

Varsity College
Year 9 Drama 2025

Term 1

Week	Date	Topics	Assessment
1	27-31 January O-Week Australia Day: Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Get to know you activities Elements of drama games 	
2	3-7 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Storytelling Linear / non-linear form Using movement for storytelling Characterisation 	
3	10-14 February Swimming Carnival: Tuesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newspaper articles – teen issues Exploring concept and devising Playing multiple roles 	
4	17-21 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intro to play text The Stones Understanding dramatic meaning 	
5	24-28 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Character deconstructions Blocking 	
6	3-7 March GC25: Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relationships and tension Directing 	
7	10-14 March NAPLAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rehearsals 	Task 1 Draft due
8	17-21 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refine from teacher feedback Polish rehearsals 	Final performance L3
9	24-28 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review recorded performances Analysis and evaluation 	
10	31 March - 4 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Submit analysis and evaluation Consolidation activities 	Project - Task 2 L1
School holidays: Friday April 4 - Sunday April 19			

Term 2

Week	Date	Topics	Assessment
1	21-25 April Easter Monday ANZAC Day: Friday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yarning circle First Nations perspectives Research – Indigenous culture 	
2	28 April-2 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Watch <i>Bran Nue Dae</i> musical recorded performance Explore plot and characters 	
3	5-9 May Labour Day: Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Symbolism and imagery Cultural and social context Dramatic meaning Drafting of task 3 	
4	12-16 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drafting of task 3 Introduction to task 4 – Theatre in Education Understanding target audience 	Task 3 draft due
5	19-23 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding of journal concept/meaning/moral lesson 	Project - Task 3 final L3
6	26-30 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workshopping Conventions of Theatre in Education 	
7	2-6 June GC25: Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workshopping <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing ideas / devising Group work Journal entries 	
8	9-13 June GC25: Wednesday		
9	16-20 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Performance Journal entries 	Task 4 draft due
10	23-27 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completion of journal for submission 	Project - Task 4 due L1 - 2
School holidays: Saturday June 28 - Sunday July 13			