

# Year 10 Drama – Course Outline

Students will develop and extend their expressive skills through taking part in activities involving improvisation, voice work, mime, movement, characterisation, role development and the performance of scripts. They will study different styles of performance, the theories of different dramatists and the conventions used in performance. Interpretation, performance and evaluation of Australian play excerpts will be one area of focus. Students will complete two minor performance pieces – a solo and small group performance and one major performance piece – whole group play performed to an audience.

## **Area of Study:**

1. Performance
2. Performance skills and technique
3. Analysis of Dramatists
4. Exploration of theatre styles and conventions

## **Assessment for Year 10 Drama**

- Solo or small group performance piece
- Ensemble performance piece
- Written evaluation of both performance pieces
- Theatre Review of a live performance
- Work book of class activities