

Knowledge Organiser: Play scripts

Key Learning

- To include a simple cast list.
- To describe the setting at the beginning of the play
- To include the speakers names on the left with colons.
- To write simple dialogue without speech marks.
- To structure the play using scenes.
- To use brackets for stage directions.
- To use some punctuation for effect.

Previous learning:

To have read or preformed a play in previous years.

To have experienced role-play through other subjects.

Key Vocabulary

heard	mentioned	promised
Noticed	considered	positioned
relieved	tiptoed	stomped

Examples of Extended Stage Directions

(she rubbed her tummy)
 (he slowly opened the door)
 (she danced across the stage)
 (he looked confused)
 (whispers to....)

Suggested Texts to Explore

Play Time: Plays for all ages

12 Fabulously Funny Fairy Tale

Plays

