

Performing Arts- Dance





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- 1 GCSE- 1 option
- Level 1 or Level 2
- Suitable for anybody who likes performing and has a good sense of rhythm



Areas of Study

- Critical Appreciation
- Performance
- Choreography



Assessment

Performance 30%

Set phrases through a solo performance (approximately one minute in duration - 15 marks)
Duet/trio performance (three and a half minutes in duration - 25 marks)

Choreography 30%

Solo or group choreography – a solo (two to two and a half minutes) or a group dance for two to five dancers (three to three and a half minutes)
40 marks.



Assessment

Dance appreciation 40%

- Written exam paper- 1.5 hours
- 40% of overall mark – paper marked out of 80 marks.
- ❖ Knowledge and understanding of choreographic processes and performing skills
- ❖ Critical appreciation of own work
- ❖ Critical appreciation of professional works

3 Year Course

2 hours per week.

➤ GCSE Dance is a physically demanding course and to ensure success, you need to compliment your studies in school with dance classes out of school.