



# Year 8 Dance Learning Journey



Featherstone High School

SMSC - Group work; exploring a range of ideas/stimulus, discovering professional dance works that explore different narratives such as Careers/Enrichment - dance clubs, the whole school musical, The Dance Festival and West End rewards trips.



Creating a range of original actions

Understanding of a range of stimulus and choosing a suitable one for a group performance

Narrative



Prisoner & Guard

Contact

## 2. Swan song

### Four elements of dance:

**Action**      **Space**  
**Dynamics**   **Relationships**

## 3. Project



Dance consists of:  
Performance  
Composition  
Appreciation

YEAR  
**9**

**Home Learning**  
Research task on Matthew Bourne Swansong and Project Self assessment

YEAR  
**8**

## 1. Nutcracker



Entrance on stage

Exit off stage

Motif & Development

Performance Skills-focus, musicality and extension

Character, confidence and musicality in performance



'TOGETHER WE ACHIEVE'