

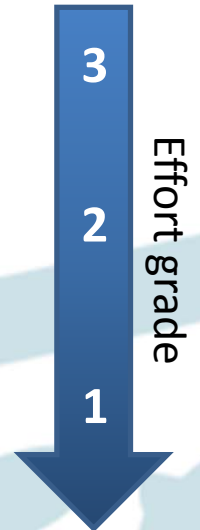


Independent Learning in A Level Dance



After each lesson, in addition to completing any set work, a pro-active, independent learner would...

- Ensure that notes are completed and filed suitably in their dance folder.
- Ensure that their dance folder is brought to every lesson.
- Ensure that their full dance kit is brought into every practical lesson.
- Read the relevant hand-outs and annotate lesson notes with additional, relevant content.
- Make a list of things not fully understood and discuss with a peer or a teacher *before* the next lesson.
- Use the Dance Studios at lunchtimes to rehearse movement material.
- Try to commit factual information to memory immediately, rather than leaving it until revision.
- Develop techniques and skills outside of College by taking extra-curricular opportunities in dance.
- Watch performances of each professional work in full.
- Watch live performances when available.
- Research the next topic area before the next lesson.



Resources to help you study

	Resource	Description
Year 12	Car Man	Watch the Car Man in full – VDV available in C3.09 or https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQpsMBidFBo .
	Lord of the Flies	Watch the documentary and interviews on Lord of the Flies – YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W0bD7apRFaU ; BBC interview: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vIT5bJY2o0E
	Sutra (Cherkaoui, 2008)	Watch Sutra by Cherkaoui, 2008 in full.
	www.sadlerswells.com	Investigate this website for the Optional Area of Study – Independent Dance Scene.
Year 13	Adshead, J. and Pritchard, J. (1986) Ballet Rambert 1965-1975 Guildford: NRCD	The best resources for Rambert history other than your textbook.
	Christopher Bruce's Triple Bill: Silence is the End of our Song, Rooster, Swansong. Arthaus (2006)	Watch the professional works from the practitioner Christopher Bruce.
	www.rambert.org.uk www.rambert.org.uk/explore/rambert-archive/ www.richardalstondance.com	Investigate these websites in association with the Area of Study – Rambert.
	The Gene Kelly Signature Collection (Singin' in the Rain, An American in Paris, Anchors Aweigh, On the Town), Warner Home Video (DVD release 2011)	Watch the following professional works from the practitioner Gene Kelly.
	Past Paper Essay Questions – Easter Egg competition	Find these in Handouts. Questions written at an A Level standard for all exam boards.