Drama - Years 7 to 11

	Autumn Term -		Spring Term -		Summer Term - Devising	
Year	HT1	HT2	HT3	HT4	HT5	HT6
7	TOPIC HT 1 & 2 : Understanding Drama - Key Skills:Introduction to Drama Exploration of key skills and basic explorative strategies - mime, voice, explorative strategies, movement & teamwork. Key assessments HT1: Informal baseline assessment		TOPIC HT 3 & 4: Text in Practice: Our Day Out (AO1) Exploration of a key text through performance.		TOPIC HT 5 & 6 : Devising: (AO1) Exploration of a range of basic dramatic devices and strategies in response to a range of given stimuli.	
			Key assessments end Formal filmed devised a		Key assessments H1 Informal end of unit as AO4 written self evalu	ssessment
8	TOPIC HT 1 & 2: Understanding Drama - Key Skills: Acting Skills Exploration and development of key acting skills: Voice		TOPIC HT 3 & 4: Text in Practice: Blood Brothers (AO2) Exploration of a key text through performance.		Exploration of a range and strategies in responsiven stimuli.	of dramatic devices
	Movement Gestures Status and levels Facial expressions Key assessments HT2: Informal end of unit filmed assessment		Key assessment end of Formal filmed scripted a		Key assessments H1 Informal end of unit as AO4 written self evalu	ssessment

9	TOPIC: Understanding Drama - Key Skills: Character development and Stanislavski Exploration of key theatre practitioner Stanislavski - naturalism, mood and atmosphere, building a believable character Key assessments HT2: Informal end of unit assessment		TOPIC HT 3 & 4: Text in Practice: Noughts and Crosses (AO1 & AO2) Exploration of a key text through performance.		TOPIC HT 5 & 6: Devising: (AO1 & AO2) Exploration of a range of more advanced dramatic devices and strategies in response to a range of given stimuli.		
			Key assessment end of HT4: AO1 & AO2 Formal filmed scripted assessment. Spring Term		Key assessments HT6: Informal end of unit assessment AO4 written self evaluation Summer Term		
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10	HT1 & 2 TOPIC: Introduction to Stanislavski & Brecht (AO1) Detailed exploration of Stanislavski and Brecht their style of performance Key assessments: End of HT2 - Mock devised assessment using one of the key practitioners. Full GCSE criteria AO1 &		HT3 TOPIC: Performing from a text (AO2) Mock scripted assessment following GCSE criteria Key assessments: Mock C2 scripted assessment AO2		TOPIC HT5: Exploration of set text text (AO3) Detailed exploration of set text with exam style questions. Key assessments: Ongoing written AO3 assessment in preparation for C3.		
	AO4 - C1. Mock written Ongoing AO3 assess	O4 - C1. Mock written milestones Ingoing AO3 assessment during fortnightly neory sessions in preparation for C3.		HT4 TOPIC: Artaud (AO1 & AO4) Detailed practical exploration of the practitioner Key assessments: AO1 and AO4 in response to practical work created		HT6 TOPIC: Devised assessment C1 (AO1)	

		Ongoing AO3 assessment during fortnightly theory sessions in preparation for C3.	Practical preparation begins for final C1 assessment which will take place at the start of Year 11 Key assessments: Peer assessment and feedback during rehearsal stages. Ongoing AO3 assessment during fortnightly theory sessions in preparation for C3.
11	HT1 TOPIC: C1 rehearsal and assessment of devised performances and written milestones completed. (AO1 & 4) Key assessments: C1 = 40% of GCSE examined before October ½ term. HT2 TOPIC: Set Text & Live Performance (AO3) Detailed exploration of set text with exam style questions. Review of Live Performance Key assessments: Ongoing AO3 assessment during fortnightly theory sessions in preparation for C3.	HT3 TOPIC: Scripted performance Rehearsal and preparation for scripted examined performance C2 (AO2) Key assessments: Visiting examiner to examine C2. HT4 TOPIC: Hard To Swallow Set Text (AO3) Detailed exploration of set text with exam style questions. Key assessments: Ongoing AO3 assessment in preparation for C3.	HT5 TOPIC: Hard To Swallow Set Text (AO3) Detailed exploration of set text with exam style questions. Key assessments: Ongoing AO3 assessment in preparation for C3.