Welcome to A Level Drama and Theatre at Heckmondwike Grammar School.

We look forward to seeing you in September and have put together the below tasks to be completed to help you best prepare for the start of the course.

Task 1:

In order to establish a baseline, we would like you to prepare one 2-3 minute monologue OR intended design realisation (lighting, sound, set or costume) from any published play. The choice of piece is completely up to you, but aim to select something that you feel will show you at your best. You will perform / present your design and be assessed on this material in the second week of term.

Task 2:

Please read the supplied copy of our set text Colder than Here by Laura Wade.

Task 3:

Please carry out some research into theatre design, specifically key vocabulary for the following design elements; Lighting, Set, Sound and Costume. As well as developing confidence in design specific vocabulary, please create a design glossary with key words and their definitions to support you in analysing all aspects of live theatre.

Should you have any questions, please email chellewell@heckgrammar.co.uk.

We look forward to seeing you in September 2021.

Mrs Hellewell, Miss Rattigan & Mr Jeffery

Teachers of Drama