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Year 8: Greek Theatre – Autumn Term 1

	Outline	Resources	Homework	Assessment
Lesson 1	• **The Elements** • Themes and features • Physical theatre • Devising from poetry	MTP Poem		
Lesson 2	• **Improvisation** • Personifying the elements • Comedy through conflict • Characterisation skills			
Lesson 3	• **Story of Prometheus** • Getting to know the myth • Still images • Persuasive speech			Peer-Assessment

Lesson 4	• **Prometheus continued**
	  • Stealing the fire (game)
	  • Improvisation – forum theatre
	  • The punishment – scene development
				Self-Assessment

Lesson 5	• **Story of Pandora's Box** • Discussion of main themes – modern day relevance? • Still images • Stylised movement		Homework – research a myth of your choice and create a fact sheet on this.	
Lesson 6	• **Pandora's Box continued** • Scene development • Performances • Write up – self/group evaluation		HAND IN HOMEWORK	Summative Assessment Peer-Assessment Self-Assessment

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Year 8: Medea – Autumn Term 2

	Outline	Resources	Homework	Assessment
Lesson 1	• **Chorus** • Synopsis • Physical theatre • What is a chorus?	MTP Extract		
Lesson 2	• **Characterisation** • Who is Medea? • Characterisation skills • What do they show?	Extract		
Lesson 3	• **Jason vs Medea** • Who is Jason? • Counter-arguments • What is right and wrong? Morality?	Extract		Peer-Assessment

Lesson 4	• **Medea's Plan**
	  • Protagonist and Antagonist
	  • What are the likely outcomes of this plan?
	  • What would you do?
		Extract		Self-Assessment

Lesson 5	• **The Climax** • Emotional Staircase • Still image • Persuasive speech	Extract	Homework – Design a costume for Medea or Jason in the final scene of the play	
Lesson 6	• **Assessment** • Contrast • Performances • Evaluation	Video Camera Extract	HAND IN HOMEWORK	Summative Assessment Peer-Assessment Self-Assessment

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Year 8: Forum Theatre – Spring Term 1

	Outline	Resources	Homework	Assessment
Lesson 1	• **Theatre of the Oppressed** • Augusto Boal • Forum Theatre • Joker and Spect-actors and Improvisation	Computer Case Facts	HOMEWORK: Research an issue your passionate about and use the planning sheet to create a proposal	
Lesson 2	• **School-based issues** • Bullying and Confrontation • De-escalation • Scenario Improvisation	Computer	HAND IN HOMEWORK	Peer-Assessment
Lesson 3	• **Community-based issues** • Racism, Sexism and Class • How can we challenge? • Scenario Improvisation	Computer Proposal Planning Sheet		
Lesson 4	• **Global-based issues** • Poverty, Vaccines and War • Could we do more? • Scenario Improvisation	Computer	HOMEWORK: Design a social media account that markets a global-based issue. Sending a message that shows support to the chosen global-issue, using the provided template.	Self-Assessment
Lesson 5	• **Pre-assessment** • Passion issue • Role selection • Storyboard	Computer	HAND IN HOMEWORK	
Lesson 6	• **Assessment & Feedback** • Rehearse • Perform • Reflect	Computer Video Camera Trackers		Summative Assessment Peer-Assessment Self-Assessment

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Year 8: Noughts & Crosses – Spring Term 2

	Outline	Resources	Homework	Assessment
Lesson 1	• **Synopsis** • Morals • Reality • Distopian			
Lesson 2	• **TV vs Play** • Semiotics • Interpretation • Protest & Placards	Plan Paper and Pens		
Lesson 3	• **Prologue** • Character introductions • What are our first impressions? • What links can we make with our context?	Script Extract		Self-Assessment
Lesson 4	• **Atmosphere** • How can this impact performance? • Set and Costume? • Proxemics	Script Extract	HOMEWORK: Design a costume that works with your interpretation and describe why	
Lesson 5	• **Staging** • Climax • What do you want your audience to learn? • How does this relate to our context?	Script Extract	HAND IN HOMEWORK	Peer-Assessment
Lesson 6	• **Assessment & Feedback** • Rehearse • Perform • Evaluate	Video Camera Trackers		Summative Assessment Peer-Assessment Self-Assessment

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Year 8: Climate Change Devising – Summer Term 1

	Outline	Resources	Homework	Assessment
Lesson 1	• **Real World Text** • What is devising? • Artistic Intention • News Report	News Articles		
Lesson 2	• **Physical Theatre** • Non-Naturalistic • Movement Sequences • Texts that challenge climate change	Script Extract	Homework: Create a research sheet on an environmental issue	
Lesson 3	• **Character** • Interpretation of character • Performance of Emotion • Written Reflection		HAND IN HOMEWORK	Self-Assessment
Lesson 4	• **Proxemics and Space** • Stage Directions • Three Hander Scene Performance • Direct Address			
Lesson 5	• **Setting and Interpretation** • Physicalising a setting • Soundscape • What do you want to achieve?	Storyboard Sheet		Peer-Assessment
Lesson 6	• **Assessment & Feedback** • Performance • Evaluation	Video Camera Trackers		Summative Assessment Peer-Assessment Self-Assessment