Ravens Wood School

KS3 Curriculum Plan



Subject: School Show!

Module 3

Overarching	g Topic:
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Why is this topic being studied at this time?

How does it fit into the wider subject curriculum?

Lights! Camera! Action! To celebrate the end of the first year of the KS3 Performance Studies course, students will collaborate as a year group to create and perform in a show. Watch the spectacle of skills and talents students have developed throughout the year, wow the crowd and catch the 'performance bug' through a memorable showcase of numbers bespoke to each class and open for friends and family to watch.

This module will give students the opportunity to experience performing in a real show, to an external audience. Students will develop self-confidence, commitment and self-discipline. Students will also learn about behind the scene roles through participating in technical rehearsals.

	Critical	Core	Pinnacle
The Big Questions (What questions will students be able to answer upon mastery of the topic?)	 What makes an effective performance? What skills are needed to succeed as a group? Why is independent rehearsal important? What is a technical rehearsal? Can I demonstrate appropriate etiquette in technical rehearsal? 	 Can I demonstrate effective performance skills to make a positive contribution to the piece? Can I demonstrate team skills such as spatial awareness and cooperation, supporting others and working towards mutual goals? Can I demonstrate evidence of independent rehearsal? Why is a technical rehearsal important to the success of the show? Can I take on feedback in technical rehearsal and adapt my performance appropriately for the realms of the performance space? 	 Can I demonstrate highly effective performance skills to make a positive contribution to the piece and demonstrate success to others? Can I demonstrate leadership within group activities and role model the highest standard of 'rehearsal etiquette' at all times? Can I rehearse regularly at home, and also offer support to other members of the group who are unsure of the movements? Can I organize and seek out opportunities to rehearse? Can I undertake complete professionalism throughout all times in the technical rehearsal?