

# *Lesley Henri*



Ms. Henri discovered her passion for dance at the age of 5 years old. She was accepted into the Royal Ballet School in London where she was trained in the Royal Academy of Dance classical ballet technique. At the age of 16, she became the youngest ever winner of the Beryl Grey Award, which gave her access to private tuition and technique training by members of the Royal Academy. This led to her becoming the youngest dancer in Beryl Gray's own London Festival Ballet where Lesley danced for

several years. She has also danced abroad for the Berlin Opera and enjoyed many years with a touring company called Ballet go Round, which introduced children to the ballet in the UK and Europe.

Lesley has taught classical ballet and modern dance to children from the age of 5 through teens, most recently at the Wimbledon School of Ballet in London.

She recently moved with her husband to Alexandria and very much looks forward to sharing her passion for dance with her new students at HeartBeats Music & Dance.