

FRAMEWORK FOR LEARNING



CREATIVE
HAPPY
SUCCESSFUL

An education where imagination, curiosity and resilience enable us to ignite our learning.

A shared belief that optimism, empathy and responsibility are the foundations for a respectful, safe and inclusive community.

Individuals who are ready to learn, practise being reflective, and are motivated to become champions.

SUBJECT DRAMA

INTENT

Our mission is to ignite creativity, uncover potential, and develop transferable skills through the arts, moulding creative, happy, and successful students at CHS South and beyond.

In an ever-changing world, drama and theatre offer the stability and creative opportunity to explore and discover in a safe and supportive environment. Studying current and historical events inspires us to develop our Local, National and Global responsibility, prompting emotional intelligence, resilience, empathy and a strong social conscience. Our students work as a drama family, they care for and support each other as they are challenged with provocative themes and questions. The centre of our ethos is that exploration through drama and theatre educates, promotes and empowers change, an ethos that is ever more important in fractious times. Drama helps develop creative, invested and passionate young people who recognise how theatre can be used to create positive change. Drama students will explore style and genre as well as developing their own acting skills through many practical performances while studying the AQA syllabus at Key Stage Four. Reviewing live theatre performances in order to develop analytical and evaluative understanding helps students expand their own opinions and can even challenge prejudice. Students become skilled at breaking down theatre to create meaning and subtext which then empowers their own practical performances.



YEAR 11 YEAR GROUP Students prepare for their 20% scripted performance that will be examined by an outside examiner. Students will learn two extracts of script from the same RATIONAL / play, explain their intentions and perform both pieces in front of a live audience. Students will revise using example papers, repetition and practical NARRATIVE performance in order to be best prepared for their exam. **TERM AUTUMN 1** AUTUMN 2 **SPRING 1** SPRING 2 KNOWLEDGE Component 2 - Text in **Component 2- Text in** Component Set Text and Job Roles Practice Practice 2/Component 1 in The Theatre. Knowledge and Rehearsal Text in Practice understanding of Rehearsal Performances Drama and Theatre. Rehearsal of two **Rehearsal of two** Performance of two Study of one set play. extracts from extracts from extracts from Analysis and published scripts, published scripts, evaluation of the work published scripts, assessed by external assessed by external assessed by external of live theatre makers examiner from AQA. examiner from AQA. examiner from AQA. Texts in Practice: Texts in Practice: **Texts in Practice:** Understanding Drama Section A – Multiple choice: AO3: AO2: Apply theatrical AO2: Apply theatrical AO2: Apply theatrical skills to realise artistic skills to realise artistic skills to realise artistic Demonstrate intentions in live intentions in live intentions in live knowledge and performance. performance. performance. understanding of how drama and theatre is developed and Performed **Understanding Drama** Section B – Set Text Study of one set play from a choice of six.

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Set Text and Job Roles

in The Theatre.

Knowledge and

Analysis and

understanding of

Drama and Theatre.

Study of one set play.

evaluation of the work

of live theatre makers

Section B – Set Text

Study of one set play

Performed and AO4: Analyse and evaluate

Understanding Drama:

Section C- Live Theatre

Production Review:

AO3: Demonstrate

understanding of how

knowledge and



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SKILLS	Component 3: Texts in practice: Draw on and demonstrate a practical understanding of the subject content listed in Understanding Drama. Develop ability to interpret texts, create and communicate meaning, realise artistic intention in text-based drama.	Component 3: Texts in practice: Draw on and demonstrate a practical understanding of the subject content listed in Understanding Drama. Develop ability to interpret texts, create and communicate meaning, realise artistic intention in text-based drama.	Component 3: Texts in practice: Draw on and demonstrate a practical understanding of the subject content listed in Understanding Drama. Develop ability to interpret texts, create and communicate meaning, realise artistic intention in text-based drama.	drama and theatre is developed and Performed and AO4: Analyse and evaluate their own work and the work of others. Component 1: Revision: Developing knowledge and understanding of the characteristics and context of the whole play Exploring ideas for how the play may be interpreted practically. Understanding Drama : Characteristics of performance text(s) and dramatic work(s). Social, cultural and historical contexts How meaning is interpreted and communicated Drama and theatre terminology and how to use it appropriately The roles and responsibilities of theatre makers in contemporary professional	their own work and the work of others. Component 1: Revision: Developing knowledge and understanding of the characteristics and context of the whole play. Exploring ideas for how the play may be interpreted practically. Understanding Drama: Characteristics of performance text(s) and dramatic work(s). Social, cultural and historical contexts How meaning is interpreted and communicated Drama and theatre terminology and how to use it appropriately The roles and responsibilities of theatre makers in
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ASSESSMENT Ome learning	Marking Point 1: Practical Mock Assessment C3 Marking Point 2: finalised devising logs/performances Learning Lines for Component Three Research Component Three Revision of Blood Brothers	Marking Point 1: Marking of questions in books C1 Marking Point 2: CEE full C1 exam Revision tasks and exam practice questions in prep for CEE Theatrical terminology. Theatrical Skills. Job Roles in the	Marking Point 1: Mock performance feedback Marking Point 2: Practical Assessment by AQA Learning lines and statement of dramatic intent	Marking Point 1: Mock Feb C1 Exam Marking Point 2: Revision Questions and Past Papers Revision tasks and exam practice questions. Theatrical terminology. Theatrical Skills. Job Roles in the Industry.	Marking Point 1:Revision Questions andPapersMarking Point 2:Revision Questions andPapersRevision tasks andexam practicequestions.Theatrical terminology.Theatrical Skills.Job Roles in theIndustry.
READING, /RITING, TALK, NUMERACY	 Reading for interpretation of character. How meaning is interpreted and communicated Relationships between performers and audience Performers' vocal interpretation of character such as accent, volume, pitch, timing, pace, intonation, phrasing, emotional range, delivery of 	 Industry. Evaluation and Analysis exam tasks. Reading for interpretation of character. How meaning is interpreted and communicated Relationships between performers and audience Performers' vocal interpretation of character such as accent, volume, pitch, timing, pace, intonation, phrasing, emotional range, delivery of 	Reading for interpretation of character. How meaning is interpreted and communicated Relationships between performers and audience Performers' vocal interpretation of character such as accent, volume, pitch, timing, pace, intonation, phrasing, emotional range, delivery of	 Evaluation and Analysis exam tasks. Reading and writing to revise. Extended writing Evaluative writing Descriptive writing Analytic writing Writing and performing Identifying and recreating exam structure. From Stage to page communication through explicit reference to acting skills. Re-enforcing key words and 	 Evaluation and Analysis exam tasks. Reading and writing to revise. Extended writing Evaluative writing Descriptive writing Analytic writing Writing and performing Identifying and recreating exam structure. From Stage to page communication through explicit reference to acting skills. Re-enforcing key words and
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TIER 2 Vocabulary	 such as build, age, height, facial features, movement, posture, gesture, facial expression. Writing to Analyse and Evaluate through revision material and question papers. Role Perform Create Choose Justify 	 such as build, age, height, facial features, movement, posture, gesture, facial expression. Writing to Analyse and Evaluate through revision material and question papers. Role Perform Create Choose Justify 	 such as build, age, height, facial features, movement, posture, gesture, facial expression. Writing to Analyse and Evaluate through revision material and question papers. Evaluate Justify Analyse Role 	 evaluation and discussion. Analyse Evaluate Outline Describe 	 evaluation and discussion. Analyse Evaluate Outline Describe
TIER 3 Vocabulary	 Stage positioning: Upstage (left, right, center) Downstage (left, right, center) Centre stage. Staging configuration: Theatre in the round Proscenium arch Thrust stage Traverse End on staging Promenade. 	 Stage positioning: Upstage (left, right, center) Downstage (left, right, center) Centre stage. Staging configuration: Theatre in the round Proscenium arch Thrust stage Traverse End on staging Promenade. 	 Stage positioning: Upstage (left, right, center) Downstage (left, right, center) Centre stage. Staging configuration: Theatre in the round Proscenium arch Thrust stage Traverse End on staging Promenade. 	 Roles: Playwright Performer Understudy Lighting designer Sound designer Set designer Costume designer Puppet designer Technician Director Stage manager Theatre manager. 	 Comedy Tragedy Melodrama Commedia dell'arte Naturalism Epic theatre Documentary theatre Physical theatre. Character motivation and interaction Atmosphere Pace and rhythm Dramatic climax Stage directions The practical demands of the text.



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	identity within a	identity within a	identity within a	variety of themes,	variety of themes,	
VALUES AND	community. Identifying	community. Identifying	community. Identifying	social, moral and	social, moral and	
	needs and motivations	needs and motivations	needs and motivations	spiritual inferences	spiritual inferences	
DIVERSITY	of people from a	of people from a	of people from a	through understanding	through understanding	
	variety of backgrounds.	variety of backgrounds.	variety of backgrounds.	and interpretation of	and interpretation of	
	Cross cultural and	Cross cultural and	Cross cultural and	theatre.	theatre.	
	social collaboration.	social collaboration.	social collaboration.			
	Ability to learn from a	Ability to learn from a	Ability to learn from a			
	variety of themes,	variety of themes,	variety of themes,			
	social, moral and	social, moral and	social, moral and			
	spiritual inferences	spiritual inferences	spiritual inferences			
	through understanding	through understanding	through understanding			
	and interpretation of	and interpretation of	and interpretation of			
	theatre.	theatre.	theatre.			