

GCSE Drama



Structure

Eduqas GCSE Drama

Component 1
Devising Theatre

40%

Component 2
Performing from a
Text

20%

Component 3
Interpreting
Theatre

40%

Component 1: Devising Theatre



- Completed in Year 10.
 - Devised performance/design with a written portfolio and written evaluation.
 - 30 marks for portfolio, 15 marks for performance/design and 15 marks for evaluation.

 - You will be given a choice of 4 different stimuli and a specific practitioner or style to work with.
 - Marked by your Drama teacher.
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Component 2: Performing from a Text

- Completed in Year 11.
- A full performance or design.

- You will be a script to study, and you will perform/design for two extracts.
- Marked by an external examiner who will watch your performances live.



Component 3: Interpreting Theatre

- Completed in Year 11.
- Written exam.

- Section A (45 Marks): Study of a set text (Noughts and Crosses).
- Section B (15 marks): Study of a live theatre performance.



Perform or Design?

In Component 1 and 2, you can be practically assessed as either:

- Performer
- Costume, Hair and Make Up Designer
- Lighting Designer
- Sound Designer
- Set Designer



Would I be Suitable for the Course?

People who are suitable for the course need to be:

- Creative
- Work well in teams
- Have a passion for performing and design
- Willing to rehearse after school
- Able to learn lines without a script
- Sufficient in writing to showing analysis and evaluation



Contact

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