

# Drama Scholarship

## **Supporting Evidence Guidance**

## Introductory Video

We would like each applicant to video an introduction of themselves direct to camera. This should be in the form of a medium close-up above the waist. It should be no more than I and a half minutes long.

In the introduction please could you say your name, the school you currently go to, your favourite experiences of drama up to this point, including any productions you may have been involved in and roles played. Please let us know about one or two of the best experiences of drama that you have had.

Please talk about some of theatre productions you may have seen and perhaps let us know about your favourite production and why you liked it so much.

Please also let us know hobbies and interests you have outside of drama.

#### **Monologue**

Audition - the performance of a short acting speech of their own choice lasting between 2 to 3 minutes. This must be performed from memory and be from a published play, screenplay or adapted from the dialogue in a novel. It should not be a poem, prose extract, devised piece, musical theatre piece or a sequence of mime).

Please note it should ideally be from a published play that showcases your range. Please film the monologue from a fixed camera that frames your full body from feet to head. You can film the monologue in a setting of your choice. For example: The kitchen, garden etc.

#### **Optional**

Singing:- If you enjoy singing and would like us to hear your voice then feel free to film a minute and a half of yourself singing either un-accompanied, with a backing track or simple accompaniment. Please note that this is optional and is not by any means necessary.

Following the submission of your application, we will invite a shortlist of candidates to come into school for a workshop in November.

If you have any questions with regards to the guidance provided, please email Mr Curtis at <a href="mailto:dcurtis@berkhamsted.com">dcurtis@berkhamsted.com</a>. He can also be reached in the Performing Arts Office on 01442 358175.