Drama Progression Model

Year	Knowing Watching, Analysing & Evaluating Drama and Live Performance, Subject Knowledge and Context.	Performing Developing skills to perform pre-existing and original dramatic works from a script in a range of different styles.	Creating Devising original drama and dramatic ideas in a range of styles using Dramatic Conventions.
7	 How to work safely in Drama Identify Physical skills used in Drama – Facial Expressions, Eye Contact, Movement, Posture, Interactions & Gate. Identify Vocal skills used in Drama – Volume, Emphasis, Tone, Accent, Pitch, Emotion. Understand Roles and Responsibilities of the Actor and Director in Drama. Identify the key elements on a script. Understand different stage positions. Understand the context and conventions of Chinese Theatre, French Mime & African Storytelling. 	 Perform a still image to show characters different from themselves. Have an awareness of the audience. Project the voice clearly Make use of physical and vocal skills when performing. Work in a group to fulfil a successful performance outcome. 	 Create short role-plays for given characters or storylines. Create appropriate staging. Create imaginative characters for performances. Make use of still image, mime, soundscape and other appropriate dramatic conventions within devised dramatic work.
8	 Link specific Dramatic conventions to theatre through the ages. Identify different stage types. Identify and evaluate different styles of theatre through the ages. Identify the difference between Naturalism and Non-Naturalism. 	 Perform in front of the class using given Dramatic Techniques. Perform work that demonstrates research and educates an audience. Perform extended drama with multiple scenes. Learn lines for performance. Demonstrate appropriate physical and vocal skills within performance. 	 Create work with more than one scene from given scenarios. Create work that draws upon learned techniques from studied topics. Create work that continues from a given plot and/or narrative. Use dramatic techniques creatively to show symbolism in work.

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- Understand what is meant by a stimulus.
- Understand what is meant by a target audience.
- Understand the importance of Shakespeare and his plays.
- Identify key Shakespeare plays and their stories.
- Describe and evaluate why different dramatic techniques might be appropriate for characters or scenarios.
- Understand how symbolism can be created in drama.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of theatre on stage when conveying a message.

- Perform short scripted performances adhering to stage directions and dialogue accurately.
- Learn extended sections of script for performance.
- Perform convincing character that are appropriate for plays using Physical and Vocal skills accurately.
- Make use of Costume, Set, Light and Sound to create atmosphere in performance.

- Work as part of a group to create a piece of drama from a given stimulus.
- Create unique and individual plot and narrative as part of a group.
- Effectively use symbolism through dramatic techniques within Devised work.
- Create extended work that has a complete and satisfactory narrative.