

Bramhall High School - Drama

KEEP
CALM
AND
DO SOME
REVISION

Consolidation and revision

of learning

Component 2 examinations.
The performance of two key extracts of a play text to a visiting examiner.



Component 1 examination

Students will continue to

rehearse and refine their performances pieces.

Practical assessment will

take place and students write up coursework to accompany the piece.

A level -Theatre Studies

BTEC
(Need Grade 5 in Drama)
T – levels e.g. "Creative and Design"
"Media. Broadcast and Production"

Other post 16 options Apprenticeships, other A level subjects, other BTEC subjects, other training.

Component 3: Section A: DNA
Students develop their
understanding of the production
elements that they will need to
apply and evaluate on the GCSE
course. Students will study the
impact of costume, set, staging,
lighting and sound have on an
audience.

Component 3: Section A: DNA Students continue exploring 'DNA'. They will develop their knowledge and understanding of

the ways in which drama can

create meaning for an audience.



Component 1
Devising workshops.
Exploration of stimuli to create their creative intentions for their audience. whilst writing up notes in their component 1 booklets.

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Live Theatre
Pupils will also attend a live
theatre production in order to
complete a section b of their
component 3 examination.

'Ghost Walks'
Students learn different devising techniques building upon the work they have done in Year 9 creating a performance as a part of the 'ghost walks' evening'.
Students will learn how to address the portfolio questions and will write up a mock portfolio.

Introduction to drama. Students undertake an introduction to the GCSE drama course, where terminology/explorative strategies and drama mediums as relevant to the Edexcel specification. Students learn about Stanislavski, and Brecht and Berkoff. Students apply their theories and practices.



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Binge
Students explore the
issues around alcohol
abuse and use their
exploration to create a
piece of TIE to
performed with specific
creative intentions for
an audience.



Fatal Shore
Students explore the
transportation of British convicts
to Australia in the C18th using a
range of explorative strategies and
drama mediums. The issues of
crime and punishments are
discussed while practical skills are
developed.



'Blood Brothers'
Students complete group extracts,
trios, duologues and monologues
from 'Blood Brothers' based upon
the GCSE drama assessment criteria
from component2

'Girls Like That'
Student will respond to characters,
themes and ideas in the play 'Girls
Like that' to devise their own piece of
drama that explores what it means to
be a teenager and the challenges they
face.



'Curious Incident of the Dog in the night-time'
Students learn about Stanislavski and Brecht through exploring the play text of 'Curious Incident'. The SOL culminates with the students being able to create a piece in the

style of naturalism and non-

naturalism.

Urban Myths
Exploring style, genre and
developing abilities to create and
meet creative intentions when
creating practical work. Learning
about the impact lighting, sound,
props, costume and set have on an
audience.



The Terrible Fate of Humpty Dumpty'
Script skills. Creation of creative intentions. Rehearsal techniques and character development.
Students develop work based on peer feedback.

Danger is everywhere A devising scheme where students work in groups to create a performance with specific creative intentions and aims for their audience.

Heroes

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Melodrama Exploration of the theatrical style of melodrama and development of nonnaturalistic characterisation. The Stones
Exploring the theme
of responsibility and
consequences.
Ensuring students can
effectively use every
explorative strategy.



Stone Cold
Students will explore
the theme of
homelessness and
teenage issues.
Students will begin to
learn about semiotics
and the information
they give an audience.



An exploration of worldwide disasters and their impact on the people involved. In groups students create a performance that displays a greater understanding and appreciation of dramatic techniques explored during KS3 drama.

Greek Myths
Students learn
about Greek
theatre and
experiment with
the techniques in
that style.
Students explore
the dilemma
Pandora had in

the Greek Myth

and reflect upon

their own actions.

Charlie and the
Chocolate Factory
Exploration of
character and creation
of different
characterisation is
developed.

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The Holocaust Pupils will learn about the Holocaust and the people involved. Focus on empathy and real life situations linked to History.

Introduction to drama Introduction to basic drama skills/terminology and teamwork and general development of the social aspect of learning. Understanding of characterisation/devel oping a role for performance.

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Focus on the creation of mood and atmosphere. Exploration/introduction of nonnaturalistic techniques.

Darkwood Manor

Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf Students develop their abilities as a performer while exploring different interpretations of 'Little Red Riding Hood'. Students learn new drama skills and are able to begin to have creative aims for an audience.

