

Key Stage 4 Curriculum Overview for English Language and Literature - 2021 to 2022

| Year | Half Term 1 | Half Term 2 | Half Term 3 | Half Term 4 | Half Term 5 | Half Term 6 |
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| 10 Language | Paper 1: Imaginative writing | Paper 1: Imaginative writing | Paper 1 reading skills (evaluate, language and structure) | Paper 1 reading skills (evaluate, language and structure) | Revision for Paper 1 mock exam Complete Speaking and Listening component | Feedback from mock exam and revision of skills for Paper 1 |
| | Assessment (in class): Creative writing piece (40 marks) | Assessment (in class): Creative writing piece (40 marks) | Assessment (in class): Paper 1, qns 1-4 | Assessment (in class): Paper 1, qns 1-4 | Assessment: Mock Language Paper 1 in June | Assessment (in class): Revision of Paper 1 questions |
| 10 Literature | 19th Century novel (A Christmas Carol / Jekyll and Hyde) | 19th Century novel (A Christmas Carol / Jekyll and Hyde) | Modern Novel or Play (Boys Don't Cry / An Inspector Calls) | Modern Novel or Play (Boys Don't Cry / An Inspector Calls) | Revision for Literature mock exam and Introduction to Poetry (Conflict or Belonging Anthology) | Poetry Anthology (Conflict / Belonging) |
| | Assessment (in class): Literature Paper 2 question | Assessment (in class): Literature Paper 2 question | Assessment (in class): Literature Paper 1 question | Assessment (in class): Literature Paper 1 question | Assessment: Mock Literature Paper in June (19th century novel and modern text) | Assessment: Practice poetry question |
| 11 Language | Writing skills revision for Paper 2 | Reading and writing skills revision for Paper 2 | Reading and writing skills revision for Paper 1 | Exam paper revision – Language Papers 1 and 2 | Exam paper revision – Language Papers 1 and 2 | GCSE Exams |
| | Assessment (in class): transactional writing question | Assessment: Language Paper 2 mock exam in November | Assessment (in class): Practice paper 1 | Assessment: Language Paper 1 mock exam in March | Assessment Practice exam questions – Papers 1 and 2 | |
| 11 Literature | Paper 1: Shakespeare (Macbeth / Romeo and Juliet) | Paper 1: Shakespeare (Macbeth / Romeo and Juliet) | Paper 2 revision: 19th century novel | Exam revision: Shakespeare Modern novel/play 19th Century novel | Exam revision: Shakespeare Modern novel / play 19th Century novel | GCSE Exams |
| | Assessment: Practice Paper 1 Question (Shakespeare) | Assessment: Literature mock exam in November: Paper 1 (Shakespeare and modern novel/play) | Assessment Practice exam questions – Paper 2 | Assessment: Literature Paper 2 mock exam in March: (19th century novel) | Assessment: Practice exam questions – Papers 1 and 2 | |