## Key Vocabulary for Spring Term Overviews

Subject: Drama		Year Group: 7
Key Learning Points/End Points	Key Vocabulary	
Performing a piece from one of Shakespeare's plays	Body language – the way the position of our bodies communicates meaning	
	Emphasis – the stress actors put on particular words to give meaning	
	<b>Evaluation</b> – to assess the strengths and weaknesses of a performance	
	Expression – how we communicate with others through body and voice	
	Facial Expression – the way we use our faces to communicate feeling	
	Gesture – the way we use arm and hand movements to communicate	
	Movement – the way we use of bodies to communicate meaning	
	Language - the way we communicate and the changes it undergoes through time	
	Literary Canon – the body of high culture work against which others are measured	
	Pitch – how high or low our voice sounds	
	Pace – the tempo of our voices	
	Pause – a stop in performance either through punctuation or choice for emphasis	
	Shakespeare – an important figure in dramatic development	
	Tone – the sound quality of our voice	
	Voice - how we communicate wi	th others through sound
	Volume – the level of sound we c	reate