

Drama

Award: GCSE

Board: WJEC

Structure of the Examination

Component 1: Devising Theatre (40%)

Students will participate in the creation, development and performance of a piece of devised theatre using the techniques of an influential theatre practitioner or genre, in response to stimulus set by WJEC.

Component 2: Performing from a Text (20%)

Students study two extracts from a scripted text and participate in a performance.

Component 3: Interpreting Theatre (40%)

Students will take a written examination where they will have to answer questions on a set text they have studied and also will have to write a live theatre review of a production that they will have seen.

Assessment Methods

60% of the GCSE Drama course is practical.

40% of the GCSE Drama course is a written examination.