

## Technology and the Arts

Subject: Drama	Exam Board: WJEC (Eduqas)	Head of Department: Miss Munford
<b>Assessment</b>		
Component 1: Devising Theatre		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 40% overall grade</li><li>• Working in groups of 2-5</li><li>• Practical exam with written coursework</li><li>• You will participate in the creation, development and performance of a piece of devised theatre using <b>either</b> the techniques of an influential theatre practitioner <b>or</b> a genre</li></ul>		
Component 2: Performing From A Text - Practical Exam		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 20% overall grade</li><li>• Work in groups of 2 – 4</li><li>• You will study 2 extracts from a play and perform a section from both extracts</li><li>• Performance should last between 5 – 14 mins depending on group size</li><li>• External examiner</li></ul>		
Component 3: Interpreting Theatre – Written Exam		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 40% overall grade</li><li>• 1 hour 30 mins exam</li><li>• 2 sections:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Section A (Set Text): Answer a series of questions based on the set text Hard to Swallow by Mark Wheeler</li><li>- Section B (Theatre Review): Answer one question, from a choice of two, requiring analysis and evaluation of a given aspect of a live theatre production seen during the course</li></ul></li></ul>		
<b>Key Dates</b>		
On-going deadlines will be set. It is important that they are adhered to.		
<b>Useful Resources</b>		
Hard to Swallow – Mark Wheeler		
<b>How you can support your child</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Support your child in learning lines. Encourage him/her to learn regularly in chunks</li><li>▪ Pupils will be asked to work on portfolios at home. Encourage your child to complete work.</li><li>▪ Visits to live theatre productions are helpful.</li></ul>		