

Subject	Year	Term	
Drama	10	Summer Term One and Two	
Topic			

Bringing Texts to Life - An Inspector Calls

# Content (Intent)

### **Prior Learning (Topic)**

GCSE Autumn Term Two – students should be confident with the conventions of a play script. GCSE English – will have read the play and understand context/themes/character/plot etc.

This unit prepares students for Section A of their written exam 'Bringing Texts to Life' focusing on an extract from the play *An Inspector Calls*. In this unit students will:

- ✓ Revise the conventions of a script (taught in the Autumn Term)
- ✓ Practical exploration of the text performance of scenes, hot seating characters etc.
- ✓ Consider the role of the director
- ✓ Discuss costume, set, lighting decisions and how this would bring the text to life.

#### **Future Learning (Topic)**

A Level Drama has a similar unit and portfolio which is an extension of the skills taught at GCSE.

How will knowledge and skills be taught?	How will your understanding be assessed &
(Implementation)	recorded? (Impact)
-Revision of conventions of script -Discussion of plot/character/themes/context -Hot seating characters -Creating set designs -Discussion of production elements: set, lighting, prop, stage furniturePerformance of key extracts – discussion and evaluationAnnotating and discussing exemplar GCSE answersPractice exam questions	There is no formal mock exam in this unit but students will complete practice exam questions for homework and receive feedback and marks.

# How can parents help at home?

- -Discuss drama lessons with your child. What have they been learning? Are they enjoying the lessons? Have they performed? How did it go?
- -Discuss An Inspector Calls
- -Watch An Inspector Calls

## Helpful further reading/discussion

Reading	Vocabulary Lists	Careers Links
Articles on the VLE	Audience	Actor
	Bourgeoisie	Costume Designer
An Inspector Calls York Notes for	Conscience	Dancer
GCSE	Conservative	Film Director
	Hierarchy	Front of House
Grade 9-1 GCSE Drama Play	Individualist	Journalist
Guide – An Inspector Calls (CGP)	Microcosm	Lighting Design
	Narrator	Production Manager



Set Designer Omniscient Proletariat Singer Responsibility Sound Design Stage Manager Social Class Socialist Teacher Society Theatre Director Theatre Manager Director Writer Lighting Non-verbal Physicality Physicality Props Sound Stage directions Stage furniture Stage space Voice Voice