

DRAMA Year 7 Curriculum End Points and Key Vocabulary

	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2
Ethos Links	STEM - Creativity, innovation, communication skills. Character - Students will learn communication skills, teamwork, respect and understanding of different characters linking to individuals within society. Learning Habit - Social – listening, communicating, planning & organising.	STEM - Short- and Long- Term memory skills, creativity, innovation, communication skills. Character – Students will develop communication skills, teamwork, appreciation for Drama, listening, evaluation and peer assessment skills. Learning Habit: Social, Cognitive – creating, imagining, innovating, making links and applying knowledge, analysis, and evaluation.	STEM - Short- and Long- Term memory skills, creativity, innovation, communication skills. Character – Students will develop communication skills, teamwork, appreciation for Drama, listening, evaluation and peer assessment skills. Learning Habit: Social, Cognitive – creating, imagining, innovating, making links and applying knowledge, analysis, and evaluation.	STEM – Analysis of a piece of drama, evaluation of a scene and its effectiveness using key words. Character – Students will learn to respect for Writer's craft and responsibility of working in groups to create pieces of drama to reflect the writing in the script. Learning Habit: Social, Cognitive, Emotional – thinking, concentrating, questioning.	STEM – Analysis of a piece of drama, evaluation of a scene and its effectiveness using key words. Creativity and innovation. Character – Students will learn about specific Drama forms (Physical Theatre), and specific techniques to reflect an understanding of performance using non- verbal communication. Learning Habit: Social, Cognitive, Emotional, Reflective – making links and applying knowledge.
ΤΟΡΙϹ	Introduction to Drama/Silent Movies	Voice & Masks	Greek Theatre	WW1/War Horse	Physical Theatre
Learning End Points	By the end of this unit students will know and understand: How to have a group discussion to create a devised performance. Learn basic non- verbal Drama skills to a devised performance.	By the end of this unit students will know and understand: ➤ Discuss positively devising ideas to create a performance. ➤ Apply knowledge of basic Drama skills.	By the end of this unit students will know and understand: Communicate positively their devising ideas to plan and create performances successfully together.	By the end of this unit students will know and understand: ➤ Communicate positively and begin to compromise devising ideas for a group performance. ➤ Begin to evaluate basic Drama skills.	By the end of this unit students will know and understand:

	 Learn how to use non-verbal communication to tell the plot, main themes, and characters. Apply non-verbal communication skills to a devised performance. 	 Learn basic vocal skill. Learn how to communicate plot, main themes, and characters within the performance. Apply basic vocal skills to a devised performance. 	 Recognise and apply basic Drama skills. Learn basic Drama techniques to create atmosphere in performance. Apply basic Drama techniques to a devised performance. Learn how to use a script or a stimulus to inspire and develop a performance. Learn how to maintain a character throughout their performance. 	 Begin to apply basic Drama techniques to enhance a performance. Apply basic Drama techniques to a scripted performance. Use a script to develop and adapt a performance. To partially maintain a character within a performance. Develop understanding of using Drama techniques to develop characterisation. 	 evaluate basic Drama skills. Apply vocal skills, Drama skills and Drama techniques to enhance a performance. Apply Drama techniques to a devised performance to enhance the themes of the performance. Use a variety of script or stimuli to inspire and develop a performance. To understand the importance of maintaining a character throughout their performance. Learn Drama techniques to develop characterisation. Learn different Drama styles to symbolise a plot.
Key Vocabulary	Body language Levels Facial expressions Gestures Spacing Non-verbal Communication Stock characters	Voice skills Canon Unison Echo Body awareness Masking	Greek Theatre Amphitheatre Chorus Still image Soundscape Physical Theatre Montage Dramatic Irony	Still image Improvisation Role-play Split stage Thoughts Aloud Hot seating	Physical Theatre Tension Soundscape Sound effects Characterisation

Mime		
Silent Movie		
Melodrama		