KS4 Curriculum Overview - Drama

Your child will: Create and perform in a devised piece, analyse and evaluate this process, rehearse and perform in a scripted acting exam, study a text through the eyes of a director, actor and designer, and evaluate the effectiveness of a professional performance.

Term	Year 10	Year 11
Autumn 1	• Group devised piece rehearsals • 2000 word document	• (Cont'd) Rehearsals for practical exam
Autumn 2	• (Cont'd) Group devised piece rehearsals and performance • (Cont'd) 2000 word document	• (Cont'd) Rehearsals for practical exam
Spring 1	• (Cont'd) Completion of 2000 word document • First reading of exam text • Study of professional production	• Practical acting exam • Study of exam text • Revision of professional production
Spring 2	• (Cont'd) reading of exam text • Low-stakes testing of exam responses to exam text • Low-stakes testing of exam responses to professional production	• Study of exam text • Rolling programme of sample exam responses and feedback
Summer 1	• (Cont'd) reading of exam text • (Con't) Low stakes testing of exam responses to exam text	• Study of exam text • Rolling programme of sample exam responses and feedback
Summer 2	• Issuing of scripts and rehearsals for acting exam	• GCSE Public Examinations

Through the study of drama your child will be expected to develop the following knowledge, skills and understanding:

Concept / Skill 1	Concept / Skill 2
• Team work (tolerance, leadership, compromise) • Vocal and physical skills	• Articulating analytical thought in timed conditions • Articulating evaluative opinion in timed conditions

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