

# Elm Court School

## Drama Curriculum Overview



**PUPILS IN YEAR 6 FOLLOW AN INDIVIDUALISED TIMETABLE**

<p><b>Year 7:</b></p> <p>Pupils undertake a number of different activities.</p> <p>They undertake the following in preparation for LAMDA qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physical warm-ups</li> <li>• Word Tennis</li> <li>• Spatial awareness</li> <li>• Turn taking</li> <li>• Projection</li> <li>• Diction</li> </ul>	<p><b>Year 8:</b></p> <p>Pupils begin to do more improvised scenes and devise scenes.</p> <p>They continue to undertake the following in preparation for Entry Level 1 LAMDA qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physical warm-ups</li> <li>• Word Tennis</li> <li>• Spatial awareness</li> <li>• Turn taking</li> <li>• Projection</li> <li>• Diction</li> </ul>	<p><b>Year 9:</b></p> <p>Pupils continue to do more improvised scenes and devise scenes.</p> <p>They continue to undertake the following in preparation for Level 1 LAMDA Grade 1 qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brain, word and improvisation games</li> <li>• Devise scene</li> <li>• Perform scenes</li> <li>• Rehearse scenes for LAMDA</li> </ul>	<p><b>Pathways Options</b> <b>Years 10 – 14 (KS4 / KS5)</b></p> <p><b>Pupils in Year 10 and 11:</b></p> <p>Pupils continue to work towards completing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BTEC Performing Arts Entry Level 1 Award</li> <li>• BTEC Performing Arts Entry Level 1 Certificate</li> <li>• LAMDA units</li> </ul> <p><b>Pupils in Years 12 - 14:</b></p> <p>Pupils continue to work towards completing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BTEC Performing Arts Entry Level 1 Award</li> <li>• BTEC Performing Arts Entry Level 1 Certificate</li> <li>• LAMDA units</li> </ul> <p>Pupils who have completed their BTEC Certificate can continue to study for more LAMDA qualifications: Level 1 Grades 2 and 3</p>
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## **How you can support your child in Drama:**

*Expose your child to a diverse range of music, dance and drama; through live shows, television, radio, video and the internet. This can include the wide range of free street and park performances you can enjoy in London. If they show particular interest, look into local theatre and dance groups. Always discuss television, films etc. with your child, tackling themes and plots but also characters and how productions are made. You can also support your child learning their lines, again, discussing what the themes are and what they mean.*

**Please keep in touch with the Drama section should you feel your child is struggling or needs more challenge – let us know.  
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