

Drama GCSE – Introduction to the course



Why should you select the course?





What does the course involve?

- The subject content for GCSE Drama is divided into three components:

Unit of Study	How it's assessed	Percentage of your final grade
Understanding drama	Written exam – 1 hour 45 minutes	40% of total grade
Devising drama	Practical – devising log and devising performance	40% of total grade
Text in practice	Practical – Performer, set designer, sound technician or costume designer	20% of total grade

In summary



- This is the course for you if you're imaginative, creative, practical and you enjoy working as part of a group.
- 60% of the course is assessed with course work, allowing you more control over developing and refining your final work. This might appeal to you if you're someone who is well organised but wants to avoid some of the pressures of formal, written exams under timed conditions.
- If you're looking to develop transferable skills, that will be useful in any career choice, then this is the path for you.

To find out more...



- Speak to Ms Bloxham-Cole or Mr Pitfield

- Visit:

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/drama/gcse/drama-8261>