

Unit One – Drama Exploration – Documentary Response

What does Unit One Involve?

- 📖 You will use stimuli as a starting point to explore a theme, topic or issue
- 📖 You will use explorative strategies, drama medium and elements of drama to create your own work and convey meaning
- 📖 You will evaluate how your exploration and use of techniques contributed to your creation of the drama

Unit One is worth 30% of your final marks

20% of your marks will be for a six-hour assessed workshop, under controlled conditions.

In this exploration you will use:

- 📖 At least two stimuli
- 📖 Four explorative strategies
- 📖 Two examples of Drama Medium
- 📖 A range of Elements of Drama

The remaining 10% of marks will be for a documentary, or written, response recording the work you undertook in the workshop. This will be based on notes you made during and after the workshop and can include sketches, drawings, photographs, diagrams and writing. The completed work should be no longer than 2,000 words in total. This will be written under examination conditions in school.

See the following exemplar comments for an idea of how to do your documentary evidence and what sort of marks you can be awarded.

The marks are referred to as follows;

Level	Mark range	Possible grade	comments
One	17-20	A*/A	Outstanding
Two	13-16	A/B	Excellent
Three	9-12	C/D	Good
Four	5-8	E	Adequate
Five	1-4	F/G	Limited
Six	0	Fail	None