformation, a catalyst for billions of dollars in new development and a host venue for historic events. The 300+ annual Arsht events include a robust series of touring Broadway musicals direct from New York, star-studded jazz and classical music concerts curated for South Florida, a major annual Flamenco Festival and an award-winning Miami-based theater program. In addition, Family Fest, Gospel Fest Miami, Art + Mind Day, Heritage Fest and our LGBTQ+ Pride celebration are among dozens of free events that bring people from all corners of our community together. For more information, visit arshtcenter.org.

Basic Function

The Modern Dance Instructor will instruct 1-4 classes of modern daily in a classroom/studio setting for children ages 11-14 from diverse backgrounds. The Modern Dance Instructor will be an engaging instructor that can successfully introduce modern dance technique and terminology to non-dancers. Ideal candidate should have

experience working with under resourced youth populations.

Modern Dance Instructor Responsibilities:

- Teach 1-4 classes per day, Monday – Friday between the hours of 8:30am – 3:30pm
- Participate in regularly scheduled staff meetings (3:30 – 4:30pm) and individual meetings with AileyCamp Miami Director
- Attend a mandatory staff orientation on June 11 - 13, 2025
- Attend the final showcase on Saturday, July 26, 2025
- Serve as a role model to campers by demonstrating high standards of personal conduct
- Assure the safety of campers at all times in the classroom
- Assist with daily camper check in and check out
- Choreograph for the final camp presentation in consultation with the AileyCamp Miami Director, AileyCamp Miami Administrator and other faculty
- Provide AileyCamp Miami Director with a schedule of proposed class content
- Participate in breakfast duty, lunch duty, free periods and general supervision of campers when not in classes or meetings
- Participate and supervise campers as directed on field trip days
- Participate in all rehearsal, preparation and day-of final performance activities as needed to support artistic staff
- Provide AileyCamp Miami Director with a written evaluation of student's progress.
- Dress in the AileyCamp Miami staff uniform and in a neat and clean manner insuring clothing and/or costumes do not contain inappropriate references for children (alcohol, drugs, profanity, etc.)
- Voluntarily participate in the background checks required for employment including but not limited to federal and sex offender checks and finger printing
- Other duties as assigned

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree preferred
- Minimum of 3 years' previous experience, teaching middle school aged youth
- Prior experience in establishing creative environments and opportunities of creative expression for youth
- Must be able to identify with and inspire youth from a variety of cultural backgrounds and learning environments
- Must have exceptional verbal and written skills



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- Excellent interpersonal skills, with the ability to relate well to a diverse population, and work as part of a team with other creative staff members
- Demonstrate ability to take initiative, work under pressure and manage multiple tasks with completing deadlines in a self-directed, prioritized and calm manner
- Flexibility to meet changing needs and priorities as they occur
- Preferred- Bilingual in English, Spanish or a mixture of Creole and English

Suggestions for candidates and expressions of interest should be addressed to:

Email: resumes@arshtcenter.org, Modern Dance Instructor – AileyCamp Miami
search in the title line.

Note: The above job description is intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by staff assigned to this job. It is not intended to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of staff in this position. Duties, responsibilities, and skills are also subject to change based on the changing needs of the job, department, or organization. The job description does not constitute an employment agreement between the employer and employee and is subject to change by the Adrienne Arsht Center as the requirements of the job change.

The Adrienne Arsht Center is an equal opportunity employer committed to being an inclusive workplace and strongly believes in the importance of having a diverse group of individuals represented.