

## GCSE Drama

**Equivalent to one GCSE A\* - G**  
**40% Written Examination**  
**60% Practical Assessment**

If you enjoyed Drama in Years 7, 8 and 9, and you want to gain a formal qualification in the subject GCSE Drama the make sure this one of your options.

You will have the opportunity to work on a range of different practical coursework areas which include Devised Work, Acting, Improvisation, Theatre in Education and Physical Theatre. This will be 60% of your overall grade.

You will also demonstrate your knowledge and understanding of drama skills through a sequence of written tasks in an exam. The areas you will write about include: practical work completed during the course, study and performance of a scripted play and study of a live theatre production seen.

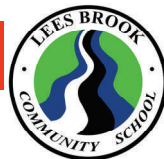
This will be 40% of your overall grade.

Much of the course (and your grade) is based on practical work, or your written reflection on that work. To be successful in this course you will need to be interested in performance, well organised and committed to working with others, and have the confidence to perform in a range of situations.

You can go on to do A Levels in Performing Arts and Drama. A career in Theatre, film and television in front or behind the cameras. Also a behind the scenes career in media such as journalism. Any job where confidence and personal presentation skills are a requirement.

“This course helps build confidence which you can use in many different careers. You get to work with different people and perform your work”

Please see a member of the Drama Department for more information



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