

YEAR 11 PERFORMING ARTS:

SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will prepare for Unit 2 'The Showcase' through research and development of an original piece of work in a group as either a performer or designer. This Unit will be completed by the end of this term and is worth 30% of the final mark.

YEAR 11 DRAMA:

SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will finalise their performance for Component 2 which is worth 20% of the final mark comprising of two extracts from a published play as either an actor or designer. After this the set work 'War Horse' will be studied ready for Component 3 which is the written exam

YEAR 11 ART:

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- Students will receive the Externally Set Brief
- This component represents the culmination of students' GCSE study and provides both focus and challenge. Students are required to develop a personal response to one of a varied range of stimuli within specified time constraints
- Students must therefore bring together the best of their understanding, knowledge and skills built up over their course of study and demonstrate their highest achievement through this externally set assignment
- The Externally Set Assignment materials consist of a series of assignments based on themes, visual stimuli and written briefs set by WJEC
- Students are required to select one of the set assignments and develop it in the form of a personal response

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 11 MUSIC GCSE:

SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will be revising and consolidating their knowledge of all prior learning in preparation for their Component 3 exam in the Summer

YEAR 11 MUSIC TECHNOLOGY:

SPRING TERM TOPICS

- Students will be completing their evaluations for Unit 1 and starting their final Unit - Recording Music

HOMEWORK

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