

English Department - Y11 Revision Plan

- GCSE English Language exam – Speaking & Listening (Week beg. 21/03 - tbc)
- GCSE English Language exam – Tuesday 3rd May 2016 (am)
- GCSE English Literature exam: Paper 1 – Monday 23rd May 2016 (am)
- GCSE English Literature exam: Paper 2 – Friday 27th May 2016 (am)

Week:	English Language:	English Literature:
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08/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Revision Guide</u>: Create flashcards for the different language features (eg. similes, metaphors ...) and parts of speech (eg. noun phrases, adjectives ...) referred to in Q2 (p. 26-29). • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Read the example of a writer's effect question on p. 15-16, then complete exercise 1 (p. 17). [Suitable for CORE / EXTENDED] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Of Mice & Men' Revision guide</u>: Complete the quizzes for chapters 1-6, using quotations to support answers (p. 14-17) • Who said what? Match the quotations to the correct character, explaining what each reveals about the themes / character(s) / plot (p. 17) • Plan and write a response to one of the sample exam questions – character / theme based (p. 20-21).
15/02 Half Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercises 2 – 4 practising Q2 exam skills (p. 19-23). [Suitable for CORE / EXTENDED] • Plan / respond to a series of questions about your chosen Speaking & Listening topic. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Of Mice & Men' Revision guide</u>: complete the grids on p. 21-23 to find top 10 quotations for each main characters / theme. • Plan and write a response to at least 3 more of the sample exam questions (p. 20-21).
22/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercises 5 & 6 practising Q2 exam skills (p. 24-27). [Suitable for CORE / EXTENDED] • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 1 practising Q3 exam skills (p. 58-59). [Suitable for CORE] • Practice your 3 minute S&L presentation with friends / family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Section C of the Poetry Anthology'</u>: Read and fully annotate the following poems, commenting on the language (p. 112-7):- Half-past Two by U. A. Fanthorpe https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RfQQmy3pAeY Piano by D. H. Lawrence https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xinhewVhT-A Hide and Seek by Vernon Scannell https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nLnHuliPiMA
29/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 1 (part 1 and 2) practising Q1 exam skills (p. 28-31). [Suitable for CORE / EXTENDED] • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 2 practising Q3 exam skills (p. 60-61). [Suitable for CORE] • Practice your 3 minute S&L presentation with friends / family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Section C of the Poetry Anthology'</u>: Read and fully annotate the following poems, commenting on the language:- (p. 138-9, 1223) Remember by Christina Rossetti https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=siVabxQhC-8 Poem at Thirty-Nine by Alice Walker https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O3zqXQWccO8
07/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 2 (parts 1-3) practising Q1 exam skills (p. 32-35). [Suitable for CORE / EXTENDED] • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 3 practising Q3 exam skills (p. 62-63). [Suitable for CORE] • Practice your 3 minute S&L presentation with friends / family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Section C of the Poetry Anthology'</u>: Read and fully annotate the following poems, commenting on the language:- (p. 132-3, 118-9, 124-5) My Last Duchess by Robert Browning https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Tyka6si0pBs Sonnet 116 'Let me not to the marriage...' by William Shakespeare https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kleafwnttyk Telephone conversation by Wole Soyinka https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xGy9S6bwTlg
14/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 3 (parts 1-2) practising Q1 exam skills (p. 36-38). [Suitable for CORE / EXTENDED] • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercise 1 practising Q3 exam skills (p. 64-65). [Suitable for EXTENDED] • Practice your 3 minute S&L presentation with friends / family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Section C of the Poetry Anthology'</u>: Read and fully annotate the following poems, commenting on the language:- (p. 128-9, 134-5) War Photographer by Carol Ann Duffy https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jxor8co1ZLY A Mother in a Refugee Camp by Chinua Achebe https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qr6iWYGnuZA
21/03	<p>Speaking & Listening Exam week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'GCSE English' Workbook</u>: Complete exercises 2 & 3 practising Q3 exam skills (p. 66-70). [Suitable for EXTENDED] • Practice your 3 minute S&L presentation with friends / family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>'Section C of the Poetry Anthology'</u>: Read and fully annotate the following poems, commenting on the language:- (p.136-7, 120-1, 108-9,130-1) Do not go gentle into that good night by Dylan Thomas https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=me691jEvqY0 Once Upon a Time by Gabriel Okara https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kl8XFC_rqeU La Belle Dame sans Merci. A Ballad by John Keats

		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GstjTq1dYmg If — by Rudyard Kipling https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B2Blp6yDkRU The Tyger by William Blake https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6taK02Bvhwa
28/03 Easter Holiday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend holiday revision session. Complete a language practice exam paper – supplied by staff (Q1-3). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Unseen Poetry</u>: Read the study guide notes then complete activities about the 2 sample poems (p140-3). 'Section C of the Poetry Anthology': Create a brainstorm of themes which connect the poems in the anthology and identify which poems you could link in the exam. Plan and write a response to at least 3 of the sample exam questions.
04/04 Easter Holiday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend holiday revision session. Complete a language practice exam paper - supplied by staff (Q1-3). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Of Mice & Men' Revision guide: Plan and write a response to at least 3 of the sample exam questions (p. 20-21). 'Inspector Calls' Revision guide: Re-read the play (Acts 1-3) and answer the general questions on p. 22. Brainstorm the key themes / characters and find supporting quotations for each.
11/04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IGCSE English' Workbook: Complete exercise 1 (Part 1 or 2) practising Q1 skills (p40-42) [Suitable for EXTENDED only] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Inspector Calls' Work book: Complete the character analysis of Arthur Birling (p.1-6) focusing on his attitudes and philosophy towards: social class, the future, society, socialism and appearances.
18/04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IGCSE English' Workbook: Complete exercise 2 (Part 1 or 2) practising Q1 skills (p. 43-45) [Suitable for EXTENDED only] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Inspector Calls' Revision guide: Complete the character analysis of Shelia Birling (p. 7-10)
25/04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IGCSE English' Workbook: Complete exercise 3 (Part 1 or 2) practising Q1 skills (p. 47-49) [Suitable for EXTENDED only] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Inspector Calls' Revision guide: Complete the character analysis of Sybil Birling & Eric Birling (p. 11-15)
02/05	<p>Tuesday 3rd May – GCSE English Exam (2 hrs) * Attend Bank Holiday Revision Session.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Inspector Calls' Revision guide: Complete the character analysis of The Inspector (p.16-20) Review character notes and key quotations for each theme (p. 23-4). Complete 3 practice exam questions, fully planning each with supported quotations.
09/05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Of Mice & Men' Revision guide: Review character notes and key quotations for <u>each</u> theme: loneliness, power & responsibility, dreams & plans, the role of women. Complete 3 practice exam questions, fully planning each with supported quotations.
16/05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read several sample essays for the Literature exam, explaining – using the success criteria – how each could be improved. Re-watch both 'Of Mice & Men' and 'Inspector Calls'. Mind map themes / characters / plot; plan essay questions; use all resources to revise. Review 'Unseen' poetry skills.
23/05	<p>Monday 23rd May – GCSE English Literature exam (1 hr 45 mins) Friday 27th May – GCSE English Literature exam (1 hr 30 mins)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read several sample essays, explaining – using the success criteria – how each could be improved. Review key language terms and parts of speech terminology.