



St Benet Biscop Catholic Academy Drama Department

ST BENET BISCOP CATHOLIC ACADEMY

We believe that students should have access to a broad and ambitious Drama curriculum, which embeds skills and knowledge of the theatre and performance process, which allows them to develop a love of the performance arts. Our drama curriculum will give students the opportunity to:

- develop core transferable skills that underpin successful drama
- devise creative and imaginative performance
- apply a range of conventions and styles to structure innovative performance
- interpret and perform a range of existing scripts applying their own artistic vision
- develop written evaluative skills embedded with subject specific language
- appreciate live performance
- participate in a range of performance genres, through performance and technical support
- design imaginative set, costume, music, lights, make up and props to enhance performance
- understand the process of planning, rehearsing and reviewing performance
- in talk, articulate and express their ideas, views and opinions about a wide range of topics and issues clearly, confidently and respectfully
- develop their individual character, including their confidence, resilience and independence contributing positively to the life of the school
- explore contemporary issues, in a safe and environment
- empathise and engage with others outside their own social, cultural and historical setting



Devising – a definition

To CREATE a drama from a STIMULUS by working collaboratively co-operatively critically creatively

And so develop a drama for presenting to an audience.

