Subject: Dance	Term: Autumn

This term, we are studying …

Year	Topic (s)	Why this? Why now?
10	Performance skills	This term, Year 10 GCSE Dance students will be learning the fundamental principles of dance. The students will focus on developing their knowledge, understanding and skills for performance including; Physical skills, Technical skills, Expressive skills, Mental Skills and safe working practices. The students will participate in workshops, exploring the styles of Jazz, contemporary, Ballet, Lyrical and Street dance
	Choreography Skills	Year 10 students will explore different stimuli to choreograph performances. They will use images, songs and literature to choreograph solo's, duet's, trio's and group dances within different styles and genres.
11	Set Phrases	Year 11 will consolidate their performances of the set phrases Breathe and SHift, which will be filmed for their Component 1 NEA. Year 11 will also practice exam

		questions for Section B
	Performance: Duo's and Trio's	Year 11 will be learning and rehearsing their duet or trio choreographed by their teacher. They will practice exam questions for section B of their exam, based on their performance
	Section A	Year 11 will prepare to answer section A of their Component 2 written exam which explores their knowledge and understanding of choreographic processes and performing skills. By the end of this term, students will have completed the performing element of Component 1.