

## A LEVEL DANCE

### SUMMER WORK

All tasks have been created to help you prepare for A level Dance

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#### TASK 1

Below are three videos from a choreographer that you will be studying during A level Dance,

Select one and say why you enjoy it the most:

1. <https://youtu.be/ObTW8tPL6qY>
  2. <https://youtu.be/GBvX7zG71SI>
  3. [https://youtu.be/Ojhk\\_Y8cdq8](https://youtu.be/Ojhk_Y8cdq8)
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#### TASK 2

Now **RECONSTRUCT** your favourite **MOTIF** from one of the three pieces. Once you have learnt the **MOTIF** upload it to gain feedback.

**MOTIF** - a combination movement put together to form a pattern of movement

**RECONSTRUCT** - you copy the movement that is being performed in the video

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#### TASK 3

Use the attached worksheet to analyse a section from Rooster.

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#### TASK 4

Create your own material. Take at least three movements, one from each piece to create your own phrase.

Once you have completed - send on an email - I will give you feedback.

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#### TASK 5

Create your own **MOTIF** using body parts:

Step 1 - pick a body part

Step 2 - pick an area in the space high or low

Step 3 - Spell the first letter of your name

Repeat these steps, for each letter of your name changing body part and place in the space.

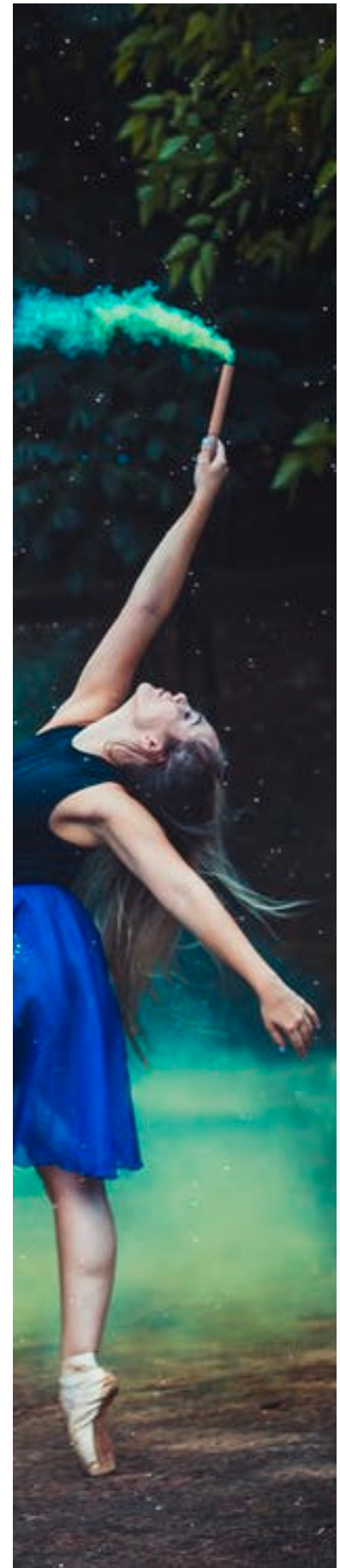
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#### TASK 6

Research into Christopher Bruce and Rooster and summarise what Christopher Bruce is trying to show with this piece.

Word count between 500-1000 words



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### ROOSTER ANALYSIS:

SECTION	DANCERS/ COSTUMES
MOTIF/ DYNAMICS	
MUSIC	
INTERPRETATION/EVALUATION	
WHAT RECURRING MOTIFS HAVE YOU SEEN?	WERE THERE UNISON?, CANNON?, COUNTER POINT?
WHAT DO YOU SEE?	
HAVE YOU SEEN ANY OF THIS MATERIAL BEFORE IN ANOTHER SECTION OR PART OF THE PIECE?	

Email me directly [Jgoodwin@halesowen.ac.uk](mailto:Jgoodwin@halesowen.ac.uk) and I will give you feedback as you go.

Or you can use the padlet page that has been set up to work in real time.

<https://padlet.com/goodwinjoshwa/Adancesummer>