

## DRAMA CLUB

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Levels B1, B2, C1, C2



### Learning goals

The aim of this club is to explore many aspects of drama – theatre games, voice, movement and body work as well as improvisation, in order to present a final piece of work in front of an audience. This could take many forms – a piece devised by the group, or small groups, or a selection of scenes/sketches/short plays around a chosen theme. Students could also write scenes and dialogues themselves.

### Learning objectives

Through this work, students will increase their confidence in speaking English, and improve their pronunciation, diction and intonation. They will become aware of their body and of the role that body language plays in communication. They will improve their public speaking, active listening, and theatre skills. By working together, they will need to develop skills of cooperation. They will need to develop empathy, in order to play different roles, and understand a character or an author's perspective. They will have many opportunities to explore their creativity, and will need to adapt to different demands.

### Course expectations

No previous acting experience is necessary, but a desire to participate is a must! This work is team-orientated, so commitment is necessary.

Club members will organise the event, designing and building the set, setting up lights and sourcing costumes and props as well as publicising and recording the event.

Students will be expected to rehearse for homework, and learn their lines for the final performance.

**Assessment** will be based on participation (25%), progress in theatrical and communicative skills (25%), cooperative skills (25%), and performance (25%).