Year 13	Autumn 1 & 2	Spring 1 & 2	Summer 1	Summer 1 & 2
	Component 2: Text in Practice  Scripted performance  What will be learnt?	Play Study Equus and/or Lysistrata* For Equus please see year 12 What will be learnt?	Live Performance Review Section A: Live Theatre Evaluation  What will be learnt?	Revision off all aspects of Component three.
	Pupils will complete their final Component 2: Text in Practice.  A group performance: This part is a teacher directed performance where pupils will be cast and directed in a performance. Play choices will be chosen unique to the class.  A monologue or duologue:	Practical exploration and interpretation of another complete performance text, in light of a chosen theatre practitioner – focusing on how this text could be reimagined for a contemporary audience.  Year 12/13 will be working on Lysistrata and studying Brecht.  Why will it be learnt?	Students answer one extended response question from a choice of two requiring them to analyse and evaluate a live theatre performance they have seen in light of a given statement. Students are allowed to bring in theatre evaluation notes of up to a maximum of 500 words.  Why will it be learnt?	
	This part is a student lead performance where they will be assisted in finding a monologue or duologue and supported in the staging of it.  Why will it be learnt?  In preparation for the completion of component two	<ul> <li>Studying this text allows student to creatively justify their directorial ideas and apply their own interpretation to the Greek play.</li> <li>The exposure to the practitioner widens the students dramatic experience and the opportunity to study</li> </ul>	Students will reflect on their experience as an informed member of an audience at a live theatre performance, enabling them to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of performance through analysis and evaluation. When choosing a performance, the following	
	<ul> <li>To use dramatic methods to explore social, cultural and historical issues</li> <li>To work collaboratively as an ensemble</li> </ul>	the original performance conditions increases their subject knowledge.  • Section C of the written exam	criteria should be taken into consideration.  • While both amateur and professional productions are acceptable, it is not acceptable to evaluate the work of other	

- To work towards a given aim and intention
- To work as an ensemble
- To experience what it would be like to work as part of professional performance
- To take instruction

#### Skills developed?

To be an actor, a director a choreographer and a designer.

- · learn how to commit dialogue to memory for devised performances and/or learn text they are performing for text-based performances
- develop the ability to interpret and/or create and perform a character as appropriate to the demands of the performance
- · develop a range of vocal skills and techniques eq clarity of diction, inflection, accent, intonation and phrasing; pace, pause and timing; projection, pitch; emotional range; song and/or choral speaking
- · develop a range of physical skills and techniques eg movement, body language, posture, gesture, gait, coordination, stillness, timing, control; facial expression; eye contact, listening, expression of mood; spatial awareness; interaction with other performers; dance and choral movement
- develop an appropriate performer/audience relationship and ensure sustained engagement throughout the performance
- · adopt the latest safe working practices.

## Skills developed?

Research skills Independent critical thinking Historical contexts Practical exploration Extended writing Creativity

- •the ability to recognise and understand the interrelationship between performer, designer and director
- the understanding that texts and extracts studied may represent a range of social, historical and cultural contexts
- the ability to analyse and evaluate their work and the work of others
- the ability to understand how performance texts can be interpreted and performed.

## How will learning be assessed?

Written examination: 2 hours 30 minutes 40% of the qualification 80 marks

Section C: Interpreting a **Performance Text** 

• 24 marks, assessing AO3.

students for this assessment.

- The live theatre performance cannot be a performance text that is on the prescribed list of this specification.
- It should ideally demonstrate a range of production elements e.g. costume, set, sound, and lighting.
- The production should present opportunities for students to discuss the work of key theatre makers, for example directors, performers and designers.
- The production must provide opportunities for students to use a subject-specific vocabulary

# Skill Developed?

- interpreting, analysing and evaluating the work of various theatre makers
- forming critical judgements about live theatre, based on their understanding of drama and theatre
- analysing the ways in which different performance and production elements are brought together to create theatre
- using of subject-specific terminology in a range of contexts.

apply knowledge and understanding		
when making, performing and	How will learning be	
responding to drama		
<ul> <li>explore performance texts,</li> </ul>	assessed?	
understanding their social, cultural		
and historical context including the	20 marks, assessing AOA	
theatrical conventions of the period	20 marks, assessing AO4.	
in which they were created		
	How does it link to A Level	
develop a range of theatrical skills		
and apply them to create	drama?	
performance		
<ul> <li>work collaboratively to generate,</li> </ul>	Component 2. Theatre	
develop and communicate ideas	Component 3: Theatre	
<ul> <li>develop as creative, effective,</li> </ul>	Makers in Practice, Section	
independent and reflective students	A: Live Performance Review	
who are able to make informed	A. Live i enormance Neview	
choices in process and performance		
contribute as an individual to a		
theatrical performance		
reflect on and evaluate their own		
work and that of others		
develop an awareness and		
understanding of the roles and		
processes undertaken in		
contemporary professional theatre		
practice		
<ul> <li>adopt safe working practices.</li> </ul>		
How will learning be		
assessed?		
assesseu:		
AO2 is assessed. Externally		
assessed by a visiting		
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examiner.		
Croup performance/design		
Group performance/design		
realisation: worth 36 marks.		
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Monologue or		
duologue/design realisation:		
worth 24 marks. Pearson		
Edexcel Level 3 Advanced		
GCE in Drama and Theatre		
<ul> <li>Specification</li> </ul>		
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How does it link to A Level		
drama?		

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Component 2: Texts in Practice		