

Subject: Drama

Key Stage	Low Stakes Quiz	Cultural Capital	Practice	Flipped	Frequency
3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
4	✗	✓	✓	✗	Once a fortnight
5	✗	✓	✓	✓	Once a week

Subject Homework Rationale

Key Stage 4

The aim of Drama homework is to consolidate the learning that takes place in the lesson or to prepare for learning in the following sequence of lessons. Homework often takes the form of: line learning, research, rehearsal and analysis and evaluation of professional work. At various times throughout the year students will be expected to rehearse outside of the lessons both individually and in groups. This may include: improvising, rehearsing and refining work whilst preparing for internal and external practical assessments.

Key Stage 5

An aim of Drama homework and independent study at Key Stage 5 is to consolidate knowledge and skills developed within lessons. Therefore, homework might include completing exam questions to consolidate exam skills, and revision for in-class tests/mock exams. Outside of lessons, rehearsals are a part of homework where students work both individually and in groups for exam preparation.

A further aim of homework is preparation for future lessons. Students may be required to research a particular area of content, a professional company, practitioners or the social, cultural and historical context of a particular play. They may also be asked to watch online videos or read articles on the set texts, in order to prepare for an upcoming lesson. This will enable more in-depth discussions, analysis, application and evaluation of research to take place within lessons.

Students will also be encouraged to conduct wider reading around the topics that are covered in class to increase cultural capital and build schema.