

Qualification: OCR A Level Drama & Theatre

What will be assessed in 2022?

Analysing Performance Written exam (20%)

Section A - We have been given the focus of the 2 questions.

Actor – with reference to at least three scenes from a performance text that has been studied from the prescribed list in the Specification.

Directing an actor – with reference to the opening or closing scenes from a performance text that has been studied from the prescribed list in the Specification.

Section B – No change.

Deconstructing Texts Written exam (20%)

No change – However, we have been made aware that Question 1 will use an extract from Act 3 only.
Students will still need to refer to the wider text for Question 2.

Practitioners in Practice Practical/coursework (40%)

No change

Exploring & Performing Practical/coursework (20%)

Performance times have been reduced to 6-25 minutes.

What won't be assessed in 2022?

Everything will be assessed, as normal. The only changes involve advanced material being released, a reduction in performance timings and no external visiting examiner.

Additional support provided by the exam board for the 2022 year only?