



The Thomas Hardy School  
**Summer Preparation Task**  
Theatre Studies A Level

**Purpose of task:**

Reviewing live theatre is an essential part of the course and forms 30% of the overall mark.

**Recommended resources:**

Guardian Theatre Review Website  
What's on Stage

**Task:**

Visit a live theatre performance and complete work booklet in detail.

PLEASE SEE BOOKLET FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.

**Deadline for Task:** First lesson in week commencing 11<sup>th</sup> September 2017



# THEATRE STUDIES

## PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS BOOKLET

Student Name:

TG:

Performance Title:  
Performance Venue:  
Date seen:  
Company/Director:  
Plot Overview:

Themes:  
Style:  
Genre:  
Key Actor(s) name & Character(s):

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ACTING OBSERVATION ACTOR ONE

Actor Name:

Character Played:

Observation/ Commentary of Moment	Quotation of Dialogue	Acting Skills used (Face/Voice/Body/ Movement)	Theatrical Impact & Audience Response

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## ACTING OBSERVATION ACTOR T W O

Actor Name:

Character Played:

Observation/ Commentary of Moment	Quotation of Dialogue	Acting Skills used (Face/Voice/Body/ Movement)	Theatrical Impact & Audience Response

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ACTING OBSERVATION ACTOR THREE

Actor Name:

Character Played:

Observation/ Commentary of Moment	Quotation of Dialogue	Acting Skills used (Face/Voice/Body/ Movement)	Theatrical Impact & Audience Response

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## TECHNICAL OBSERVATION

### Lights / Sound / Multimedia

Observation/ Commentary	Tech used	Impact & Effect on stage	Representation or impact for audience

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## DESIGN OBSERVATION

Set/ Props / Costume

Observation/ Commentary	Design used	Impact & Effect on stage	Representation or impact for audience

**Additional information:**

**Recommended reading & activities list:**

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