

Dance: Year 7 Overview

Students begin to explore the basic dance actions and have the chance to explore different styles through performance, choreography and appreciation.

Autumn 1: Pure Imagination

Students explore Road Dahl's famous books and basic movement aspects. This unit is working towards a dance piece for the sharing evening.

Autumn 2: Chance Dance

Students explore motifs and motif development, using Merce Cunningham's Chance techniques.

Spring 1: Video Games

Students explore character and exaggeration of movement, looking at how to implement narrative using actions, space, dynamics and relationships.

Spring 2: Capoeira/A Linha Curva

Students explore martial arts and the origins by learning the basic techniques and rules of Capoeira. Alongside this students explore professional work A Linha Curva.

Summer 1: Balletboyz

Students explore the work of the Balletboyz Company, focusing specifically on contact work.

Summer 2: Into the Hoods

Students explore street dance techniques whilst using Zoonation's Into the Hoods narrative.