

Prior Learning

Performed using more sophisticated formations as well as an individual. Used the stimuli to copy, repeat and create dance actions and motifs.

We are learning...

1. to represent the character of Matilda in our movements

Equipment

- 2. to represent Matilda's magical powers in a duet
- 3. to represent the character of Miss Trunchbull in our movements
- 4. to demonstrate Miss Trunchbull's punishments in a duet
- 5. to put our ideas together to create a class dance
- 6. to perform a class dance

Vocabulary

Music player, music, cones, hoops, throw down spots, balloons, laptop internet access, chairs.

Facial expression, improvisation, rehearse, director, prop, punishment, character, movement, phrase.

Assessment Overview

- **Head** Describe features of dances performed by others.
- Hand Competently include props and other ideas in their dance.
- **Heart** Share and create short dance phrases.

Unit Focus

Practise and put together a performance. Perform using facial expressions. Perform with a prop.

Key Questions

- 1. What is 'phrase' of a dance?
- 2. What is a prop?
- 3. Who is Miss Trunchbull and how does her character affect how we move?
- 4. How can we use action/reaction with a partner to tell a story?

Concepts

- Props are objects that dancers use to enhance their dance, like chairs, fans, ribbons and swords.
- Choreography is the act of designing a dance.



