

DNA – Dennis Kelly

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A Street	A Field	A Wood	A Field	A Street	A Field	A Wood	A Field	A Street	A Field	A Wood	A Field	A Street	A Field
													
Jan Mark	Leah Phil	Lou John Tate Danny - Richard Cathy Brian - Mark Jan Leah Phil	Leah Phil	Jan Mark	Leah Phil - Mark Jan	Phil Leah Lou Danny - Richard Cathy - Jan Mark Brian	Leah Phil	Jan Mark	Phil - Leah - Jan Mark	Cathy Brian Leah Mark Lou Jan Adam Phil -	Leah Phil	Jan Mark	Richard Phil
Duologue, chorus role explaining what is going on – someone has died, audience left wondering what exactly has happened.	Leah’s monologue 1 - Puts herself down, tries to get Phil’s attention. Comments everyone is scared – Phil eats ice-cream.	John Tate attempts to keep control of gang. The audience learn what happened to Adam	Leah’s monologue 2 – discusses differences between chimps & bonobos -Phil eats crisps	In role as chorus set up questions in the mind of the audience	Phil eating Starburst – Leah’s attempts for attention by showing Jerry, dead in cage. Mention of Adam finally gets response.	A postman has been arrested for killing Adam –Police have DNA evidence	Phil picks his teeth - Leah’s déjà-vu moment – question of fate Shouting gets a reaction from Phil.	In role of chorus, reveal Adam has turned up alive, found by Cathy.	Phil eating waffle, butter & jam Leah threatens she is leaving	Adam reveals what he has been doing – plastic bag murder	Phil eats Starburst – Leah cries and storms off	In role as chorus tell the audience that Leah has left and moved schools, no-one knows where she has gone	Phil is not eating Richard reveals to the audience what has happened to the characters in the story.
‘proper dead, not living dead?’	‘the fear that everyone here lives in, the brutal terror, it scares me.’	‘I am trying to keep everyone together..Does n’t everyone want to be us...Isn’t that worth keeping hold of?/	‘if we discovered bonobos before chimps our understanding of ourselves would be different.’	‘He said he’s not going.’	‘It’s life that upsets the natural order. It’s us that’s the anomaly.’	‘They’ve found the man...they’ve got DNA evidence’	‘Do you think we’re doomed to behave like people before us did?...If you change one thing you change the world. Do you believe that?’	‘Cathy found him in the woods’.	‘the postman’s facing the rest of his life in prison’	.She (Cathy) loves violence now’. I’m in charge. Everyone is happier. What’s more important one person or everyone?’	‘She begins to cry quietly.’	‘she’s gone..’	‘There are more stars in the Universe than grains of sand on Brighton beach.’