

Language Demands in the Arts

- Use of all 4 language modalities
- Use of all 4 communicative competencies
- Demonstrative pronouns to identify reference points (e.g., This pictures shows us practicing our scene)
- Sequential words
- Dance and Theater Terminology
- Formulate feedback
- Past tense
- Stating opinions
- Agreeing and disagreeing
- Adding to others' ideas
- Voice projection
- Intonation
- Modals (should, would, could)
- Academic language function words to describe process and thinking (e.g. cause and effect)
- Formulating and answering questions
- Transitional words
- Collaborative conversations
- Distinguish between formal/informal language
- Descriptive language
- Develop dialogue
- Use of conjunctions
- Emotion words
- Conditional tense (if-then)