

Drama

Year 11 Mock Exam Information

Exam specification and exam board	AQA GCSE Drama (9-1)
Past papers available at	AQA website: https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/drama/gcse/drama-8261/assessment-resources?examSeries=June+2025%3BJune+2024%3BJune+2023%3BJune+2022
Useful revision websites	BBC Bitesize: Introduction and overview of Blood Brothers - Dramatisation - AQA - GCSE English Literature Revision - AQA - BBC Bitesize
<u>MOCK EXAM INFORMATION</u>	Revise ALL content on <i>Blood Brothers</i> and <i>Billy Elliot</i> . The exam is 1 hour and 45 minutes and it is the full paper
Topics covered in mock	1. Staging types (thrust, In the Round etc) & Stage Positioning (SL, SR, CS, DSL, DSR, USL, USR, DS, US) 2. <i>Blood Brothers</i> 3. <i>Billy Elliot</i>
Recommended revision strategies	Get a copy of the CGP Revision guide on <i>Blood Brothers</i> from the Library. Look at SharePoint GCSE Drama pages. Many revision sheets and PowerPoints to help you
Top tips for your exam	Make sure that you read the questions thoroughly before starting your answer. For <i>Billy Elliot</i>, build up your example bank, so have 3-4 examples of 2-3 characters, key moments, consider how the actor is bringing the character alive. You need to use key terminology and should be able to explain why they are doing what they are doing. The SharePoint breaks down the <i>Blood Brothers</i> questions and how to answer them, read through this. I have also add knowledge PowerPoint to help as well