

Learning overview for (subject): Dance			Year group: 10		
Term	Key topics / scheme of work	What most pupils will learn  (Prior assessment may alter starting point & content)	Key skills used	How will this learning be assessed?	
Term 1	A Linha Curva by Itzik Galili	<ul> <li>Pupils will learn the first work in the Dance Anthology.</li> <li>They will learn the component features of the work.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Analytical skills</li> <li>✓ Essay writing skills using describing and interpreting</li> <li>✓ Choreography skills</li> <li>✓ Performance skills</li> <li>✓ Self-assessment and target setting</li> </ul>	Presentation in groups, to the class, on one of the key features of the work.	
		<ul> <li>Pupils will learn movement inspired by the themes in the piece in order to embed the work for recall during their theory exam.</li> <li>Pupils will choreograph their own movement</li> </ul>	Sell assessment and target setting	End of unit test of the key features plus a longer answer exam style question	
		<ul> <li>inspired by the themes in ALC.</li> <li>Pupils will learn the first of the set phrases for part of the GCSE dance performance piece, Breathe.</li> <li>They will focus on performance skills: physical,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Performance skills</li> <li>✓ Mental skills during the process – concentration, commitment, movement memory</li> </ul>	Performance using the GCSE grading criteria for the set phrases.	
	GCSE Set Phrase 1 - Performance	technical, expressive and mental and safe practice.	<ul> <li>✓ Ability to respond from feedback</li> <li>✓ Target setting</li> </ul>	Written questions to test their understanding of performance skills: what they are; where they are	



				used; how they can be developed.
Term 2	Choreography from different stimuli. Stimuli from exam board NEA.	<ul> <li>What a stimulus is.</li> <li>How a stimulus leads to a choreographic intention.</li> <li>How to create movement which successfully communicates the choreographic intention.</li> <li>Pupils will be encouraged to experiment and create movement relating to a range of stimuli</li> <li>Practical work will be supported with written work linked to section A of the GCSE paper.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Choreographic devices</li> <li>Choreographic processes</li> <li>Group work</li> <li>Creativity</li> <li>Performance skills</li> <li>Target setting</li> <li>Theoretical knowledge and application of choreography.</li> </ol>	Formative verbal feedback during all lessons from teacher and peers.  Summative feedback at the end of the unit.
		Pupils will gain knowledge of:  1. Choreographic processes  ✓ researching  ✓ improvising  ✓ generating  ✓ selecting  ✓ developing  ✓ structuring  ✓ refining and synthesising.		Written feedback on choreography and performance of each group.  Basic knowledge test using exam style questions, scaffolding to support the early process.
		<ul><li>2. Choreographic Devices</li><li>✓ motif and development</li></ul>		F. 55555



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Term 3	Emancipation of Expressionism by Kenrick H2O Sandy	<ul> <li>✓ repetition</li> <li>✓ contrast</li> <li>✓ highlights</li> <li>✓ climax</li> <li>✓ manipulation of number</li> <li>✓ unison and canon</li> <li>Pupils will learn the key components of E of E, the second in the Dance Anthology.</li> <li>They will learn short phrases inspired by E of E.</li> <li>They will learn the different street dance styles used in E of E.</li> <li>They will develop the phrases learnt using key choreographic devices identified by the choreographer.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analytical skills</li> <li>Essay writing skills using describing and interpreting</li> <li>Choreography skills</li> <li>Performance skills</li> <li>Self-assessment and target setting</li> </ul>	Presentation of key features to the class. Pupils will be divided into groups and given a feature to focus on. End of unit test of key features.
Term 4	GCSE Set Phrases - Performance	<ul> <li>Pupils will learn the second of the set phrases for part of the GCSE dance performance piece, Shift.</li> <li>They will focus on performance skills: physical, technical and expressive.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Performance skills</li> <li>Mental skills during the process – concentration, commitment, movement memory</li> <li>Ability to respond from feedback</li> <li>Target setting</li> </ul>	Performance using the GCSE grading criteria for the set phrases. Written questions to test their
		<ul> <li>Pupils will continue to learn technical sequences to improve their technique which will enhance their performance skills</li> </ul>	Self-assessment and target setting	understanding of performance skills: what they are; where they are



<u></u>	A CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY					
	Shadows by Christopher Bruce.	<ul> <li>Pupils will learn the key components of Shadows, the third in the Dance Anthology.</li> <li>They will experiment with movement in the style of Shadows to help enhance their written appreciation of the work.</li> <li>They will develop the phrases learnt using key choreographic devices identified by the choreographer.</li> <li>They will create movement communicating the key themes in Shadows.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analytical skills</li> <li>Essay writing skills using describing and interpreting</li> <li>Choreography skills</li> <li>Performance skills</li> <li>Self-assessment and target setting</li> </ul>	used; and how they can be developed.  Presentation in groups, to the class, on one of the key features of the work.  End of unit test of the key features plus a longer answer exam style question		
Term 5	Performance Piece	<ul> <li>Pupils will learn four short motifs from the two other set phrases.</li> <li>Pupils will learn short movement phrases created by the teacher.</li> <li>Pupils will learn to develop the set motifs and movement phrases to communicate a choreographic intention from a given stimulus.</li> <li>Pupils will use their knowledge of performance skills using the GCSE performance criteria.</li> <li>Pupils will develop their stamina through performance of a 3 ½ - 5-minute dance.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Performance skills</li> <li>Mental skills during the process – concentration, commitment, movement memory</li> <li>Ability to respond to feedback</li> <li>Target setting</li> </ul>	Written questions to test their understanding of performance skills: what they are; where they are used; and how they can be developed.		



Term 6	Within Her Eyes by James Cousins.	<ul> <li>Pupils will learn the key components of Within Her Eyes, the fourth in the Dance Anthology.</li> <li>They will experiment with movement in the style of WHE to help enhance their written appreciation of the work.</li> <li>They will develop the phrases learnt using key choreographic devices identified by the choreographer.</li> <li>They will create movement communicating the key themes in WHE.</li> <li>They will learn how a site sensitive performance environment and the use of camera can enhance the choreographic intention of a work.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analytical skills</li> <li>Essay writing skills using describing and interpreting</li> <li>Choreography skills</li> <li>Performance skills</li> <li>Self-assessment and target setting</li> </ul>	Presentation of key features to the class. Pupils will be divided into groups and given a feature to focus on. End of unit test of key features. Analytical skills Essay writing skills using describing and interpreting Choreography skills Performance skills Self-assessment and
		<ul> <li>Pupils will spend time rehearsing and embedding the physical, expressive, technical, and mental skills needed to successfully perform the 2 GCSE set phrases.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Physical skills</li> <li>Mental skills during the process –         concentration, commitment, movement         memory, ability to respond to feedback,         systematic repetition, rehearsal         discipline</li> <li>Target setting</li> <li>Expressive skills</li> <li>Technical skills</li> </ul>	Performance using the GCSE grading criteria for the set phrases.



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	Performance:					
	Embedding the set phrases					