

# Key Stage 3 Programme of Study for 2023-2024



	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	
At	Introduction	Playwriting	FOR 2023/2024 ONLY – ADAPTED VERSION	
Autumn 1	(Skills Building)	(Adapt and experiment)	OF NATURALISM UNIT FROM YEAR 8	
	Create	Perform	Script	
Autumn 2	Physical Theatre	Boal	("Boy in the Striped PJ")	
Autumi 2	(Poem based- choral work)	(Forum Theatre)	Perform	
	Perform	Create	renom	
Coving 1	Process Theatre	Tension	Designing Theatre	
Spring 1	("LRRH")	(Music and Tech)	(Set, Props, Costume, Lighting, Sound)	
	Create	Create	Create	
	Scripted Performance	Naturalism	Non-Naturalistic Devising	
Spring 2	(Showcase)	("The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas")	(Refugee Tale)	
	Perform	Perform	Create	
Summer 1	Performing to Camera	Gangs	Live Theatre Review	
	(Technology)	(Choreography/ Combat)	(Analysis and Evaluation)	
	Create	Create	Create	
			(GCSE) TWO	
Summer 2	Mop up due to additio	Design + Semiotics – Technical elements/ Read/ Design/ Make / Perform		
	required as per	required as per schemes of work		
			Create & Perform	

Subject : Drama Key Stage: 3 Year: 7

Term Topic	Objectives	Assessment	Academic Skills	Personal Skills
Autumn 1 September -October  Link to scheme and resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/1pSpGz 67Cux- JEpI9IdapeW JFs1Z3dFE 2usp=sharina Purpose of Unit:  Introduction of key skills required across KS3-KS5	To introduce students to basic Drama terms and skills:	Formative Creating Assessment - Assessed at least twice during unit  Creating Assessment Descriptors An individual's ability to:  Offers ideas Quality of ideas Responds to feedback Staging Ideas Evaluates work and 'Takes 2'  Confidence Ready to work Respects their peers learning/ ideas Listen to others Contribution to the team  Plus, introduction to Drama specific: Tableau(x) & Melting Tableaux Mime Transitions Thought Track Character	Remembering Drama Terminology  Understanding Drama Terminology Team working skills  Applying Drama Skills  Analysing What makes a good team How to improve performance work  Evaluating What makes a good performance  Creating Short scenes in each skill Final performance to showcase key skills	<ul> <li>Readiness</li> <li>Relationships</li> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Resilience</li> <li>Resourcefulness</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Responding to feedback</li> <li>Time management</li> <li>Giving Feedback</li> <li>Team playing</li> </ul>

Autumn 2 October- December	Physical Theatre  Link to scheme and resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/lauAm yP9IeCaSUFkbBOA089Jy 4e aNDHU?usp=drive li nk  Purpose of Unit:  Introducing performance styles (Physical Theatre and Greek Chorus) that will feed into their skillset throughout KS3- KS5	To learn how to communicate to an audience using Physical Theatre skills, developing understanding from work in Autumn 1:  Body Language Facial expressions Gestures Movement Shapes Action Body as Prop Soundscape Mood and Atmosphere Scenery  To introduce and understand theatrical style of Non-Naturalism & Greek Chorus  To learn the importance of working as an ensemble  TO PRODUCE — Final performance within the Physical Theatre style	Performing Assessment Performing Assessment Descriptors An individual's ability to:  Create a believable character Creating engaging and interesting work Use their vocal and physical expression Interaction with others Use of the performance space and staging tools Learn lines/movement Confidence Stay in role Contribution to the team Ready to perform Respects their peers when performing/ as an audience member  Plus, Physical Theatre specific: Use soundscape Use Greek Chorus technique Perform as an ensemble Use physical theatre skills	Remembering Physical Theatre skills Movement for final performance  Understanding Physical Theatre & Greek Chorus Terminology Ensemble How to use Voice Over How to create mood/atmosphere through voice/soundscape  Applying Physical Theatre Skills – movement Greek Chorus Skills – vocal  Analysing Scripts/poems into performance material Vocal and Physical expression How to improve performance work WAGOLL materials to apply to own work  Evaluating Own work What makes a good performance  Creating Choral speaking piece – pre-recorded and played during performance Final performance of a performance poem using Greek and Physical Theatre skills	Readiness Relationships Remembering Resilience Resourcefulness Reflectiveness Challenge Engagement Feedback Autonomy Responding to feedback Time management Giving Feedback Team playing
Spring 1 January- February	Process Theatre  Link to scheme and resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/10kUw 9Vi Sk0pcLoraqKptfdc3 xTLIfP8?usp=sharing Purpose of Unit:	To encourage students to explore a creative and unique interpretation of a traditional fairy tale.  To develop key improvisation skills within a supportive/guided structure:	Formative Creating Assessment  - Assessed at least twice during unit Creating Assessment Descriptors (see above)  Plus, Process Theatre specific:	Remembering Skills from previous units Storyline and character Traditional stories  Understanding How to improvise effectively Character and plot  Applying Modelled material (Teacher in Role) into their own interpretation	<ul> <li>Readiness</li> <li>Relationships</li> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Reflectiveness</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Autonomy</li> <li>Time management</li> <li>Personal management</li> </ul>

ir skil Le tec	Introduce tudents to key mprovisation ills and Teacher in Role (modelling) earn some key rehearsal chniques which an be applied cross KS3-KS5	To understand more about how the stage works and how to effectively use the space to create atmosphere – set design  To understand how to create and develop a character  TO PRODUCE – Final performance developing skills from previous two units within the framework of LRRH	<ul> <li>Creating character</li> <li>Staying in role</li> <li>Taking on various roles</li> </ul>	Understanding of story into Stage Design concept  Analysing Storyline and characters How to 'twist' traditional stories  Evaluating Own work Quality of ideas  Creating Role on the wall Performance of Twisted version of LRRH Small improvisations	
February- April  Li  http: m/d  VIPr  Pu  In  us fo ski KS-	Scripted erformance  ink to scheme and resources: rps://drive.google.co drive/folders/1G kh6 4FHIgaTGc- rBOnBukLDB7X7t?us p=sharing urpose of Unit:  ntroduction to sing a script — foundation to cills assessed in 64 Unit 2 & KS5 nit 19 & Unit 2	To encourage students to explore a creative and unique interpretation of a small script.  To introduce and reinforce the use of key terminology related to scripts:  Script Character Playwright Dialogue Line Cue Stage direction Actor action Setting Mood/ Atmosphere  To further encourage students to develop an individual interpretation of: Script Character Stage Design  TO PRODUCE — Final performance of one of four set scripts	Summative Performing Assessment	Remembering Skills from previous units Key terminology related to scripts Lines for final performance  Understanding How to use a script How to create character and setting How to use pause and silence for effect  Applying Rehearsal techniques and stage designs to a practical performance  Analysing Storyline and characters WAGOLL materials to apply to own work  Evaluating Own work Quality of ideas  Creating An interpretation of 4 scripts, plus final performance of one Role on the wall	Readiness     Relationships     Remembering     Reflectiveness     Resilience     Resourcefulness     Challenge     Engagement     Autonomy     Feedback     Time management     Personal     management

				Stage design	
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		Develop skills in keeping to deadlines through autonomous learning  TO PRODUCE – Create, plan and film a Pop Video or Movie Trailer			

Subject : Drama Key Stage: 3 Year: 8

Term	Topic	Objectives	Assessment	Academic Skills	Personal Skills
Term Autumn September  December	Topic  Playwriting  Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/13ICc6 zlAgMOLhRf- lxSC779Tc6fn9x- m?usp=sharing  Purpose of Unit:  Experience of writing a script (key skill required for KS4 & KS5 devising)	To introduce students to the key skills involved in the process of script/playwriting and terminology related to this:  Script Adaptation Mood Genre Character Tension Scene Split stage Structure Audience Backstory Flashback  To promote independent learning skills through the process of creating, redrafting and developing a piece of script both during and outside of lesson time.  To write a small script based on a traditional tale that will be experimented with and developed throughout the term.  To demonstrate how their work has developed during the term due to the feedback they had from their peers.	Summative Performing Assessment  Performing Assessment Descriptors An individual's ability to:	Academic Skills  Remembering Key skills and previous learning related to script  Understanding How to create a script – storyboard How to write a script How to adapt a traditional story into a new contemporary script  Applying Key skills for the scriptwriting process Ideas to create script Writing script using ideas  Analysing Traditional stories plot line and characters Ideas of others Tweaking and adapting script  Evaluating Final product  Creating Script Performing script for an audience	Personal Skills  Readiness Relationships Resilience Resourcefulness Challenge Engagement Feedback Responding to feedback Time management Contributing
	TO PRO	TO PRODUCE – Students will write and present their own script	Plus, Playwriting specific:  Contribute to the scriptwriting process  Developing ideas for the script  Adaptation of original tales		

Spring 1 January- February	Forum Theatre  Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/1TihK  8- Cqc0wQYzlbh6S55n07 Uy2b00N0?usp=shari ng  Purpose of Unit:  Introducing performance styles that will feed into their skillset throughout KS3-KS5	To introduce students to the practitioner 'Boal' and Forum Theatre:	Formative Creating Assessment  - Assessed at least twice during unit  Creating Assessment Descriptors: An individual's ability to:	Effective improvisation skills from previous units  Understanding How a Forum works and how to effectively contribute towards it Key terminology related to unit The social and political implications of decisions using various scenarios as starting points The consequences of actions using various scenarios as starting points  Applying Discussions to performance ideas/material Improvisation skills to group work.  Analysing Various scenarios and character choices The social impact of choices  Evaluating Choices and consequences  Creating Various scenarios using workshop process Show work and reflect on impact	Readiness Relationships Reflectiveness Challenge Engagement Feedback Autonomy Personal and moral development
Spring 2 February- May	Tension  Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/1dEtXI Ol3lk6igRKt1FfY q8A9 rH-VrDS?usp=sharing	To allow the students to develop technique, exploring Tension through a variety of tools:  Pause/silence Masks Drums Music/Sound Change in mood Contrast Lighting	Formative Creating Assessment  - Assessed at least twice during unit Creating Assessment Descriptors (see above)	Remembering Skills from previous units Key tools and techniques Stage types  Understanding How to use each tool effectively 'Less is more' to create tension and impact	<ul> <li>Readiness</li> <li>Relationships</li> <li>Resourcefulness</li> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Reflectiveness</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Autonomy</li> <li>Time management</li> </ul>

	Purpose of Unit:  Introduce students to a key technique – tension and monologue. Begin work on the impact of using different stage types (KS4 – Unit 3)	To experiment with various starting points in a workshop format, analysing how Tension is created in each, for example 'Woman in Black', monologue writing, choral speaking etc.  To experiment with stage types and how these can be utilised to create actoraudience relationships:  Proscenium Arch Thrust Traverse Arena  To introduce the concept of annotation on script and how this can be used effetively  TO PRODUCE – Small workshop performances of each starting point, choosing one to present at end of term	Plus, Tension specific:	How to write monologues How to interpret scripts  Applying Key tools and techniques  Analysing Storyline and characters How best to apply techniques  Evaluating Own work Quality of ideas  Creating Monologues Small performances each week One final performance	Personal management
Summer 1 May-June	Naturalism  Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1MaFbS13oLHYZIOqXD TKchbaNyb4TakM?usp=sharing  Purpose of Unit:  Introduction to key style and practitioner	To introduce students to a new style of performance 'Naturalism' through exploration of Stanislavski's toolkit:  Belief Imagination Magic if Units and Objectives Super Objective Script analysis  To reinforce the importance of context when studying a script – social, political, economic factors and how these influence characters. Studied text – Boy in Striped PJ.  To encourage students to explore a creative and unique interpretation of a script through various rehearsal	Summative Performing Assessment Performing Assessment Descriptors (see above)  Plus, Stanislavski specific:	Remembering How to use a script effectively – from previous units Lines and movement  Understanding Character and backstory How to use rehearsal techniques  Applying Understanding of character to the script  Analysing Units and objectives Character Play and social context  Evaluating Work of others - WAGOLL	<ul> <li>Readiness</li> <li>Relationships</li> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Reflectiveness</li> <li>Resilience</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Autonomy</li> <li>Feedback</li> <li>Time management</li> <li>Personal management</li> <li>Social and moral messages</li> </ul>

	used across KS4-KS5 (Stanislavski). Further experience of using script, required at KS4 & KS5.	techniques, including new techniques such as hot seating.  TO PRODUCE – Final performance.		Quality of ideas  Creating  Final performance of a script  Character through various rehearsal techniques	
Summer 2 June-July	Gangs  Link to scheme and resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/1xIC7Px ULFMF6jhwHjoK- 0p9s3Ir7zMp- ?usp=sharing	To explore the concept of 'Gangs' through exploration of:      Stage Combat     Sport – specifically the Hakka     Musical Theatre - Grease  To allow the students to develop performance skills and technique  To work in teams to devise a plot line and character, applying the skills from workshop process	Formative Creating Assessment  - Assessed at least twice during unit	Remembering Skills from workshop process  Understanding How to devise as a team How to effectively and safely stage fight Different cultures and contexts  Applying Skills from workshop to small pieces throughout process and final piece Teamwork skills	Readiness     Relationships     Remembering     Reflectiveness     Resilience     Resourcefulness     Challenge     Engagement     Autonomy
	Purpose of Unit:  Introduction to devising skills required in KS4	TO PRODUCE – A small performance piece utilising the skill explored		Analysing Key skills and techniques Video footage and examples to consider effective work  Evaluating Own work Quality of ideas  Creating A selection of performances throughout process Final devised performance	

Subject: Drama Key Stage: 3 Year: 9

Term	Topic	Objectives	Assessment	Academic Skills	Personal Skills
Autumn September — December	Scripted Performance Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.c om/drive/folders/1F13 WyHvhLYJrp8Aml9Dr WPATrFCUdC8U?usp= sharing  Purpose of Unit:  Direct experience of curriculum for KS4 - Unit 2, KS5 - Unit 19, Unit 2	To reinforce/revisit the importance of context when studying a script – social, political, economic factors and how these influence characters. Studied text – Blood Brothers.// for 2023-2024 only – Boy in the Striped Pj  To introduce students to a full-length script  To encourage students to explore a creative and unique interpretation of a script through various rehearsal techniques, including new techniques such as punctuation walk.  To introduce the students to the task requirements of the course at KS4 – studying two extracts to show character journey.  TO PRODUCE Final performance of two contrasting moments from a text.	Summative Performing Assessment	Remembering How to use a script effectively – from previous units Stanislavski's techniques – from Year 8 Summer 1 Lines and movement  Understanding Character and backstory How to use rehearsal techniques Social, political, cultural and economic context How Unit 2 of GCSE Drama works  Applying Understanding of character to the script  Analysing Units and objectives Character Play and social context  Evaluating Work of others - W AGOIL Quality of ideas  Creating Final performance of a script Character through various rehearsal techniques	<ul> <li>Readiness</li> <li>Relationships</li> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Reflectiveness</li> <li>Resilience</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Autonomy</li> <li>Feedback</li> <li>Time management</li> <li>Personal management</li> <li>Social and moral messages</li> </ul>
			Plus, Playwriting specific:		

<ul> <li>Appropriate use of set and props</li> <li>Appropriate use of costume</li> </ul>
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			Appropriate use of sound		
Spring 2 February- May	Devising Theatre  Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.c. om/drive/folders/10A4 DRKOZZyW80RiGnIBF MY4715T44knc?usp=sh aring  Purpose of Unit:  Direct experience of curriculum for KS4 - Unit 1	To examine and explore a real life story as a stimulus for performance – understanding of the world  To explore a new style of performance – devising and non-naturalism  To work as a team to create a performance within a collaborative framework  TO PRODICE – Small workshop performances of each starting point, choosing one to present at end of term	Formative Creating Assessment  - Assessed at least twice during unit  Creating Assessment Descriptors (see above)  Plus, Devising Theatre specific:  Creative and original ideas  Application of techniques  Clear topic and message	Remembering Skills from previous units Devising techniques  Understanding How to create new and engaging performance work How to devise Real life scenarios and stories  Applying Key tools and techniques  Analysing New spaper stories and key facts to create a factual piece Which techniques and tools work best  Evaluating Own work Quality of ideas  Creating Small piece of theatre in response to real life stories	<ul> <li>Readiness</li> <li>Relationships</li> <li>Resourcefulness</li> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Reflectiveness</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Autonomy</li> <li>Time management</li> <li>Personal management</li> </ul>
Summer 1 May-June	Live Theatre Review  Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.co m/drive/folders/1AxEHa ZISWrvx7ks3oN m5Wtc 70P1zGLL?usp=drive lin k  Purpose of Unit:	To gain experience of analysing and evaluating which is key for KS4 progress.  To be exposed to a piece of streamed Theatre, giving them experience of studying and enjoying the art form.  To be introduced to a key component of the GCSE - Live Theatre Review - Section B of Unit 3 Exam  TO PRODUCEA written reflection of the piece of Theatre	Formative Creating Assessment  - Assessed at least twice during unit  - Creating Assessment Descriptors (see above)  Plus, Live Theatre Review specific:  - Choosing examples - Analysing - Evaluating - Detail in written work	Remembering Key elements that make effective Theatre Plot and characters  Understanding Social context to the play Difference between analysing and evaluating  Applying	<ul> <li>Remembering</li> <li>Reflectiveness</li> <li>Challenge</li> <li>Engagement</li> <li>Autonomy</li> <li>Analysing and evaluative skills</li> </ul>

Summer 2* June-July	Direct experience of curriculum for KS4 - Unit 3  Roles in Theatre	To gain experience of taking on the role of director, designer and actor	Summative Performing Assessment	Piece of Theatre – specific characters, moments, tech elements etc.  Creating Final piece of Live Theatre Review  Remembering Key skills explored across KS3	Readiness     Relationships
*IF REQUIRED - IT IS HIGHLY LIKELY THE UNIT'S AUTUMN- SUMMER 1 WILL RUN OVER, SO THIS SCHEME IS NOT MANDATORY, INSTEAD IS PROVIDED FOR GROUPS WHO HAVE FINISHED EARLY AS AN EXTRA	Link to Scheme and Resources: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1LnPFLmcPDZzxaaSlyHifWCtHtET8Mcc?usp=sharing  Purpose of Unit: Direct	in a small script – students can pick which skill they wish to take on  To work as a team to produce a holistic performance piece  To experience key roles required in KS4  Gain more experience of a new script  TO PRODUCE Small performance, taking on the role of actor, designer or director – performance should display their skills in each area	Plus, Roles in Theatre specific:  Taking on various roles  Contribution to the piece Individual ideas	Understanding How to make a whole team performance  Applying Key skills explored across KS3 Designs and making them a reality Rehearsal techniques  Analysing Roles and their responsibilities  Evaluating The overall impact of the work How their designs are going and how to improve them  Creating Final performance and specific skills	Resourcefulness Remembering Reflectiveness Challenge Engagement Autonomy Time management Personal management



## Key Stage 4 Programme of Study for 2023-2024



	Yea	r 10	Yea	r 11
	DOUBLE	SINGLE	DOUBLE	SINGLE
Autumn 1 Sept-Oct	Unit 3 – Introduction to various roles in Theatre using set text	Unit 1 – Stimulus Exploration & Coursework 1	Unit 3 – Section A Interpreting Theatre	Unit 3 – Section A Interpreting Theatre
Autumn 2 Nov-Dec	Unit 1 – Application of technique & Coursework 2	Unit 1 – Application of technique & Coursework 2	Unit 3 – Section A Interpreting Theatre	Unit 2 – Performing Theatre
<b>Spring 1</b> Jan-Feb	Unit 1 – Developing Performance & Coursework 3	Unit 3 – Section B Live Theatre Review	Unit 2 – Performing Theatre	Unit 2 – Performing Theatre
Spring 2 Mar-Apr	Unit 1 – Developing Performance & Coursework 3	Unit 3 – Section B Live Theatre Review	Unit 3 – Section A Interpreting Theatre	Unit 3 – Section B Interpreting Theatre
Summer 1 May-Jun	Unit 1 – Rehearsal & Performance	Unit 1 – Rehearsal & Performance		
Summer 2 Jun-Jul	Unit 1 – Evaluation & C/Work Deadline	Unit 3 – Section A Interpreting Theatre		

Subject: Drama Key Stage: 4 Year: 10

Unit	Term	Topic	Objectives	Assessment	Academic Skills	Personal Skills	
Unit One: Devising Theatre	Stimulus Exploration  Interpreting and analysing stimulus Choosing stimulus Secondary stimulus research Theme and topic exploration Plot concept based on research		Significant Moment (Supporting Evidence) Coursework 1: 'how ideas have been researched, created and developed in response to the chosen stimulus'		- Understanding - Examining - Analysing	- Relationship - Reflection - Readiness - Resourcefulness	
Breakdown of Assessment:	Autumn 1	Style Exploration  Theatre in Education key stylistic features: target audience/ topic/ multi-rolling/ educational information/ direct address/ narrator/ message/ audience participation.  Other key techniques: Show & Tell/ Verbatim/ Chorus/ Physical Theatre Etc.  Practitioner Exploration: Mark Wheeller — examine key texts to apply to piece: 'Chicken', 'I Love you, Mum', 'Too Much Punch for Judy' Etc.	'Create and develop ideas to communicate meaning for theatrical performance'	Significant Moment (Supporting Evidence) Coursework 2: 'how ideas from the chosen practitioner/genre have been incorporated in the piece to communicate meaning'	- Application - Creating - Researching - Written communication - Verbal communication	- Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback	
Coursework – 30 Marks of 60 Performance – 15 Marks of 60 Evaluation – 15 Marks of 60	Autumn 2	Devising Process  Students to create their first draft of the performance or design Individuals will be marked on creating  Ideas for piece Plot and characters / design ideas and concepts Structure  Individuals will be marked on Their contribution to the process Creating and communicating meaning in the piece Their use of the performance space	AO1	'AO1: assessed through the performance and the portfolio of supporting evidence'  Formative Assessment throughout process, notes made on assessment sheet sent to WJEC	- Understanding - Application - Creating - Verbal communication - Devising - Designing	- Relationship - Reflection - Readiness - Resourcefulness - Resilience - Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback	

Spring 1	Development Process  Tweaking, adapting, scrapping ideas for performance/ design  Applying feedback and development of piece/ design  Developing character/ design concept through rehearsal process  Showing regular drafts of performance piece/ design	AO1	Significant Moment (Supporting Evidence) Coursework 3: 'how ideas have been developed, amended and refined during the development of the devised piece.'	- Understanding - Examining - Analysing - Evaluation - Editing - Creating - Development - Verbal communication	- Relationship - Reflection - Readiness - Resilience - Resourcefulness - Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening - Autonomy - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback
Spring 2	Rehearsal Process  Rehearsing piece Creating designs practically Improving piece/ character/ ideas through rehearsal Collaborating and creating cohesive piece through both design and performance  Final Performance Performance Performance to the camera – deadline set dependant on group Realising design and performance	AO1  AO2  'Apply theatrical skills to realise artistic intentions in live performance'	Performance Acting or Design	- Remembering - Realising - Examining	- Relationship - Reflection - Resilience - Readiness - Resourcefulness - Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening - Autonomy - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback

	Summer 1 (Double Lessons)	Students to reflect on their final performance or final design     Analysing the performance/ design     Evaluating the performance/ design     Students to then write the piece – 1hour 30min examination  Coursework     Students to have time to develop and improve their coursework following the final performance     Editing, tweaking and improvement process     Students to then hand in final draft of the coursework portfolio  Live Theatre Review	AO4 'Analyse and evaluate their own work and the work of others.'	Evaluation:  '1. analyse and evaluate either their interpretation of character/role or their interpretation of the extract in design.  2. analyse and evaluate how either their own performance skills or their own design skills contributed to the effectiveness of the final performance  3. analyse and evaluate the final performance, including how effectively they fulfilled their initial aims and objectives (referring to stimulus and practitioner/genre)'	- Analysing - Evaluating - Tweaking and editing process - Written communication	- Reflection - Resilience - Readiness - Time management - Personal management - Autonomy - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback
Unit Three: Section B  40% - 60 Marks  Breakdown of Assessment: 25% of unit 15 marks of 60	Summer 1 & Summer 2 (Single Lessons)	Reflect on the two skills – analysing & evaluating Examine context to the performance Study themes, plot, character etc. Students to watch a streamed performance – DVD or on National Theatre Learners must analyse and evaluate the role of the in a piece of live theatre: actor o interpretation of character o character interaction o vocal skills o movement skills  designer o creation of mood and atmosphere o use of performance space o lighting o sound o set and props o costume and make-up  director o interpretation and style o performance conventions o spatial relationships onstage o relationship between performer and audience	AO4	Preparation for Unit 3 Examination Students to create essays answering each of the potential Section B questions – these can be used during the revision process in Year 11 ahead of Unit 3 examination  May/June Year 11	- Analysing and evaluating work of others - Written communication - Understanding various roles - Understanding context and message	- Reflection - Remembering - Readiness - Personal management - Autonomy - Engagement - Feedback - Challenge

Unit Three: Section A		Interpreting Theatre (Blue Remembered Hills)	AO3		- Creating conept - Understanding	- Reflection - Remembering - Resourcefulness
40% - 60		Reading the play and gaining understanding of the	'Demonstrate	Preparation for	context to play	<ul><li>Resilience</li><li>Relationships</li></ul>
Marks	Summer 2 (Double Lessons)	context of the play – social context, historical context, plot, themes, messages etc.  • Creating overview of the piece – big ideas:	knowledge and understanding of how drama and theatre is	Unit 3 Examination	<ul><li>Writing about</li><li>performance</li><li>Sketching</li><li>Understanding</li></ul>	- Readiness - Personal management
Breakdown of Assessment:		<ul> <li>- Character understanding/ journey</li> <li>- Staging</li> <li>- Set &amp; props</li> <li>- Costumes</li> </ul>	developed and performed'	May/June Year 11	various roles - Understanding context and message	- Autonomy - Engagement - Feedback - Challenge
45 marks of 60						

Subject: Drama Key Stage: 4 Year: 11

Unit	Term	Topic	Objectives	Assessment	Academic Skills	Personal Skills
Unit Three: Interpreting		Interpreting Theatre (Blue Remembered Hills)	AO3 'Demonstrate knowledge and	Formative Assessment - Preparation for	<ul><li>- Understanding</li><li>- Examining</li><li>- Analysing</li><li>- Application</li></ul>	- Relationship - Reflection - Readiness - Resourcefulness
Theatre 40% - 60 Marks		Students will begin analysing and interpreting the set text studied in Summer 2 of Year 10 with more depth.  Students will approach the study of the text <b>practically</b> as an	understanding of how drama and theatre is developed and performed'	Unit 3 Mock Examination & Final Examination	- Creating - Researching - Written communication - Verbal	- Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening
		actor, designer and director.  Students will consider how the text chosen is constructed and how performances create meaning through:  • the characteristics of the performance text, including:	personned.	in May/June	communication	- Challenge - Engagement - Feedback
Breakdown of Assessment:	Autumn 1	<ul> <li>- Genre</li> <li>- Structure</li> <li>- Character (including interpretation and function within an extract)</li> <li>- Form and Style</li> <li>- Language/ Dialogue</li> </ul>				
Section A – 45 Marks of 60		<ul> <li>Stage Directions</li> <li>the social, historical and cultural context including the theatrical conventions of the period in which the performance text was created</li> </ul>				
Section B – 15 Marks of 60		<ul> <li>how meaning is interpreted and communicated through:         <ul> <li>Performance Conventions</li> <li>Use of performance space</li> <li>Spatial relationships onstage</li> <li>Impact of different stages (proscenium arch, theatre in round, traverse and thrust) on at least one scene</li> </ul> </li> <li>Relationships between performer and audience</li> <li>The design of lighting, sound, set (including props) and costume,</li> </ul>				
		<ul> <li>The design of lighting, sound, set (including props) and costume, hair and make-up</li> <li>The actor's vocal and physical interpretation of character.</li> </ul>				

Autumn 2	Interpreting Theatre (Blue Remembered Hills)  Single Lessons: Live Theatre Review  Students to begin approaching examination papers:  Structuring responses Timing Process of paper Approaching questions Applying understanding to written questions Practice and feedback Application of feedback Take Two Drafting and editing  Mock Examination — December	AO3  AO4  'Analyse and evaluate their own work and the work of others.'	Formative Assessment - Preparation for Unit 3 Mock Examination & Final Examination in May/June  Summative Assessment - Mock Examination (December)	- Understanding - Examining - Analysing - Evaluating - Application - Creating - Researching - Written communication - Verbal communication	- Relationship - Reflection - Readiness - Resourcefulness - Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback
Spring 2	Revision Process  Developing from feedback given after mock Structuring responses Timing Process of paper Approaching questions Applying understanding to written questions Practice and feedback Application of feedback Take Two Drafting and editing	AO3 AO4	Summative Assessment – Final Examination (May/June)	- Understanding - Examining - Remembering - Analysing - Evaluating - Application - Creating - Researching - Written communication - Verbal communication	- Reflection - Readiness - Resilience - Remembering - Resourcefulness - Collaboration - Personal management - Confidence - Listening - Challenge - Engagement - Feedback

Unit Two: Performing Theatre 20% - 60 Marks	Spring 1	Creating Interpretation for the Performance  Studying whole play  Choosing extracts to perform / design - Study two 10-minute sections - Choose what to perform within these sections within time limit  Creating practical performance/ design - Blocking / Design concept - Meaning - Message - Showing journey/ contrast  Rehearsal process - Getting feedback - Developing piece / character / designs - Collaboration between actors and designers	AO2 'Apply theatrical skills to realise artistic intentions in live performance'	Formative Assessment - Preparation for Unit 2 Examination	- Studying and analysing text - Understanding character, plot, theme, message, context - Text and line analysis - Creating piece or design concept - Interpreting text and character/ design - Researching into previous interpretations and applying - Applying understanding to create piece - Rehearsal technique - Practical skills	- Reflection - Remembering - Readiness - Relationship - Personal management - Autonomy - Engagement - Feedback - Challenge - Creativity
	Spring 2	Artistic Intention and Performance Examination  Students to create and submit to the examiner a brief account of approximately 150 words (i.e., half a side of A4) outlining their artistic intentions for the piece.  This should include:  - for performance learners, a brief account of how they aim to interpret their chosen character  - for design learners, a brief account of how they aim to interpret the chosen scene(s) through design  - for all learners, a brief indication of how the 20 minutes of text studied for the unit was edited to	AO2	Summative Assessment – Final Performance Examination  (Date between January-May)	- Studying and analysing text - Understanding character, plot, theme, message, context - Creating piece or design concept - Interpreting text and character/ design - Researching into previous	- Reflection - Remembering - Readiness - Relationship - Personal management - Autonomy - Engagement - Feedback - Challenge - Creativity - Confidence

create the final performance to realise their own artistic intentions.  Students to perform their work/ realise their designs in the final piece for the examiner	interpretations and applying - Applying understanding to create piece - Rehearsal technique	
	- Practical skills - Written work	



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	CRHS		QE2	CRHS		QE2
	Unit 19	Unit 19		Unit 19	Unit 19	
Autumn 1 Sept-Oct	30 MIN EACH WEEK (PRESENTATION) Learning Aim A: Understand acting styles and techniques for performance  REST OF LESSON Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance Workshops on: Brecht // Stanislavski // Boal	Lea Review personal deve RES Lea Develop acting sty pe Wo	IN EACH WEEK (LOGS)  Irning Aim D: Ilopment and own performance  IT OF LESSON Irning Aim B: Iles, skills and techniques for erformance orkshops on: Berkoff // Grotowski	30 MIN EACH WEEK (PRESENTATION)  Learning Aim A: Understand acting styles and techniques for performance  REST OF LESSON  Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance  Workshops on: Brecht // Stanislavski // Boal	30 MIN EACH WEEK (LOGS) Learning Aim D: Review personal development and own performance  REST OF LESSON Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance Workshops on: Brook // Berkoff // Grotowski	
Autumn 2 Nov-Dec	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK (PRESENTATION) Learning Aim A: Understand acting styles and techniques for performance  REST OF LESSON (REHEARSAL) Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK (REHEARSAL) Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance	Unit 1  Part A Preparation  Investigating contextual factors  The relationships between contextual factors, creative intentions and themes  Critical analysis of the work of performing arts practitioners  Be able to present conclusions and independent judgements	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK (PRESENTATION) Learning Aim A: Understand acting styles and techniques for performance  REST OF LESSON (REHEARSAL) Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK (REHEARSAL) Learning Aim B: Develop acting styles, skills and techniques for performance	Unit 1  Part A Preparation  Investigating contextual factors  The relationships between contextual factors, creative intentions and themes  Critical analysis of the work of performing arts practitioners  Be able to present conclusions and independent judgements
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<b>Spring 1</b> Jan-Feb	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK UNTIL DEADLINE BELOW - (PRESENTATION) Learning Aim A: Understand acting styles and techniques for performance	Unit 1  REST OF LESSON - H.Greenlees to set weekly tasks for Year 12	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK UNTIL DEADLINE BELOW - (LOGS) Learning Aim D: Review personal development and own performance	Unit 1  Part A Preparation  Investigating contextual factors  The relationships between contextual factors, creative intentions and themes  Critical analysis of the work of performing arts practitioners  Be able to present conclusions and independent judgements through effective investigation	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK UNTIL DEADLINE BELOW - (PRESENTATION) Learning Aim A: Understand acting styles and techniques for performance	Unit 3  Generating and exploring ideas from stimulus	Unit 19  30 MIN EACH WEEK UNTIL DEADLINE BELOW - (LOGS) Learning Aim D: Review personal development and own performance	Unit 3  REST OF LESSON –  J.Duggan to set weekly  tasks for Year 13	
DEADLINE			L	Unit 19 - Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> Jan Jnit 19 - Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Januar Year 13 - Unit 3 – Mile	y – Logs and Evaluati	on Deadline			
<b>Spring 2</b> Mar-Apr	Unit 1  Part A Preparation  Investigating contextual factors  The relationships between contextual factors, creative intentions and themes  Critical analysis of the work of performing arts practitioners  Be able to present conclusions and independent judgements through effective investigation				performance in re	it 3 eative ideas for a group sponse to stimulus and collaborative skills	<b>Un</b> REST OF LESSON – J.Duggan 1	to set weekly tasks for Year	
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	Year 12		Year 13	
	CRHS	QE2	CRHS	QE2
Summer 1 May-Jun	Unit 1  REST OF LESSON - H.Greenlees to set weekly tasks for Year 12	<b>Unit 1</b> Part A Preparation until Exam	Unit 3  Communicate creative intentions through group workshop performance  Review and reflect on the effectiveness of the working process and the workshop performance	<b>Unit 3</b> REST OF LESSON – J.Duggan to set weekly tasks for Year 13
DEADLINE	Exam Date TBC		Performance Date TBC – first week in May  Milestone 4 W/B: 6 <sup>th</sup> May	
Summer 2 Jun-Jul	<b>Unit 2</b> Preparation	<b>Unit 2</b> Preparation		

Curriculum and Skills Mapping Subject: Performing Arts Key Stage: 5 Year: 12 & 13

Topic	Objectives	Assessment	Academic Skills	Personal Skills
Unit 1 Investigating Practitioners' Work  (Year 12 Only)	AO1 Demonstrate     knowledge and     understanding of     contextual factors that     influence work of     performing arts     practitioners	Unit type: External  Guided learning hours: 90  Summary of assessment:  • This mandatory unit will be assessed through a task and completed under supervised conditions.  • The task is formed of two parts, Part	<ul> <li>Investigating contextual factors of a range of Theatre Practitioners</li> <li>Investigation process - Selecting relevant sources to access information.</li> <li>The relationships</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Summarise key information to support independent judgements</li> <li>Consider validity of material collected.</li> <li>Analyse selected material.</li> <li>Consider alternative viewpoint.</li> <li>Refer to contextual influences in the</li> </ul>
Unit in Brief:  Learners investigate the work of performing arts practitioners and develop critical analysis skills and contextual understanding of how practitioners communicate themes in their work.	AO2 Apply knowledge and understanding of how contextual factors influence the creative intentions and themes of performing arts practitioners      AO3 Apply critical analysis skills to develop and demonstrate understanding of performance, production and repertoire      AO4 Be able to apply an effective investigation process to inform the understanding of the work of performing arts practitioners, communicating independent judgements	<ul> <li>Part A will be issued to learners four weeks before the timetabled session for Part B.</li> <li>Part B is taken under supervised conditions in a single session of 3 hours timetabled by Pearson.</li> <li>The number of marks for both versions of the task in 60.</li> <li>The assessment availability is December/January and May/June each year.</li> </ul>	between contextual factors, creative intentions and themes  Critical analysis of the work of performing arts practitioners  How performance styles and methods that characterise practitioner work are used to create and communicate meaning and style  Be able to present conclusions and independent judgements through effective investigation	<ul> <li>Make connections and links between theme(s), creative intentions, influences in the materials selected.</li> <li>Consider genre and style.</li> <li>Use of appropriate format, structure and tone.</li> <li>Use of language and subject-specific terminology.</li> <li>Use of referencing information, citation and bibliography.</li> <li>Use of critical analysis.</li> <li>Explaining views and interpretations.</li> <li>Presenting structured arguments, conclusions and judgements.</li> <li>Use of relevant examples to support arguments, conclusions and judgements.</li> </ul>

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Developing Skills and Techniques for Live Performance  Unit in Brief:  Learners explore technical performance skills with a focus on developing skills and techniques in at least two performance styles.	Learning Aim A     Understand the role and skills of a performer      Learning Aim B     Develop performance skills and techniques for live performance      Learning Aim C     Apply performance skills and techniques in selected styles      Learning Aim D     Review and reflect on development of skills and techniques for live performance.	Guided learning hours: 90  Summary of assessment:  Explore the roles and skills of a performer Submit:  A report or presentation demonstrating knowledge and understanding of the roles and skills of a performer with reference to examples of disciplines, such as acting, dance and singing.  Explore and develop physical, vocal and interpretative skills, performance disciplines and styles. Personal management and discipline skills for performance.  Submit:  Recorded footage of their application of skills and techniques developed during practical exercises and workshops.  Practical exploration and development work. Self- and peer evaluation.  Application of performance & interpretative skills to performance material, disciplines and styles.  Submit: A recorded performance.	<ul> <li>Explore the roles and skills of a performer</li> <li>Develop performance skills and techniques for live performance</li> <li>Explore and develop physical &amp; vocal skills, performance disciplines and styles</li> <li>Develop interpretative skills, performance disciplines and styles</li> <li>Apply performance skills and techniques in selected styles</li> <li>Application of interpretative, physical and vocal skills to performance material, disciplines and styles</li> <li>Review and reflect on development of skills and techniques for live performance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Personal management and discipline skills for performance</li> <li>Attendance and punctuality</li> <li>Being ready to work, warming up and cooling down</li> <li>Wearing correct attire and presentation</li> <li>Concentration and focus</li> <li>Learning dialogue and actions</li> <li>Listening and responding positively to direction, instruction and feedback</li> <li>Willingness to experiment and try things out</li> <li>Sensitivity and empathy towards others.</li> </ul>

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Group Performance Workshop  Unit in Brief:  Learners explore and integrate creative, physical and vocal skills and techniques, working collaboratively to create a performance in response to a given stimulus.	AO1 Understand how to interpret and respond to stimulus for a group performance  AO2 Develop and realise creative ideas for a group performance in response to stimulus  AO3 Apply personal management and collaborative skills to a group performance workshop process  AO4 Apply performance skills to communicate creative intentions during performance workshop AO5 Review and reflect on the effectiveness of the workshop performance	<ul> <li>Unit type: External</li> <li>Guided learning hours: 120</li> <li>Summary of assessment:         <ul> <li>This mandatory unit will be assessed through a task worth 60 marks and completed under supervised conditions.</li> <li>The supervised assessment period will be completed in five hours and should be arranged by the centre over a number of sessions in the week timetabled by Pearson.</li> <li>Before the assessment period, learners will have the opportunity to prepare for the development and completion of the group performance and their digital process log.</li> <li>For assessment, learners will be given a stimulus to create performance material. In groups that consist of a minimum of three and a maximum of seven members, learners will respond to the stimulus and develop the performance workshop for an invited audience.</li> <li>Learners will submit a digital process log completed at four milestone stages during the development process, responding to prompts provided by Pearson.</li> <li>Learners will submit a video recording of the group workshop performance, between 10 and 20 minutes in duration.</li> <li>The assessment availability is May/June only.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Generating and exploring ideas from stimulus</li> <li>Understand how to use stimulus for developing performance</li> <li>Artistic intention.</li> <li>Target audience.</li> <li>Form and style of the performance.</li> <li>Creative and staging possibilities.</li> <li>Developing performance roles (casting).</li> <li>Primary and secondary research</li> <li>Practical exploration and shaping of creative ideas</li> <li>Use of appropriate performance skills</li> <li>Development and realisation of creative ideas</li> <li>Communicate creative intentions through group workshop performance</li> <li>Review and reflect on the effectiveness of the working process and the workshop performance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Personal management</li> <li>Attendance.</li> <li>Punctuality.</li> <li>Meeting group and individual deadlines.</li> <li>Learning and absorbing material.</li> <li>Applying, developing and refining performance skills.</li> <li>Teamwork and collaboration</li> <li>Giving and taking instruction and direction.</li> <li>Trust and cooperation.</li> <li>Contributing ideas.</li> <li>Receptiveness and responsiveness to the ideas of others.</li> </ul>

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Topic Unit 19 Acting Styles	Learning Aim A     Understand     acting styles and     techniques for     performance      Learning Aim B     Develop acting     styles, skills and     techniques for     performance      Learning Aim C     Apply acting     styles, skills and     techniques in     rehearsal and     performance      Learning Aim D     Review personal	Unit type: Internal  Guided learning hours: 60  Summary of assessment:  • Explore and understand the key features of acting styles for performance. Understanding processes and practices in theatre performance.  Submit:  A report or presentation that demonstrates knowledge and understanding of acting styles and techniques with reference to key features and examples of processes and practices in theatre performance.  • Acting styles, skills and techniques.  Submit:  Research notes. Logbook with workshop and rehearsal notes. Recordings of practical exploration and development work, including workshops and rehearsals. Observation records.	<ul> <li>Explore and understand the key features of acting styles for performance</li> <li>Understanding processes and practices in theatre performance</li> <li>Processes and practice, such as research, observation, analysis/deconstruction of text, experimentation, improvisation, role play, developing imagination, developing character.</li> <li>Actors' mental, vocal, movement preparation.</li> <li>Apply theatre practitioners' techniques.</li> <li>Apply key features of the acting</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Time management</li> <li>Physical, vocal and mental preparation for productive work</li> <li>Concentration and focus</li> <li>Trust</li> <li>Respect for others</li> <li>Respect for the work</li> <li>Co-operation</li> <li>Work collaboratively</li> <li>Communication</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Apply acting styles, skills and techniques in rehearsals.         Apply acting styles, skills and techniques to a         performance.         Submit:         Recorded footage that demonstrates the development         and application of acting styles and techniques for a         performance (10–20 minutes).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Apply key features of the acting style.</li> <li>Develop physical and vocal action of character(s).</li> <li>Interpret text, characters, journey, relationships.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Commitment</li> <li>Take direction and respond positively to feedback.</li> </ul>
		Review and evaluate development of acting styles and theatrical techniques.     Review and evaluate the application of acting styles and theatrical techniques.     Submit:     Performance log that reviews and evaluates the development and application of acting styles and techniques for a performance, with reference to knowledge developed from learning aim A, presented using relevant techniques, for example digital, recorded.	<ul> <li>Exploration and understanding of the text – contextual factors.</li> <li>Review and evaluate development of acting styles and theatrical techniques</li> <li>Review and evaluate the application of acting styles and theatrical techniques</li> </ul>	