



DRAMA



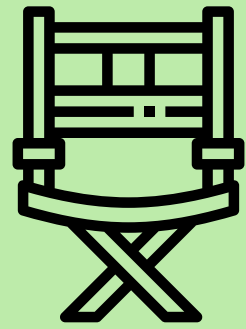
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In the Drama Department we provide opportunities for students to develop their skill, interest and knowledge in all aspects of Drama performance and theatre arts. All students are expected to perform to audiences including their peers and teacher, and to attend professional theatre productions as part of their study.

NATIONAL 4&5

In National 4 and 5 Drama, students will complete units of work in Drama Skills (devising and performing) and Production Skills (knowledge and application of theatre arts). National 4 students will also complete an Added Value performance Unit. National 5 students will perform one piece to a visiting examiner and sit a final written exam.



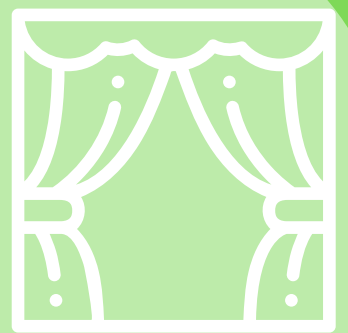
HIGHER

In Higher Drama, students will complete units of work in Drama Skills (devising and performing) and Production Skills (knowledge and application of theatre arts) at a more advanced level. Higher students will perform two pieces to a visiting examiner and sit a final written exam. It is helpful for students to be studying Higher English.



MUSICAL THEATRE & ACTING

Throughout the year, students will prepare a series of performances in the elements of singing, acting and dancing. Although support will be given on choice of pieces, students must rehearse in their own time. Students will also study the roles within performance as well as different types of performance styles



CAREER PATHWAYS

Acting and Performance; Directing, Event Management, Public Relations, TV and Radio Presenting, Drama Therapy, Teacher, Lighting or Sound Technician, Costume Designer, Set Design, Community Arts work, Stage Management, Casting Agent .



[More information is available here within our Senior School Course Choice Booklet](#)

[SQA link to Drama](#)

[SQA link to Musical Theatre](#)

