



Features and benefits for users

The Drama Online user interface offers specially developed functionality to support teaching and learning including...

Interactive Transcript Player

Full transcripts are available for all video content, with real-time tracking of lines spoken, automatic text scrolling, hyperlinked text for easy navigation to the relevant timestamp and a 'search transcript' function.

Character Grid

Each play includes a character grid that shows character appearances by part and scene with circles that correspond in size to the number of lines spoken, showing how and when characters interact.

Play Finder

Select plays based on cast size, gender of roles, word count, period, and playwright.

Words and Speeches Graph

Each play includes a bar graph showing the number of words in each scene by total or by individual character.

Related Content

All content on Drama Online is linked by genre, period, and theme keywords, making it easy to discover and compare and contrast works for projects and research.

Develop a Part Book

View lines and stage directions for individual roles.

Personalisation Features

Save searches, highlight and annotate text, and bookmark content.

Read annotated plays intuitively

The seamless eReader includes in-text annotations and citations, with page numbers and line numbers.

Monologue Search

Find monologues by keyword, gender, and word count.

Performance Rights Information

Each play includes production enquiry information on who owns rights for the play and how to contact them.

Create bespoke video clips

Create and save video clips to support teaching and learning.