

## MERRILEE STUDIOS SUMMER 2026 - CAMPS & INTENSIVES

### **EVERY WEEK - June 14-July 18- Regular Classes Plus:**

Required MDC Class – (Register under Intensives) Every Tuesday morning, 9:30 am -12:30 pm. Only for those who auditioned and were accepted into MDC 2026-27. \$160.

Required MDC Mini Class – (Register under Intensives) Every Tuesday afternoon, 1:00 - 2:00 pm, Only for those who auditioned and were accepted into MDC Minis 2026-27. \$100.

### **WEEK 1 - June 14 - June 20 - Regular Classes Plus:**

Tumbling For Contemporary Intensive - Tuesday-Friday 6/16-6/19, 2:00-3:30 pm, Taught by Miss Mantha. Tumbling meets contemporary style in this four day Intensive. Thirty minutes of conditioning and an hour of strength moves with strong tumbling influence that will blend with contemporary choreography. Must have at least 1 year of Contemporary, be able to do both a good back bend, & a good cartwheel. 1 Point, \$150.

### **WEEK 2 - June 21 - June 27 - Regular Classes Plus:**

Stretch, Strengthen, Turns & Leaps Intensive – Monday-Friday 6/22-6/26, 2:00-4:00 pm. Taught by Miss Mantha. Offered to all those who have had at least one year of Level 3 through Level 5 dance or are in MDC. Work will be done on making your dancer more flexible, stronger, and better at leaps and turns. 1 Point, +1 credit against MDC demerits, \$195.

### **WEEK 3 – June 28-July 4 - Regular Classes Plus:**

Princess Camp - Monday through Thursday, 6/29-7/2, 2:30-3:30 pm, taught by Miss Sierra. For 4-6 year olds. Each day will be a different storybook princess and will include reading the story, a dance, a game and a craft. 1/2 Point, \$100.

Conditioning for Tumbling Intensive – Monday thru Thursday 6/29-7/2, 2:30-3:30 pm. Taught by Miss Stephanie and is for ages 8 and up. Is your Tumbler having trouble getting their limbering or other skills? This Intensive may be for them! They will learn conditioning that they can continue to do at home, focusing on the back, abs, and thighs. Each day will be 45 minutes of conditioning and 15 minutes of tumbling. 1/2 Point, \$80.

### **WEEK 4 - July 5-11 – Regular Classes Plus:**

Improve your Improv Intensive - Tuesday, 7/7 - 2:00-3:30 pm, Taught by Miss Mantha. Improv is an incredibly important aspect of becoming a well-rounded dancer. In this intensive, we will explore how to make your own improv more compelling and how to connect with the music. Dancers will learn tips and prompts, improve confidence, and play Improv games. Must have at least one year of contemporary, one year of Jazz and a willingness to step out of your comfort zone! 1/2 Point, \$70.

Acting for Dance – Tuesday 7/7, 3:45-5:15 pm. Taught by Miss Mantha. Improve your facials for Contemporary, Broadway and Sassy Jazz! Learn how to use your face and body to convey emotions. Must have at least one year of Contemporary and Jazz. 1/2 Point, \$70.

Back Handspring & Beyond Intensive – Tuesday 7/7, 6:00-7:30 pm. Taught by Miss Stephanie. Is your tumbler working on their back handspring or harder skills? This is the intensive for them! 1/2 Point, \$75

### **WEEK 5 - July 12-18 – Last Week of Regular Classes Plus:**

Required Intensive for all Merrilee Dance Company Dancers, Thursday & Friday only, 7/16 & 7/17 - 10:00am to 4:00pm, \$195, taught by Miss Lida & Miss Mantha