## **BARRE-LESS**

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Equipment: Body Bar, 6" Spri / Bender Ball, Light Hand Weights

	DESCRIPTION
Warm Up	Parallel feet + hands on hips with foot work – supinate, pronate, spread toes, releve
	Foot articulations –alternate toe flicks in parallel, turn out add alternating heel touch
	2 <sup>nd</sup> position plie – start with hands on hips, sweep arms out and in, add diagonal with arms – add a heel lift
	Alternate lunges with feet in parallel arms in 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 1 <sup>st</sup>
	Cartwheel arms to floor – extend front leg back add push up – pull back through to lunge and cartwheel down to other
	side
	Plie with arm sweep to floor
Cardio	Plie with port de bras – add 2 <sup>nd</sup> to 1 <sup>st</sup> – add saute with diagonal arms
	Alternating step knee with 2 marches (forward leg extension as option) – add releve – add saute with arms swinging
	forward and back (play with arms)
	Repeat entire sequence
Upper Body	2 <sup>nd</sup> position plie – elbows in sides with arm reach – palms rotate down and up
	Alternate arm reach x4 – alternate sweep arm circle into body (alternate sides)
	Go back to 2 <sup>nd</sup> position plie – elbows in sides with arm reach palms rotate down and up
	Move feet to parallel – arms out to T with palms facing back – plie squat with forward flexion with arms extended back
	Hold forward flexion – add triceps with palms facing back – add lateral tendu
	Rond de jambe with arm circles
	Arm positions 1st through 5th – alternate sides – add releve in 1st position
Lower Body	1st position turn out – releve heels together – plie and rise – squeeze heels together
	Hold plie – pulse knees to back – add alternating port de bras low V to high V (optional to pick up bar)
	Parallel feet with demi plie – extend one leg back with flexed foot (parallel leg) – heel push and hold (extend thru back of
	knee) – add push through palm (same arm as leg lifted)
	Diagonal back leg pulse with flexed foot (up/down with hand on hip)
	Pointe foot with leg adduction – add forward diagonal flick (small, controlled ROM!) – add port de bras
	Repeat from 1st position turn out – other side
Full Body	Reverse lunge (parallel feet) with ball under back knee and weights to chest – pick up front heel – back knee adduction
	on ball – lift and lower one inch in lunge – remove ball – reverse lunge (arms to 5th) to parallel passe (arms to 1st) – open
	turn out passe (arms to 2 <sup>nd</sup> ) – reverse passe – repeat
	Same leg curtsy with weights in low diagonal – 2 <sup>nd</sup> plie weights to chest – arabesque diagonal arms up and down – 2 <sup>nd</sup>
	plie weights to chest – repeat
	Repeat other side from Reverse lunge (parallel feet) with ball under back knee and weights to chest
Cardio	Curtsy to arabesque saute – play with port de bras ☺
	Lateral triplets with port de bras (throw flowers)
	Repeat from curtsy on other side
	Arabesque – curtsy – triplet combo
Mat Work	Abdominals – ball behind back – add port de bras without weights
	Kneeling on one side – drop ball to floor keeping other arm extended – arm sweep to heel in leg extension – repeat other
	side
	Abdominals – ball behind back – add port de bras with weights
	Place ball in between legs – roll up and reverse roll down with control (knees to nose/squeeze ball)
Stretch	Final series of stretch sequences focused on increasing AROM of major joint structures and incorporating a final stretch
	challenge