

## YEAR 10 PERFORMING ARTS:

### SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will be finishing work towards **Unit 2**, where they have developed and demonstrated knowledge and understanding of the skills and techniques needed to create and refine original work in the performing arts. This unit will be completed through performance or production. After this, students will start on **Unit 1** where they will gain a holistic knowledge and understanding of the skills and techniques needed to reproduce an existing piece(s) of a professional/published piece of work.

## YEAR 10 DRAMA:

### SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will finalise their performance based on Brecht for Component 1, which is worth 40% of the final mark. They will complete a timed written evaluation which will also go towards their grade. After this the set work 'Noughts and Crosses' will be studied.

## YEAR 10 ART:

### SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will continue to develop a personal and meaningful response to the theme of **Natural Forms** through Ceramics
- Students will research ceramic artists of interest for inspiration that make explicit connections, where appropriate, between the different elements of Natural Forms while refining skills when working with clay
- This element of the coursework unit enables students to present personal, imaginative final outcomes that, together with selective evidence of thinking and production processes, effectively realise their stated intentions and demonstrate critical understanding of visual, tactile and, where appropriate, other forms of communication

### LIKELY HOMEWORK TASKS

- Considering different presentational formats and selecting the most appropriate for the submission
- Annotating and responding to the work of artists and their own work
- Creating Visual Mood-Boards of ideas and concepts
- Observational work exploring a variety of drawing techniques
- Media development
- Attendance to SPA sessions

**YEAR 10 GCSE MUSIC:  
SPRING TERM TOPICS**

- Students will be exploring Area of Study:1 Musical Forms and devices, and Area of Study 4: Pop Music

**YEAR 10 MUSIC TECHNOLOGY:  
SPRING TERM TOPICS**

- Will still be completing their Unit 2 Compositions and will start their Unit 1 Sequencing task

**HOMEWORK**

Homework set during these topics will consolidate the students' learning in class.