

Drama

GCSE – Code: **C690QS** – Exam Board: **Eduqas**



Saint Joseph's
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Assessment:

Component 1 – 40% – Devising Theatre

- Performance
- Portfolio of Evidence
- Evaluation

Component 2 – 40% – Performance from a published play to a visiting Examiner

Component 3 – 40% – Written exam based on a Set Text and a Live Theatre Review

Key Information:

The course aims to develop candidates' creativity, personal growth, self-confidence, communication and analytical skills. It promotes pupils' involvement in and enjoyment of drama as Performers, Devisers, Directors and Designers. It provides opportunities for pupils to attend professional and community dramatic performances and to develop their skills as informed and thoughtful audience members.

Through the study of this specification, pupils will be given opportunities to participate in and interpret their own and others' drama. They will investigate the forms, styles and context of drama and will learn to work collaboratively to develop ideas, to express feelings, to experiment with technical elements and to reflect on their own and others' performances.

By studying GCSE Drama, pupils will learn more about the subject and its contribution to social and cultural commentary and will come to appreciate that drama, whether intended for audiences or not, provides significant opportunities for expressing culture and personal identity.

Who is this course for?

The course suits pupils who have a strong interest in Drama, enjoy performing and working as **part of a team**.

Skills Enhanced:

- Public Speaking
- Team Building
- Social Skills
- Problem Solving
- Imagination
- Creativity
- Working to a fixed deadline

Linked Careers:

- Performer
- Costume Designer
- Set Designer
- Stage Manager
- Film and TV Production
- Marketing
- Set Construction

For more information, see the full course specification:

eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/drama-gcse

Or scan here:

