Subject:	GCSE Dance
Exam board:	AQA
Specification:	AQA | GCSE | Dance | Specification at a glance
How students will be assessed:	Component 1: Performance and Choreography (NEA – 60% of GCSE) Students will complete two dance performances • two set phrases – Shift and Breathe • one duet or trio Students will choreograph either a complete solo dance or a complete group dance. Component 2: Dance appreciation (1 hour 30 minutes; 40% of GCSE) A mixture of questions based on students' own practice in performance and choreography and the GCSE Dance anthology, assessing: • Knowledge and understanding of choreographic processes and performing skills • Critical appreciation of own work • Critical appreciation of professional work
Recommended revision guide:	N/A
Other useful links:	https://www.jamescousinscompany.com/ https://rambert.org.uk/whats-on/a-linha-curva/ https://www.allsaintsacademydunstable.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Emancipation-of-E-FF.pdf https://waynemcgregor.com/productions/infra https://www.stopgapdance.com/production/artificial-things-dance-film/ https://www.allsaintsacademydunstable.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Shadows-FF.pdf
Period 6:	Tuesday dance club is available to all 3:10-4:10 in LR Hall Dance is also offered on a Thursday on some weeks where students are invited
AP1 November	Students will be assessed on Breathe and Shift, as well as a full theory mock exam
AP2 February	Students will have all practical work complete, as well as completing a full theory mock exam
Summer 2027	Students will have completed all practical work, marked out of 80 and will complete their Summer written exam paper