

WORKSHOP PACK





AWA DANCE (Advancing Women's Aspirations with Dance) is charity based in the UK, founded by choreographer <u>Avatâra Ayuso</u>. AWA DANCE is dedicated to the leadership development of women and teenage girls, using the transformative power of dance as the tool to empower their voices. AWA DANCE sits at the intersection of three areas: Dance + Leadership + Women & Girls issues.

We are a qualified Arts Award Center, authorised by Trinity College London. All our team members have an enhanced DBS check and safeguarding training.





Vision

Our Vision is a world where every woman and girl is an empowered and brave leader, both in their personal and professional lives.



OUR UNDERSTANDING OF LEADERSHIP

Mission

Our Mission is to promote a new understanding of leadership through dance, in safe spaces where women and girls become the change they want to see in the world.

We promote leadership skills that are rooted in our 21st century reality by questioning assumptions and allowing participants to take ownership of their life. We structure our activities according to our DANCE values: Dream big, Act now, Navigate the world, Create your voice and Empower yourself and others. To do so, we use reflection tools such as handouts, journals, mind maps, short dance films, feedback digital surveys, and group tasks, meditation techniques and open conversations to work with our participants. Our team has large experience leading dance classes in small and mid organisations and constantly attends training to be up to date of the latest leadership approaches that can enhance women and girl's experiences.

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WORKSHOP	CONTENT & OUTCOMES	COST & TIME *
THE POWER I HOLD 12-18 yrs	 Leadership workshop about empowerment, self-expression and being a change-maker Based on our award-winning dance film Let Them Eat Cake! Confidence boosting dance & reflective workshop Supported by Arts Council England 	£200 1h 30min/2h Includes printed Resource Pack for participants
DANCE & LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS All ages	 14 practical sessions, each working on a specific leadership skill: Creativity Empathy Problem Solving & Decision Making Trust & Responsibility Confidence Wellbeing Self-awareness Self-expression Giving-Receiving Feedback Proactivity (action) Collaboration & Trust Cultural Appreciation Risk-taking Team Work Makes the Dream Work 	£200 2h Can be booked as a single session or as package with discounted rates
INSPIRING TALKS: ROLE MODELS All ages	 Successful women from the creative industry discuss who they are and how they got there Role models, determination, life top tips Suitable for careers' days/weeks 	Online: free of charge In person: contact us for quote 1 h

*1 or 2 AWA team members, depending on the size of the group for each of these workshops. Travel and accommodation (if required) will be covered by the host organisation. If more than one workshop is delivered per day, £350 up to 3h30min and £500 from 4h-8h Contact us for other arrangements

"After this workshop I feel better about myself and more confident"

Workshop participant

"I did not know I was good at anything. No one had ever asked me before this workshop! I now know I can build on what I have already in me."

Workshop participant

After our workshops, the top 4 words chosen by our participants were

empowered, confident, ready, heard

