

Subject:	GCSE Dance
Exam board:	AQA
Specification:	AQA GCSE Dance Specification at a glance
How students will be assessed:	<p>Component 1: Performance and Choreography (NEA – 60% of GCSE)</p> <p>Students have completed three dance performances, which will form their practical grade for this assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • two set phrases – Shift and Breathe • one duet or trio <p>Component 2: Dance appreciation (1 hour 30 minutes; 40% of GCSE)</p> <p>A mixture of questions based on the GCSE Dance anthology, assessing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☐ Artificial Things ☐ A Linha Curva ☐ Within Her Eyes
Recommended revision guide:	N/A
Other useful links:	<p>https://www.jamescousinscompany.com/</p> <p>https://rambert.org.uk/whats-on/a-linha-curva/</p> <p>https://www.allsaintsacademydunstable.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Emancipation-of-E-FF.pdf</p> <p>https://waynemcgregor.com/productions/infra</p> <p>https://www.stopgapdance.com/production/artificial-things-dance-film/</p> <p>https://www.allsaintsacademydunstable.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Shadows-FF.pdf</p>
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