

Drama and Theatre

A-LEVEL

EXAM BOARD EDUQAS

ASSESSMENT

COURSE CONTENT

Component 1: Theatre Workshop

Students will create, develop and perform a piece of theatre based on a reinterpretation of an extract chosen by the examination board. The piece will use the techniques and working methods of either an influential theatre practitioner or a recognised theatre company.

Component 2: Text in action

Students will create, develop and perform two pieces of theatre based on a stimulus supplied by the examination board. One will use different techniques and working methods of either an influential theatre practitioner or a recognised theatre company (as chosen in Component 1) and one will use an extract from a text in a different style chosen by the student.

Component 3: Text in Performance

Students will demonstrate knowledge and understanding of two different texts, one written pre-1956 and one written post-1956. They will also be required to answer questions on a specified extract from 'The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time', Mark Hadden, adapted by Simon Stephens

Component	Assessment	Duration	Weighting
1. Theatre Workshop	Practical	N/A	20%
2. Text in Action	Practical	N/A	40%
3. Text in Performance	Written	2 hours 30 minutes	40%

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

A Level Drama and Theatre will prepare you for specialist Drama and Theatre courses in higher education.

It also provides an excellent foundation for students to pursue careers in Acting, Performing Arts, Community Arts Worker, Theatre Director and Teaching.

The course also compliments studies in Music, English Language and Media Studies.

