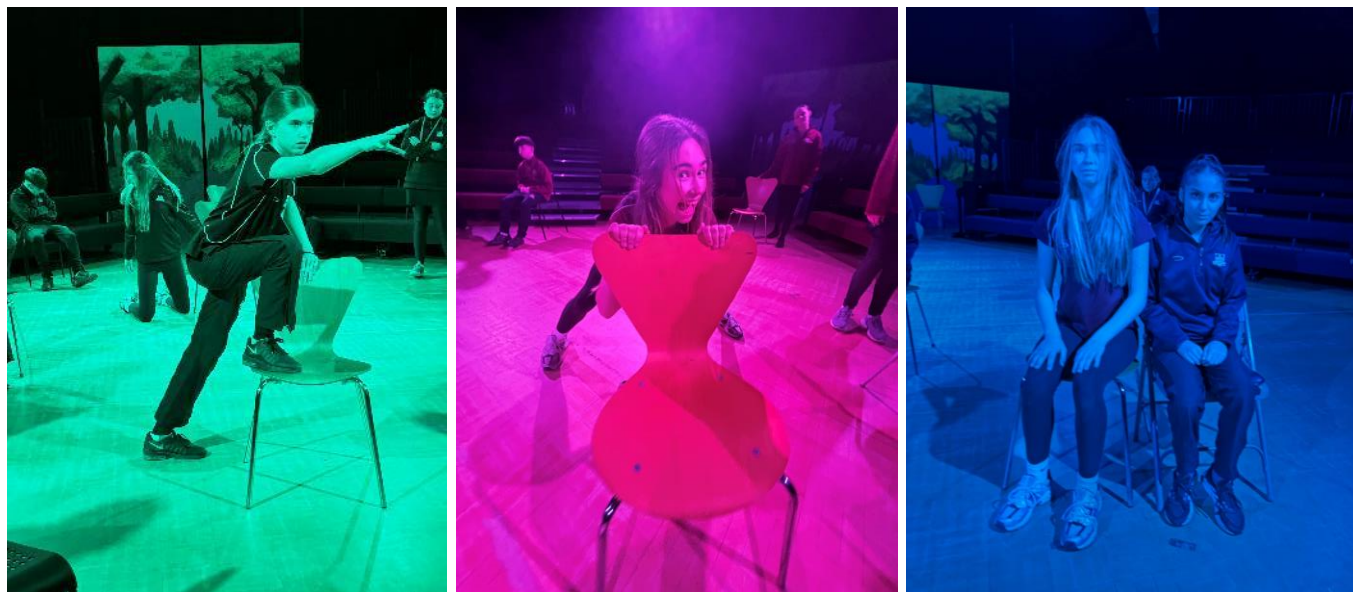


Physical theatre inspired by the theatre company Frantic Assembly



Upper 4 have been exploring physical theatre this term. This week I have assessed the pupils as they performed as a whole class.

Physical theatre is a form of theatre that puts emphasis on movement rather than dialogue. In addition to this they have symbolised their emotions through the changing colours of the lights to the dramatic music 'Run Boy Run'.

The first part of the performance was directed by Mrs Hamlyn with pupils adding their own personal insight into the characterisation. The second section of the performance was rehearsed and directed by the pupils in pairs; it was inspired by the theatre company Frantic Assembly – 'Chair Duets'.

As you can see from the photographs there was real heightened physicalisation and emotion from all pupils. I was very impressed with all of the performances recorded over the last week.

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