

Drama gr.7/8 Course Outline

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Complementary: Drama

Driving Question: How do the performing arts build self-esteem, confidence, creativity, responsibility, and commitment?

Career Possibilities: Technology, Business and Communication

Course Description:

Lights, curtain, action! Students will explore acting, improvisation, movement, and speech. They'll develop confidence and learn about themselves and others. Students will discover how much work it takes, behind the scenes and on the stage, to put on a successful production to be showcased in the New year. Students must be committed to 2 terms in this complimentary.

Students take part in various mini units including:

Activities

- Various acting techniques
- Looking at various production roles
- Settings
- Lighting design
- Marketing (posters, tickets)
- Props/ Costumes
- Chorus and individual acting
- Voice, presence, lines, cues etc.

Supplies

Students will be supplied with all resources necessary.

CTF Outcomes

These are the areas we will be focusing on in this complementary

Personal Connections

- CTF is exploring interests, passions and skills while making personal connections to career possibilities

Designing and Creating

- CTF is planning, creating, appraising and communicating in response to challenges.

Collaboration and Personal Growth

- CTF is working independently and with others while exploring careers and technology.

Evaluation

Acquire: Construct meaning and understanding the requirements of the task.

Apply: Use information and understanding relationships to demonstrate and/or perform task.

Adapt: Assess, integrate and transform knowledge and ideas