

Drama and Theatre Studies

It is possible to follow the AS / A level course without previous study at GCSE. A 'C' grade or above in English is essential due to the analytical content of the course.

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The course is an exciting combination of workshop drama, text analysis, stage direction, an appreciation of live theatre, and the ability to perform an eclectic range of roles.

Aims of the course

- to encourage, develop and promote understanding and skills in Drama through the study and performing of plays
- to nurture the dramatic and technical elements involved in theatre.
- explore theory and practise through textual analysis and performance
- develop problem solving, collaborative learning and communication as key skills
- study the relationship between drama, theatre and society
- to encourage candidates to become informed members of a theatre audience.

The course covers various texts:

- for performance in performance workshops
- for directional analysis
- plays for written paper

The study of key theatre practitioners e.g :

- Stanislavski
- Artaud
- Brecht
- Berkoff



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