Drama Year 9 - Performing and Devising

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| Can use simple mime and limited actions to create a character. Can add basic expressions linked to the characters and narrative. | Mime actions are clearly related to characters and narrative and expressions in face and body are appropriate for the chosen scenes. | Imaginative and effective use of mime and expression to bring the characters and narrative to life. Evidence of control and accuracy within actions. | Extremely effective use of mime and expression. Actions are specifically chosen for a range of characters and narratives, and executed with control, accuracy and precision . |
| Can follow the script and speak lines in straightforward way. Lines are spoken with a basic understanding of character and narrative. Lines partially learnt. Voice has limited clarity and projection. | Can use voice and expression to make the script sound natural . Attempts to control the pace of the lines. Lines mainly learnt. Voice has some clarity and projection but lacks consistency. | Imaginative use of vocal expression to bring the script to life. Controlled pace of delivery Script learnt securely. Voice is clear and projected with moments of effective articulation. | Extremely effective interpretation of the script, using a range of vocal expressions specifically chosen and executed with control , accuracy and precision . Script learnt fluently . Voice is clear , well projected and articulated throughout. |
| Some awareness of stage positioning and effect on the audience. | Awareness of how to use stage positioning to communicate with the audience. | Consistent use of stage positioning to create an effect on the audience. | Considered and imaginative use of effective stage positioning to create the desired effect on the audience. |
| Evidence of working with others with some positivity. Guidance needed to apply self- discipline in rehearsals. Limited application of techniques. | Positive working relationships. Some sense of self discipline. Cooperative and supportive when applying basic techniques to rehearsals. | Positive working relationships with leadership qualities evident through the disciplined approach and competent application of techniques to rehearsals. | Extremely positive working relationships and high levels of self- discipline. Clear leadership skills used to apply techniques imaginatively to rehearsals. |
| Limited use of structure. Some ideas are offered which communicate simple intention. | Work shows some structure. Ideas are offered which communicate intention. | Work is structured in a clear way. Imaginative ideas are contributed. | Can use structure effectively to achieve a desired effect. Ideas are very imaginative and original. |
| A basic performance is undertaken with some success. Some errors evident. | Skills applied successfully to a simple role in a performance. | Consistent application of skills in a mainly error-free, secure and confident performance. | Very confident, consistent, committed, engaging performance. |
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Drama Year 9 – Production and Skills Analysis

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| Research | Can outline some of the roles, responsibilities and skills of practitioners using limited examples. | Can outline the roles, responsibilities and skills of practitioners, using examples. | Can describe the roles, responsibilities and skills of practitioners, using relevant examples. | Can justify , using well-chosen examples , how roles, responsibilities and skills of practitioners contribute to creative intentions. |
| Understanding of performance style | Can outline some key features of practitioners' work, using limited examples from the performance. In practical workshops, an attempt is made to work in the chosen performance style. | Can outline the stylistic qualities of practitioners' work, using examples from the performance. In practical workshops, some sense of the chosen performance style is evident in the outcome. | Can describe the stylistic qualities of practitioners' work, with reference to relevant examples from the performance. In practical workshops, clear understanding of the chosen performance style is evident in a successful outcome. | Can discuss the stylistic qualities of practitioners' work using appropriate and considered examples from the performance. In practical workshops, understanding of the chosen performance style is clearly embedded throughout. |
| Analysis of production elements | Can identify some key elements of a production (set, lighting, costume, sound) giving limited examples of these from the performance. | Can identify key elements of a production (set, lighting, costume, sound) giving basic examples of these from the performance. | Can describe key elements of a production (set, lighting, costume, sound) giving relevant examples of these from the performance. | Can discuss key elements of a production (set, lighting, costume, sound) giving appropriate and considered examples of these from the performance. |
| Evaluating own skills | Can identify own development and application of skills and techniques in rehearsal and performance, with use of limited examples. | Can identify own development and application of skills and techniques, strengths and areas for improvement, with use of basic examples. | Can describe own development and application of skills and techniques, using relevant examples to demonstrate strengths and areas for improvement. | Can explain own development and application of skills and techniques, using appropriate examples to identify strengths and areas for improvement. |