



## Drama – Y8 Terms 5 and 6

### What are we learning this half term?

Students will be studying *Much Ado About Nothing*. They will be developing their use of movement, voice and audience awareness. Students will be developing their teamwork skills by working in groups to devise scenes based on the play. Students will be focusing on how comedy is created in the play.

### Resources you can use at home

Revise your knowledge of the plot and characters in *Much Ado About Nothing* using BBC Bitesize - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/znkdmp3>

Watch this summary of the play - <https://www.shakespeare.org.uk/explore-shakespeare/shakespedia/shakespeares-plays/much-ado-about-nothing/>

### Optional home learning tasks

- Design a set for a production of *Much Ado About Nothing*.
- Design costumes for the characters in *Much Ado About Nothing*.
- Research previous productions of *Much Ado About Nothing* - <https://www.rsc.org.uk/much-ado-about-nothing/>