

Subject: Performing Arts

Head of Faculty: Mrs Cordwell

GCSE

Exam Board:
AQA

Course Description

The GCSE allows students the opportunity to work on learning and developing both new and existing skills in a range of performance disciplines which are performance and technically based.

Students explore areas such as acting, singing, dancing, music, stage makeup, masks, marketing and publicity, lighting, costume, props and set design.

The course incorporates coursework and portfolio work that is internally and externally moderated. This includes written coursework which is moderated alongside the practical work.



Assessment

Unit 1 48801 Skills development = 60% portfolio evidence controlled assessment 70 marks

Unit 2 48802 Showcase performance= 40% Externally set brief- internally marked 60marks.

Subject Teachers

Mrs Cordwell (Head of Faculty)

Higher Education Courses/Careers

Sixth Form: AS/A2 Level Drama & Theatre Studies
AS/A2 Level Drama
BTEC Subsidiary/ Diploma in Performing Arts

Performing Arts can be studied with a variety of other subjects at university.

Careers where this course may be useful are for any career in the Performing Arts Industry ranging from a Performer on the stage to a lighting technician. It is a very versatile course that allows students the opportunity

2013 BTEC Performing Arts	100% A*-C
2012 BTEC Performing Arts	100% A*-C

to explore various options career wise.

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