

Consilium Academies

Beyond the Curriculum

10 Drama activities to add some fun to your studies.



1. WRITE AND PERFORM A MONOLOGUE

Write your own monologue—it could be funny, or it could be serious. You could do it as a character or write your thoughts and feelings down in a speech. Try some different styles and topics out. Focus on your vocal skills as you perform your monologues to your audience. Or even record yourself.

2. TONGUE TWISTERS

How fast can you say some well known tongue twisters? “She Sells Sea Shells on the Seashore” or “if a dog chews shoes whose shoes does he choose?” Could you even come up with your own?

3. LIP SYNC BATTLE

Put together a playlist of your favourite songs and mime along! You can film yourself and challenge your friends. Do not forget to use overexaggerated facial expressions and movements.



4. ACCENT CHALLENGE

Choose one of the tongue twisters from task 1 and preform it in different accents. Get your family to guess what accent you are doing. French? Posh? Australian?

5) CHARADES

Put your mime skills to the test in a good old-fashioned game of Charades. Remember no talking!!



6. FACETIME PERFORMANCE

Come up with a script and get a friend on skype or facetime or even the phone to perform with you. But make sure you both get into character.



BONUS CHALLENGE

Sock Puppet

Make a sock puppet and put on a show for your household.

7. RESEARCH

Find out about the lives of great playwrights such as: Shakespeare, Arthur Miller, Lucy Prebble and Sophocles ... and many more!



8. Drama Games

Get all your family together and play some drama games like splat! Or Wink Murder! Or come up with your own!

9. HOUSEHOLD PERFORMANCE

Direct your family in your very own performance. It could be your own interpretation of a play you know or you could pen your own work. You could even find some costumes around the house!

10. WATCH A PLAY ONLINE

There are many performances online. Either go to WhatsOnStage.com and have a look at the plays they suggest or look at Andrew Lloyd Webbers YouTube channel as he posts a new musical every Friday!