

Key action: cooperation for innovation and the exchange of good practices



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Studying Innovative Methods

of

Education for Languages

through

Theatrical Activities

Drama – enjoyable puzzle of words & actions

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Classical Theatre



English Drama Club (University of Latvia, 2009)



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Drama & Theatre

- **warming up,**
- **tongue twisters,**
- **intonation training,**
- **role-plays,**
- **mirroring & window effect,**
- **story dramatization,**
- **pantomimes,**
- **poetry & public speaking practice,**
- **stage performance ...**

Drama & Theatre

*Team Building, Improvisation
&
Relaxation Techniques*

Regular Warming up Activities

- Physical exercises
- Articulation exercises
- Voice training
- Face muscles

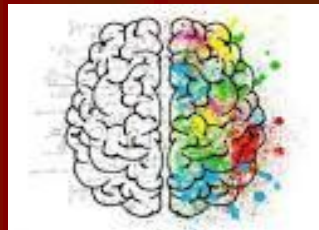


Relaxation/Body awareness/Clear pronunciation

Effective Communication

Theatrical Activities

Memory Training & Concentration



Learning Process

Theatrical Activities

Voice Variation



Intonation/Imagination/
Artistic Creativity

Theatrical Activities

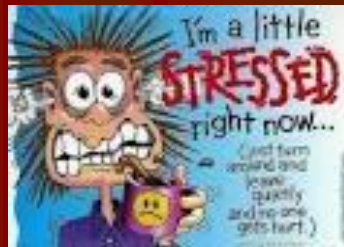
Intonation Training



Feelings & Emotions

Theatrical Activities

Correct Breathing



Speaking
(+ stressful situations)

Theatrical Activities

Window Effect



Mutual Understanding:
body language/mime & gestures

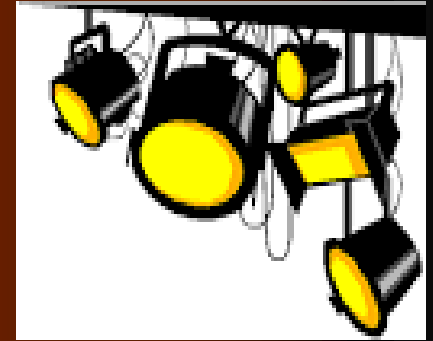
Theatrical Activities

Pantomime



Body awareness/Imagination/
Creative thinking

Instructions



- Accuracy in actions (details);
- Slow movements (mood);
- Mime techniques;
- Body language (feelings & emotions)

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Thank you for attention!

