

Subject: Drama

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Year 7 - Autumn Term 2009

Contents: what you will study

In year seven the work is designed to develop your imagination, introduce Drama techniques and genres and explore some social issues. The work will provide you with the opportunity to develop as well as work at different levels.

National Curriculum levels at which you will work

Not applicable

Skills which you will develop this term:

You will develop the techniques of performance including:

Knowledge of different theatre styles.

Characterisation skills.

Basic stagecraft and the role of the director.

How to devise drama from stimulus.

How to work effectively as a team.

Context:

You will be provided with the opportunities to adopt a character, accept and react in a sustained role, perform work to an audience and learn technical skills.

Assessment: how you will be tested this term

Your work will be regularly assessed through both peer and self-evaluation. There will also be on-going assessment by the teacher in accordance with school and department policy.

Equipment which you will need for this terms work

Enthusiasm and an open mind!

Key words which you will need to learn for this term's work

Body language

Facial expression

Still Image

Hot-seating

Voice

Cross-cutting

Space

Stimulus

Characterisation

Narrating

Scene

Improvisation

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Year 7 - Spring Term 2010

Contents: what you will study

You will learn about Ancient Greek Theatre and how it has influenced us. You will learn about Choral Speaking and Narrating, and you will also learn how to devise drama from a topical stimulus.

National Curriculum levels at which you will work

Not applicable.

Skills which you will develop this term:

- Choral Speaking
- Narrating
- Cross-cutting

You will develop your group work skills and through working with others increase your effective awareness of what makes drama.

Assessment: how you will be tested this term

You will be assessed by:

- Peer and self evaluation
- teacher evaluation
- performance evaluation in accordance with school policy

Equipment which you will need for this term's work

Enthusiasm and an open mind

Key words which you will need to learn for this term's work

Co-operation	communication	compromise	Narrating
Characters	Dialogue	Choral Speaking	Cross-cutting
Narrative	Role on the wall		

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Year 7 - Summer Term 2010

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Using the exercises on structure you will begin learning how to put scenes together for the best effect.

You will also begin looking at how you can have an effect on the audience.

National Curriculum levels at which you will work

None applicable

Skills which you will develop this term:

Co-operation and team skills – working outside own friendship group

Role play

Freeze frame

Hotseat

You will develop your group work skills and through working with others increase your effective awareness of what makes drama.

Assessment: how you will be tested this term

You will be assessed by :

class evaluation,

teacher evaluation, performance evaluation in accordance with school policy.

Equipment which you will need for this term's work

Enthusiasm and an open mind

Key words which you will need to learn for this term's work

Co-operation

communication

compromise

role play

Characters

dialogue

flash-back

flash-forward

Narrative

role on the wall

Cliff – hanger