



7th September 2026

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am pleased to announce that the Drama Department is continuing to offer students the opportunity to take LAMDA Acting examinations.

LAMDA Acting examinations are designed to develop important life skills such as clear communication, self-confidence and teamwork through the creative platform of Drama. They provide students with an opportunity to develop their performance, vocal and physical skills, creativity and self-esteem. LAMDA qualifications are nationally recognised and regulated by Ofqual.

This opportunity is open to all students in all year groups.

All students interested in taking LAMDA examinations are welcome to attend our general LAMDA Club, which takes place every Friday lunchtime in A1. During these sessions, students will have the opportunity to explore the LAMDA qualification, choose suitable examination pieces and rehearse their performances.

Students will initially be placed on a waiting list for individual coaching. Once a coaching space becomes available, students will receive one-to-one coaching with me once a fortnight. Coaching sessions will last 15 minutes for students taking a solo examination and 20 minutes for students taking a duologue examination.

As students complete their LAMDA examinations, their coaching spaces will become available for other students. Priority for these spaces will be given to students who regularly attend LAMDA Club on Fridays and demonstrate commitment and enthusiasm towards their preparation.

All LAMDA Club sessions and coaching are free of charge. However, students will be required to pay the relevant examination fee. The cost will depend on the level of examination being taken but starts at approximately £55-£60.

This is a wonderful opportunity for students to develop their confidence, performance skills and love of Drama, while working towards a nationally recognised qualification.

Kind regards,

Mrs. M. Bell

Head of Performing Arts and Extracurricular Lead