### Key Concepts:
- The student will learn to create dialogue for various plots. Exploring how conflicts created tension in a story.

### Skills:
- Create dialogue for various plots.
- Map the plot structure of a story.
- Pantomime

### Standards:
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### Drama Content Objectives

| • I can create different characters for a plot. |
| • I can pretend to be a character and talk to others (improvise). |
| • I can create dialogue. |
| • I can create tension in a drama through conflicts between characters. |

### Vocabulary students should use

- **Character:** person, animal, or object in a story.
- **Dialogue:** when characters talk with each other.
- **Setting:** the place the story happens.
- **Events:** what happens in a story.
- **Plot Structure:** sequence of events leading to a climax and resolution.
- **5 W's:** who, what, when, where, and why.
- **Pantomime:** the telling of a story without words, by means of bodily movements, gestures, and facial expressions.
- **Tension:** the atmosphere created by unresolved inharmonious situations.
- **Mood:** the feel of a piece.
- **Conflict:** tension between two or more characters or between action and ideas.

### Lessons (Activities)

- **Telling Stories through Improvisation**
- **Process Drama Friends Unit**
- **Have the students consider the following questions: Who are the characters? What do they want? What makes the situation urgent? How does it get resolve? Now improvise this original scene. Repeat and refine.**

### Drama/ Common Core Language Objectives

- Listen to a story about the pioneers. Dialogue a scene with at least two characters and show how conflicts can be resolved.
- Teacher-guided playwriting. Create scenes, reader’s theater, narrative mimes, etc. where characters try to resolve conflicts.
- Read a familiar story. Create an alternative ending to the story.

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### Unit of Study 2
**Elements of Drama - Acting**

#### 4th Grade

**Quarter 2**

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### Key Concepts:

- The student can explore various situations through participating in role-plays

### Skills:

- Mental skills: sensory recall, visualization
- Voice skills: expressive voice
- Body skills: body awareness, expressive movement
- Ensemble skills: caretaking

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### Drama / Common Core Language Objectives

Use cultural tales with choral readings, reader’s theatre, narrative mimes, etc. to apply and practice

- Sensory recall and visualization.
- Pitch, tempo and rhythm in expressive voice.
- Expressive movements.
- Emotional interaction and exchange with others.

**For students who may not be able to engage in the above language objectives they may;** demonstrate, create, or present the work to show understanding.

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### Assessment Options:
The student uses the elements of dance to effectively communicate ideas. Have students color in content objectives on their personal Learning Map.
### Key Concepts:
- The student uses costumes, props, light and color to enhance a dramatization.

### Skills:
- Use Costume to develop characters in my role plays.
- Use props to emphasize meaning and significance.
- Use light and color to create mood.

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### Drama Content Objectives
- I can pretend to be a character in a story using costumes, props, and light.

### Vocabulary students should use
- **Costumes:** clothing worn in a drama to depict character.
- **Props:** A portable object other than furniture or costumes used on the set of a play or movie.
- **Mood:** the feel of a piece
- **Conflict:** tension between two or more characters or between action and ideas.

### Lessons (Activities)
- There are many [Lesson Plans](#) available on this site.
- [UEN Lesson Plans](#)
- [Creative Drama and Improvisation](#)

### Drama / Common Core Language Objectives
- Create a drama based on a short story or poem. Use simple costumes, props, and light to enhance the drama.

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Key Concepts:

- Demonstrate audience skills of observing attentively and responding appropriately.
- Give and accept constructive feedback, analyze and describe strengths and weaknesses of own work.

Skills:

- Identify good audience behaviors.

Standards:

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Drama Content Objectives

- I can behave appropriately when I am an audience member.
- I can observe the relationship between the actor and the audience.
- I can critique myself and others in a respectful and constructive manner.

Vocabulary students should use

- **Audience**: the act and behaviors of watching others or self in a live or recorded performance.
- **Critique**: A critical review or commentary, especially one dealing with works of art or literature. A critical discussion of a specified topic.

Lessons (Activities)

- **Assembly or live performance**: Students need to understand that audience etiquette requires specific behaviors. Before attending a performance, discuss and make a list with the students of good behaviors to exhibit when attending a performance; e.g., prompt-ness, good listening and watching, appropriate laughter and applause, inappropriate noise control, limited coming and going, and most always no food or drink. Have students role-play the effects of bad behavior on the actors and other audience members.

Drama / Common Core Language Objectives

- Watch a live performance.
- Write a critique of the performance. Share compositions orally.
- For students who may not be able to engage in the above language objectives they may; demonstrate, create, or present the work to show understanding.

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