

DRAMA

Welcome to the Drama Super Curriculum. Below you'll find a whole host of things to do to stretch yourself beyond the classroom curriculum.

Use the following resources to enhance your understanding of the creative approaches found in Drama.

This month's theme is self-belief. Drama naturally builds confidence, communication and self-expression, and through working collaboratively with others, you begin to recognise positive qualities in yourself.

READ

[Viola Davis' emotional Emmy acceptance speech](#) - BBC News

WATCH

[The Greatest Showman: This Is Me](#) - YouTube

LISTEN

[Emma Watson: Speech on gender equality](#) - YouTube

DO

Develop a 'confidence spectrum'. Using the transcript of Viola Davis' acceptance speech, explore delivering the speech with low confidence, considering how this can be shown through your performance skills, and then perform a high-confidence version. Which performance skills change the most, and which version do you prefer?

- Join a club.
- Read about the history of theatre.
- Attend and commit to a drama club or production.
- Learn lines and act for a performance.
- Volunteer to help with lighting or sound at a college event.
- Attend drama schools outside of college.
- Create a performance or practice diary.
- Create a log of acting performances you have seen either at theatres or on television/at the cinema.
- Explore the plays of famous playwrights.
- Join a local amateur dramatic society
- Audition for local theatre groups at places such as Plymouth Theatre Royal.
- Audition for National Youth Theatre.