

Welcome to Year 11 Drama

Homework:

This will be a range of activities from quizzes to more in depth discussion forums and written assignments.

How will I be assessed?

You will be assessed in practical coursework, written coursework and a final exam:

Practical coursework (60%)

Your practical coursework assessments will comprise:

- Drama Devising and Production Log (40%)
- Texts in Practice (20%)

Written Examination (40%)

Your written exam will be divided into three sections:

- Section A: Theatre Roles & Terminology
- Section B: Set Play - *The Crucible*
- Section C: Live Theatrical performance

Topics to be covered in Year 11 are:

- **Theatre roles and terminology** – You will study the characteristics of performance texts; how meaning is interpreted and communicated; key drama and theatre terms; the roles and responsibilities of theatre practitioners e.g. lighting designer, set designer etc.
- **Practical study of *The Crucible*** – You will explore the play from a practical perspective, taking the play from the page to the stage, giving a final public performance.
- **Live theatre productions** You will see at least two practical performances and learn how to analyse and evaluate the work of live theatre makers.
- **Devised Drama** – You will create a devised theatrical performance as part of a group, performing it to an audience. You will also produce a Devising Log, detailing your research, development of ideas, rehearsals and your analysis and evaluation of the overall process.
- **Texts in practice** – You will perform two extracts from a chosen play to an audience. The play chosen cannot be the set play i.e. you won't be able to use *The Crucible*; you must choose a different play.