

For details on what you will learn through the Learning Ladder, watch the Introduction video by Priyadarsini Govind which will release on September 5th.

Is this an online workshop with Priyadarsini Govind?

No. This is an ongoing learning program for abhinaya, which will have multiple modules.

Is this via zoom?

No. Each module episode is a pre-recorded video taught in an intimate classroom setting.

Will I learn an item?

No. Learning Ladder is about learning the building blocks of abhinaya, like learning adavus in Nritha, and practicing techniques which can make you fully prepared to handle a composition. This unique way of approaching and learning abhinaya is being presented by Priyadarsini Govind for the first time through Learning Ladder.

Will I get to ask questions?

Yes. Periodic interactive sessions will be organised with Priyadarsini Govind answering all questions you may have and helping you further enhance your learning process. If you are a subscriber of learning ladder, you will receive information about these interactive sessions via email.

What is the duration of these modules?

Each classroom session episode is around 30 minutes long. One episode will release every two week giving you ample time to watch, assimilate and practice the content in each episode. Every episode will be supported by a reference video library that will serve as a ready reckoner. This will be an ongoing course.

How do I pay for these modules?

Payment will be by a monthly subscription model.

Once I subscribe, what happens?

Once you subscribe, you will be given access to one episode of Learning Ladder every two weeks, along with all its supporting content. Episodes will be released on two specific dates each month.

What if I start my subscription late?

Whenever you start your subscription, that is when you will start the program. For instance, if you subscribe in the month of December 2022, you will receive access to Episode 1 in December 2022, and then one episode every subsequent two weeks.

How many times can I re-watch an episode?

Once you subscribe, you will have complete and unlimited access to videos you receive, through the duration of the course. This access will be removed if and when you unsubscribe.

I am a dancer with many years of experience, will this be useful for me?

Yes. Learning Ladder revisits the basics of abhinaya in a completely new and unique approach, which will only enhance your ability for communication and visualisation. A specific toolbox of techniques and principles for abhinaya, as developed by Priyadarsini Govind, will be taught and practiced through these modules.

I am a child/young student of Bharatanatyam, will this be at my level?

Yes. The modules are presented as classroom sessions where Priyadarsini Govind teaches students who have different levels of abhinaya exposure. This is intended to address learners at all levels. The pace is comfortable and the content does not assume any prior knowledge of abhinaya.

I am a teacher, will this help me improve my teaching techniques?

Yes. The modules are designed as classroom sessions and each episode shows how a teacher can introduce and develop practice techniques for every new technique addressed in abhinaya.