A-Level Drama Course & Assessment Overview

Below is an outline of the Eduqas A-Level Drama & Theatre course, detailing what you will be studying when.

Topics below in GREEN are those that are completed towards your A-Level award.

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| **Term** | **Year 12** | | **Year 13** |
| Autumn 1 | Theatre History & Monologues  Introduction to independent research & practical skills of A-Level course.  **Internal Assessment** | | Component 3: Post-1956 Text *‘Accidental Death…’*  Introduce 2nd set text – plot & context.  Practical exploration of set text from perspective of actor, designer, director.  Recap *‘Trojan Women’*  Developing exam answers – Section A style Qs & Section B style Qs  **Internal Assessment – November Assessment (Sect. A & B – both plays)** |
| Autumn 2 | Practitioner & Company Workshops  Exploration of influential practitioners | Component 3: Pre-1956 Text  Introduce 1st set text, *‘Trojan Women’*.  Plot & context focus. |
| Spring 1 | Component 3: Pre-1956 Text – *‘Trojan Women’*  Continued exploration of set text + developing exam responses. | | Component 2: Text in Action  Performance of 1 devised (practitioner) piece & 1 scripted (style) piece  Process & Evaluation Report  **A-Level Assessment (40%; NEA- Ext.)** |
| Spring 2 | Component 1: Theatre Workshop  Continued practitioner research & developing ‘reinterpretation’ script extract | |
| Summer 1 | Component 1: Theatre Workshop  Developing Creative Logs of process & realisation of performance for an audience  **A-Level Assessment (20%; NEA Int.)** | | Component 3: Text in Performance – *‘Curious…’*  Explore exam script extract from *‘Curious…’* & develop directorial + design interpretations.  Component 3: Text in Performance – Revision  Revision for A-Level external exam in June of final year  *‘Trojan Women’, ‘Accidental Death…’ & ‘Curious Incident…’*  **A-Level Assessment (40%; External Exam)** |
| Summer 2 | Component 3: Text in Performance  - End of Year Exam  Developing exam answers – Section A style Qs & Section B style Qs for *‘Trojan Women’*  **Internal Assessment – End of Year Exam**  **(Section A & B – *TW* only)** | |

Topics below in YELLOW are those that are internally assessed & BLUE are those that prepare you for internal assessment and A-Level award topics.