



ENGLISH (Drama) and PE (Dance) COMPOSITE KNOWLEDGE COVERAGE

KEY STAGE 4

Intent: PE: To challenge and further develop all learners' gross motor skills, regardless of their physical ability. At Applebee Wood we aim to follow Sports England vision 'Everyone in England regardless of age, background or ability, feels able to take part in sport or activity.

Intent: Drama (linked to English) Prompt high standards of language and literacy by equipping pupils with a strong command of the spoken and written word and develop their love for literature through widespread reading for enjoyment.

		CYCLE A - 2025-2026	CYCLE B - 2026-2027	Running throughout each cycle
Autumn	1	Basic Drama Skills (English theme – Oliver Twist) English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Basic drama skills (News English theme – magazines / websites / news) English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Cross Curricular - Topics based on the English Mapping embed learning within the spiral curriculum.
	2	Basic Drama Skills (English theme – Oliver Twist) / Applebee Wood had Talent practice PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS3 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Basic drama skills (News English theme – magazines / websites / news) PE KS4- Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS3 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	
Spring	1	Poetry PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Shakespeare: A Midsummers Night's Dream/ Romantic Poetry PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	
	2	Poetry PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Shakespeare: A Midsummers Night's Dream/ Romantic Poetry PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	

Summer	1	Drama skills (English Theme – Wonder) English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Drama skills (English Theme – Kes) PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms	
	2	Drama skills (English Theme – Wonder) English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	Drama skills (English Theme – Kes) PE KS4 - Perform dances using advanced dance techniques within a range of dance styles and forms English KS4 - Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening	