

English Revision Planner

When we ask you to read a text, you can either purchase your own copy, borrow one from the library or use the following websites. If you cannot get access to a text, let your teacher know.

- 1) *Macbeth*: No Fear Shakespeare. Macbeth Translation:
https://www.sparknotes.com/nofear/shakespeare/macbeth/page_2/
- 2) *A Christmas Carol*: <https://www.gutenberg.org/files/46/46-h/46-h.htm>
- 3) *An Inspector Calls*: <https://booksvooks.com/an-inspector-calls-pdf-jb-priestley.html>
- 4) Power and Conflict poetry - use your revision guide or your anthology

Dates	Language Revision	Literature Revision
26/9/22 – 7/10/22	<p>Language Paper 1 and 2</p> <p>Using BBC Bitesize, revise how to plan and produce effective pieces of creative writing. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zt38j6f/revision/1)</p>	<p>Power and Conflict Poetry</p> <p>Create a mindmap that explores how the effects of conflict are present throughout the poems:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 'Remains' - 'War Photographer' - 'Poppies' - 'The Charge of the Light Brigade' - 'Bayonet Charge' <p>When creating your mindmap, consider the way language, structure and form is used within each poem, as well as how they compare and contrast.</p>
10/10/22 – 21/10/22	<p>Language Paper 2</p> <p>Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of how to respond to a non-fiction text. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zxsck7h/revision/1)</p> <p>Complete a sample exam question and compare your answers with the exemplar: (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zsgw7hv/revision/1)</p>	<p>Power and Conflict Poetry</p> <p>Create a mindmap that explores how the power of nature is present throughout the poems:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Extract from 'The Prelude' - 'Storm on the Island' - 'Exposure' - 'Kamikaze' - 'Ozymandias' <p>When creating your mindmap, consider the way language, structure and form is used within each poem, as well as how they compare and contrast.</p>
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31/10/22 – 11/11/22	<p>Language Paper 2</p> <p>Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of how to write and construct non-fiction texts: (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zwt3rdm/revision/1)</p> <p>Complete the following writing task: 'Libraries are relics from the past. Everything we need to know these days can be found online. Library buildings could be put to better use as community spaces.'</p> <p>Write an article for a newspaper in which you explain your point of view on this statement.</p>	<p>Power and Conflict Poetry</p> <p>Create a mindmap that explores how power and control is present throughout the poems:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 'The Emigrée' - 'London' - 'My Last Duchess' - 'Checking Out Me History' - 'Tissue' <p>When creating your mindmap, consider the way language, structure and form is used within each poem, as well as how they compare and contrast.</p>

14/11/22 – 25/11/22	Mock Exams (1) Fortnight Learners sit exams in Hall.	
28/11/22 – 9/12/22	Language Paper 1 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of setting (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zcnbcwx/revision/1) and characterization (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/ztdmtyc/revision/1)	Macbeth Read <i>Macbeth</i> , Acts 1 and 2. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make notes on how the characters of Macbeth and Lady Macbeth are portrayed, specifically their relationship. • Make notes on how Macbeth's character changes throughout these acts.
12/12/22 – 16/12/22	Language Paper 1 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of language and structure. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zt38j6f/revision/1)	Macbeth Read <i>Macbeth</i> , Acts 3 and 4. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make notes on how the character of Macbeth changes and develops throughout these acts. • Make notes on how Lady Macbeth is presented in these acts and how her character has changed throughout the play.
Christmas Break		
4/1/23 – 13/1/23	Language Paper 1 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of how to respond to a fiction text. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zyxsv4j/revision/1) Complete a sample exam question and compare your answers with the exemplar: (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8bkwx/revision/1)	Macbeth Read <i>Macbeth</i> , Acts 5. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make notes on how the character of Macbeth changes and develops throughout these acts. • Make notes on how Lady Macbeth is presented in these acts and how her character has changed throughout the play.
16/1/23 – 27/1/23	Language Paper 1 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of how to write and construct fiction texts: (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zy47xsg/revision/1) Complete the following writing task: 'Write the opening part of a story about a place during a storm.'	Macbeth Plan a response to the exam question on <i>Macbeth</i> (page 4). Once you have completed your plan, write your essay. (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/english/AQA-87022-SQP-SS-22.PDF)
30/1/23 – 10/2/23	Language Paper 1 Read the insert (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2019/november/AQA-87001-INS-NOV19.PDF) Then complete Section A, pages 1-12: (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2019/november/AQA-87001-QP-NOV19.PDF)	A Christmas Carol Re-read <i>A Christmas Carol</i> and create a flowchart of the key moments/events within each stave. Consider how Scrooge's character changes and evolves as the novella progresses.
13/2/23 – 17/2/23	Language Paper 1 Plan and produce a response to Section B, page 13: (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2019/november/AQA-87001-QP-NOV19.PDF)	A Christmas Carol Having re-read <i>A Christmas Carol</i> , create mindmaps that explore how the following themes are present and significant: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Poverty - Redemption - Christmas - Social Responsibility

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27/2/23 – 10/3/23	Mock Exams (2) Fortnight Learners sit exams in classrooms.	
13/3/23 – 24/3/23	Language Paper 2 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of non-fiction text types. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2t3rdm/revision/1)	A Christmas Carol Plan a response to the exam question on A Christmas Carol (page 5). Once you have completed your plan, write your essay. (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/english/AQA-87021N-SQP-SS-22.PDF)
27/3/23 – 27/3/23	Language Paper 2 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of language and structure. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zq6vg82/revision/1)	Unseen Poetry Plan a response to the exam questions on unseen poetry (pages 22-23). Once you have completed your plans, write your responses. (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2018/june/AQA-87022-QP-JUN18-CR.PDF)
Spring Break		
17/4/23 – 28/4/23	Language Paper 2 Using BBC Bitesize, revise your understanding of how to compare texts. (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zgd6p39/revision/1) Complete a sample exam question and compare your answers with the exemplar: (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8mf39q/revision/1)	An Inspector Calls Re-read An Inspector Calls , Acts 1, 2 and 3. Make notes on how the theme of social responsibility runs throughout the play (and why this theme is significant).
2/5/23 – 12/5/23	Language Paper 2 Read the inserts (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2018/november/AQA-87002-INS-NOV18.PDF) Then complete Section A, pages 1-10: (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2018/november/AQA-87002-QP-NOV18.PDF)	An Inspector Calls Having re-read An Inspector Calls , create mindmaps for each character, focusing on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How they act and behave throughout the play. - How and why they change (or don't) throughout the play. - What each character represents. - How they link to key contextual factors. - How they link to Priestley's views and intentions.
15/5/23 – 26/5/23	Language Paper 2 Plan and produce a response to Section B, page 11: (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/sample-papers-and-mark-schemes/2018/november/AQA-87002-QP-NOV18.PDF)	An Inspector Calls Plan a response to the exam question on An Inspector Calls (page 4). Once you have completed your plan, write your essay. (https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/english/AQA-87021M-SQP-SS-22.PDF)
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- Each of these tasks should take between 60 and 90 minutes to complete.
- Completed work can be handed in to your class teacher for feedback.
- Your English teacher will also set you separate homework tasks.
- **Class specific homework tasks take priority.**
- The tasks outlined above are intended to support your revision and help you to plan where to focus your efforts as you build up to your GCSE exams.