



Curriculum Intent

At GCSE, our students will refine their acting and collaborative skills and produce original and polished performances. Students will feel confident in approaching written responses, by building an understanding and knowledge of how drama is created and performed.

○ **What am I studying this year and how and when will I be assessed?**

Term	Knowledge & Skills	Assessment	Homework
Autumn Term	Completion of devised coursework Begin scripted coursework	Internally assessed performance and devising log	Students should be completing half an hour of homework, independent study or rehearsal per week.
Spring Term	Complete scripted coursework	Externally assessed scripted performance	
Summer Term	Revision of <i>Blood Brothers</i> and live theatre	Externally assessed 1 hour 45-minute GCSE written examination	

Year 11 Assessments: Autumn 2023 Internal exam, Autumn 2023 internal practical exam and coursework, Spring 2024 External scripted, Summer 2024 External exam.

You need to revise the following:

- Theatre Terminology
- *Blood Brothers*
- Live Theatre

Marking for Literacy

(Longer answers and written work will be marked for at least one of the below, your teachers will tell you which)

- Sp – Spelling mistake of key term
- // - Needed new paragraph
- C – Capital letter missing
- P – Punctuation needed
- Expr – Expression

Students will demonstrate pride in their work by:

- Presenting information clearly and neatly to aid learning
- Using a title and date for all work including homework
- Underlining all dates and titles using a ruler
- Writing in blue or black pen
- Completing drawings and diagrams in pencil
- Glue in sheets flat and in order
- Annotating work and making corrections in coloured pens
- Crossing out mistakes neatly with a line
- Highlighting key words and concepts