



Curriculum Intent

In Drama, we intend to inspire our students to develop their acting skills, be creative and be resilient and reflective not only in the subject but as a person. This will enable them to be effective performers as well as kind and well-rounded members of the community.

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

| Knowledge & Skills | Term | Assessment | Homework |
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| Introduction to Drama You will be learning the basic skills of control in a series of short devised performances. | Autumn Term | Summative Introduction to Drama Creation, Performance & Evaluation | Homework is set once per topic. This may involve research, recall activities and/or design tasks. |
| Naturalistic Basic Vocal & Physical Skills You will be learning about vocal and physical skills and will use these in a series of short devised performances | Spring Term | Summative Basic Vocal & Physical Skills Creation, Performance & Evaluation | |
| Script You will be looking at how to begin blocking and rehearsing a scripted performance. | Summer Term | Summative <i>Maid Marian</i> Creation, Performance & Evaluation | |
| Staging & Structure You will be learning about the different types of staging and about non-naturalistic ways of structuring your drama. | Extension | Summative 'Staging & Structure' Creation, Performance & Evaluation | |

Year 7 assessments will be held throughout the year.

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