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Head Teacher

I am delighted to welcome you to Blue Coat Church of England School we are a specialist Music, Maths and Science college that is committed to providing a supportive and caring Christian environment where excellent educational provision, outstanding pastoral care and a wide and varied programme of extra-curricular opportunities blend together to create an environment where every individual is valued.

Choosing a secondary school for your child is a very important decision.

Perhaps you already have children at our school. Perhaps you have been attracted to Blue Coat School because you are sympathetic to our ethos or have heard about the high expectations that we have of our students. Perhaps you have been drawn by the excellent examination results that our students achieve, results that exceed both local and national averages.

Whatever your starting point, we welcome you to our school, one which prides itself on providing 'Christian Education with Care'.

This is a warm and friendly place to be where individual thought and commitment to study are encouraged and we hope the information within this website provides you with some additional details about the curriculum that will be helpful to you. We are always happy to show visitors around and should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Drama Facilities

The majority of the Drama Department's activities take place in the school theatre. During the school day the theatre is divided into two large drama studios (DS1 & DS2) which allows for two lessons to take place simultaneously.

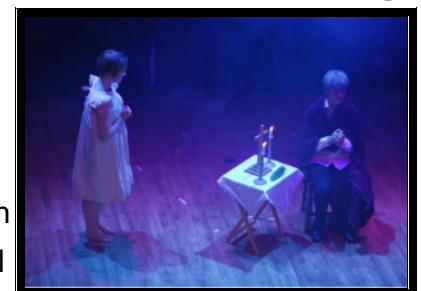
For performances, including GCSE, A-level, KS3 and whole school productions, the wall is removed and seating installed to make a large and impressive theatre space which can accommodate the full range of staging forms.

We also have a small, black box studio, use of a large hall with proscenium arched stage and a classroom for undertaking theory and written work. The theatre, studio and hall are all equipped with lighting and sound facilities. We also have a large storage of props, set, costumes, books and other resources for use in lessons and in productions.

The priority is to maintain a well ordered and stimulating theatre environment with key vocabulary and photographs of student performance work from all Key Stages. We also place great importance on giving students responsibility for developing their skills in terms of all aspects of technical theatre, directing and devising, as well as performance.



Bluecoat School Building



**Bluecoat School
Production
of
Les Miserables**