

## **Curriculum Summary Document**

## Year 9 Drama

Module/Unit of Learning	Term Taught	What will students learn?	How will this build a broad and strong foundation?	Links to other subjects
Dulce Et Decorum Est	1	A range of techniques: Canon, unison, narration, movement skills	Component 2 - Script Work	English - fluency and comprehension
Frantic Assembly Chair Duets		<ul> <li>Exploration of Key theatre practitioners - Frantic Assembly</li> <li>Devising techniques</li> <li>Movement techniques</li> <li>How to make their work more visually interesting</li> </ul>	Component 1 - Devised Component 2 - Scripted Practitioner knowledge.	
White Horses - HfC Showcase		<ul> <li>The students will work with a professional theatre practitioner</li> <li>Develop their devising skills</li> <li>Explore a range of skills and techniques</li> <li>Physical and vocal skills</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>problem solving</li> <li>They will perform in front of 650 people at the Hall for Cornwall on a professional stage.</li> <li>Transferable skills</li> <li>They will learn about local stories in a practical and fun way.</li> </ul>	Building a variety of Drama skills building techniques into their practice. This is accessible and fun!  These lessons will result in a professional standard performance to be performed at the Hall for Cornwall in front of a large paying audience.  They will also perform it to the local WI group in Newlyn strengthening the reputation of the school in the local community.  Raise the profile of Drama within the school and the wider community	
Exploration of a script  Either: Curious Incident of the dog in the nighttime or 'Let Him Have it'	4	<ul> <li>They will work in small groups and as a whole group ensemble</li> <li>They will explore vocal and physical techniques</li> <li>They will explore staging as a powerful tool to convey meaning to the audience.</li> <li>They will learn how to create tension on stage.</li> <li>They will explore their own thoughts and feelings related to the Derek Bentley capital punishment case.</li> </ul>	Component 2 - Script work  Learning lots of techniques including those that they will write about in Component 3  Builds empathy  Looking at different practitioners approaches to work - component 1, 2 & 3	English RSHE History