

KS4 Drama

Super Curriculum

Welcome to the Drama Super Curriculum!

Below, you'll discover a variety of activities designed to challenge and extend your learning beyond the classroom curriculum.

Read



Read a range of genres, playwrights and styles of play e.g.

An Inspector Calls by J.B. Priestley

Blood Brothers by Willy Russell

Macbeth by William Shakespeare

A Streetcar Named Desire by Tennessee Williams

The Woman in Black by Stephen Mallatratt

Death of a Salesman by Arthur Miller

Teechers by John Godber

Jekyll and Hyde adapted by various playwrights

The Glass Menagerie by Tennessee Williams

Watch



www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/learn-explore/

www.edu.digitaltheatreplus.com/ (ask your teacher for a log in)

Shakespeare: [Watch RSC shows online](#) | [Royal Shakespeare Company](#)

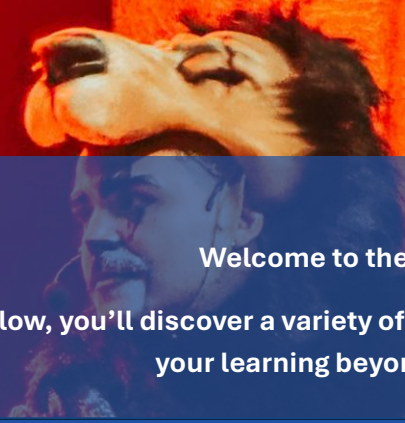
BBC I-player: Plays for Today, Plays for the Month. The Goes Wrong Show. Hamlet, Macbeth, As You Like It, Shakespeare Live! From the RSC

NT live cinema broadcasts: <https://www.ntlive.com/>

YouTube: KS4 GCSE & A-Level Devised performances; National Theatre channel; Bristol Old Vic; RSC; Broadway.com;

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Podcasts (always check age suitability of episode)

National Theatre Podcasts:

<https://podcasts.apple.com/gb/podcast/nt-talks/id486761654>

British Theatre Guide podcast:

<https://open.spotify.com/show/0WAOkClkJPXeQqR7Zzdi4X>

Talks (always check the age suitability)

<https://www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/learn-explore/talks/>

TED Talks -lots on acting skills!

Audiobooks- Audible and Spotify have lots of classic plays (e.g. Shakespeare & Greek) as well as Modern & BBC Radio collection

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/category/drama>
www.audible.co.uk/ep/theatre

Do

Look at joining a local theatre school. Your teacher can give you some ideas.

Script Writing Challenge: Write a one-act play or a scene inspired by a stimulus (e.g., a news story, a poem). Focus on structure, character development, and dialogue. Share scripts with peers for feedback or perform them

Review a show- share with your teacher.

Drama Journal: Maintain a reflective diary on performances watched and drama techniques practiced

Visit either the Theatre Museum in Drury Lane or the theatre costume floor of the V&A Museum.

Do a theatre tour: National theatre, The Old Vic, Barbican Centre, Southbank Centre; Shakespeare's Globe; Royal Opera House