

DRAMA Level 3

Common Assessment Task

Work Requirements:

Character development task

Assessment Type:

Short response

Criteria being assessed:

- Criterion 7 – elements 2, 3, and 4

Suggested conditions:

- This task should take learners 2-2.5 hours.
- A written response (700 words maximum).
- This task requires an individual response by each learner.

Task Description:

You will perform a character or characters in their mid-year production.

What you need to do:

Using paragraphs in essay style discuss the ways all of the below points have contributed to your character development in your major production this year:

- background research (including if appropriate acting theorists such as Stanislavski, Hagen, Brecht, Artaud, Adler, Chubbuck or Meisner)
- genre or style of play/production
- themes/ issue or ideas presented in the play/production
- use of your body and voice
- and dramatic and technical choices.

Teacher use only - What needs to be submitted for assessment?

Learners write a research response (700 words maximum) on character development