

2023-2024

English Curriculum map





Key Stage 3

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 7	Adventure Focus text: Treasure Island, Robert Louis Stevenson Secondary: Unst: A Real-Life Treasure Island, The Dead Man's Chest, Modern Day Pirates, Was Long John Silver a Welshman? Poetry: Sea Fever, Brothers, Greed	Disrupting the Natural Order Focus text: A Midsummer Night's Dream, William Shakespeare Secondary: William Shakespeare interesting facts, The Globe Theatre, Shakespeare's World, Shakespeare's success, Poetry: what is poetry? Daffodils, Hope,	The Art of Rhetoric Focus text: 12 Angry Men, Reginald Rose Secondary: Obama, Churchill, Malala, Emma Watson, Elizabeth I, Richard Nixon, Sojourner Truth
	Themes: power, adventure, conflict, identity, violence, courage, honour, trust L/S: metaphor, adjectives, syntax:	Train, Dreams Themes: supernatural, love, relationships, conflict of women, treatment of women, identity L/S: metaphor, abstract to concrete,	Themes: power, relationships, conflict, identity, discrimination
	word class and subjects Story: sense making, heroes, narrative perspective, conflict	changing word classes Story: genre: comedy & tragedy, drama, plot, characterisation	symbolism Story: genre: tragedy, origins of rhetoric, drama
	Writing: Adjective Attack, 3 Verb Sentence, Prepositional Push off Context: adventure, piracy, justice, heroism	Writing: Simile start, the big because, Adverb snap Context: Elizabeth I, Pyramus and Thisbe, Matriarchal society vs Patriarchal society	Writing: Past participle start (-ed), Comma Sandwich, Double Adverb Snap Context: origins of rhetoric, political campaigns
Year 8	Belonging, Survival and Mercy Focus text: In the Sea There are Crocodiles, Fabio Geda Secondary: Lake Urmia, Malala, Iran deportation, Kabul airport, Taliban	Love and Honour Focus text: Romeo and Juliet, William Shakespeare	Power and Exploitation Focus Text: Animal Farm, George Orwell Secondary: How doth the little Crocodile?, Jabberwocky, The Eagle and The Jaguar



	Beseige Pakistan school Poetry: What Were They Like, Blessing, Two Scavengers	Secondary : Poetry: Sonnet 116, Romeo and Juliet, The Follower	
	Themes: Identity, relationships, conflict, fear, discrimination	Themes: power, relationships, love, conflict, religion & fate, violence	Themes: power, exploitation, identity, conflict, relationships
	L/S: theme, characterisation, narrative perspective, narrative voice, authoritative intent, irony, tone	L/S: genre: tragedy, prologue, epilogue, story structure, metaphor, iambic structure	L/S: animalism, symbolism, metaphor, rhetoric, language as power
	Story: self-discovery, character journey, storytelling, and narration	Story: plot, dialogue, drama, characterisation, verse	Story: fable, moral, ideology, character voice
	Writing: Present participle start (–ing), Almost, Almost, When, The So So Sentence, Without Without	Writing: Never Did Than, The 'as if verb' Pivot, The As If Avalanche	Writing: Last word; first word, Whoever/ Whenever/ Whichever, But None More Than Sentence
	Context: life of a refugee, tyranny, poverty, struggle in a contemporary world	Context: Elizabethan period, patriarchy, demands of religion, family structure	Context: Russian revolution: Stalinism, democracy, Cold War, Soviet Union, socialism, Totalitarianism
Year 9	Division and Dystopia Focus text: Noughts and Crosses Secondary: Stephen Lawrence, Racism in Football, Lynching, Malorie Blackman Interview Poetry: Incident, If We Must Die, Checking Out Me History, Taught Racism	The Gothic: Awe and Fear Focus text: Jekyll and Hyde Secondary: The Fall of the House of Usher, The Tell Tale Heart, The Shadow on the Stone, The Raven, Porphyria's Lover, The Red Room	Struggle for Identity Focus text: Of Mice and Men Secondary: Extracts and poetry with themes linked to identity, gender, race and power
	Themes: identity, love, relationships, discrimination, power, conflict	Themes: love, supernatural, power, identity (the double)	Themes: abuse of power, identity struggle, relationships, loneliness, discrimination: gender & racial
	L/S: narrative perspective, characterisation, dual narrative	L/S: foreshadowing, motif, pathetic fallacy	L/S: metaphor, tone, pathetic fallacy, symbolism, cyclical structure, motif



Story: protagonist, character development, dialogue	Story: theme, setting, protagonist/antagonist, narrative structure	Story: structure: cyclical, characterisation, narrative voice, authoritative narrator, deterministic plot
Writing: Semi-colon Split. Colon Clarification, Comparative More, More Sentence, More, More, More Sentence / Less, Less, Less Sentence	Writing: Let Loose Sentence, Not, Nor, Nor Sentence, End Loaded Sentence	Writing: The Writer's Aside, Or & Or Sentence, Repeat and Reload
Context: Slavery and the race wars, alternate history, modern-day Western world, civil rights movement	Context: The Uncanny, Gothic conventions, Victorian social anxieties, psychoanalytic theory	Context: economic downturn: The Great Depression, economic conditions, male relationships

Key Stage 4

Year 10	<u>Transformation and Redemption</u> <u>English Literature</u> Focus text: A Christmas Carol	Ambition and Guilt English Literature Focus text: Macbeth	Social Responsibility English Literature Focus text: An Inspector Calls
	Themes: transformation, redemption, benevolence, greed, social injustice, forgiveness, family, love, relationships	Themes: ambition, guilt, appearance v reality, loyalty and betrayal, kingship, justice, fate, masculinity and femininity, love, relationships	Themes: social responsibility, cause and effect, gender, age, social class, guilt, socialism, capitalism
	Context: Victorian poverty and charity, romanticism	Context: divine right of kings, great chain of being, masculinity and femininity in Jacobean times, King James, witchcraft	Context: Edwardian social classes, 1912 v 1945, patriarchy, socialism, capitalism
	English Language Focus text: Extracts, Transactional Writing	<u>English Language</u> Focus text: Extracts, Transactional Writing	English Language Focus text: Extracts, Transactional Writing
Year 11	<u>Relationships</u> English Literature	<u>Revision</u>	Revision



English Language	Focus text: Paper 1 and 2 for both	Focus text: Paper 1 and 2 for both
Focus Text: Love and Relationships	GCSEs	GCSEs
Poetry		
Focus Text: Fiction Extracts, Images	English Literature: plot, characters,	English Literature: plot, characters,
Themes: love, family, romance, war, obsession, attraction, death, passion, humour, power, change	themes, language analysis, context	themes, language analysis, context
Context: romanticism, war, gender]	
	English Language: Information	English Language: Information retrieval,
	retrieval, language analysis, structure	language analysis, structure analysis,
	analysis, evaluation, comparing	evaluation, comparing extracts, writing
	extracts, writing from a viewpoint,	from a viewpoint, transactional writing
	transactional writing	