## **DRAMA GCSE**

# **OPTION SUBJECT**

## **Exam Board: Edexcel**

#### **Course Overview**

The course is very practical and written work reflects and evaluates the practical work produced. We look at devising, script work, performance and other elements of Drama.

### **Course Breakdown**

Performance skills Devising pieces Different theme projects Exploring scripts Performing scripts Different styles of drama Key skills Using and responding to different drama stimuli Using drama strategies, elements and mediums Evaluating own and others work

#### Assessment

Internal:	Unit 1 Coursework 30%
	Unit 2 Coursework 30%
External:	Unit 3 Performance
	(Scripted/devised or performance
	support) 40%



### **Coursework Requirements**

Two different projects lasting 6 weeks will be completed comprising of practical work and written coursework. These take place in the first term of year 11. The Performance takes place in April/May of year 11.



# Qualities needed for success in the course:

Enthusiasm in drama Working well with others Imagination ,creativity and focus A willingness to perform in front of an audience An ability to reflect on your own and others work

**Possible paths in Post 16**: BTEC Performing Arts. BTEC Production Arts.