

Lower 5 become teachers!



Lower 5 are currently studying the play 'Teacher' by John Godber.

Mr Nixon the main character believes that all children should be treated equally, and he gradually motivates his class and ignites the children's passion for drama where they can escape into the stories and become different characters.

As there are only three actors in the play, Lower 5 must create all of the different characters, from Mrs Parry the eccentric headteacher to Oggy Moxon the frightening school bully. Their transitions between characters must appear seamless, with minimal use of props and scenery. This creates a great challenge in characterisation and staging.

Pupils will be performing an extract for their mock examination in three weeks. As a teacher I look forward to this performance with great anticipation.

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