English Assessment Policy

KS3

Our curriculum at KS3 allows our students to develop their reading and writing skills through varied tasks. Marking grids give an overview of the knowledge and skills covered in each unit and will be used to track individual progress through Steps 1-4 below.

- Step 1: Baseline (piece of writing/ keyword knowledge)
- Step 2- Keyword quiz
- Step 3- Peer feedback/ whole class assessment (Reading and Writing)
- Step 4- End of topic task (piece of writing/ keyword knowledge)

KS4

Our curriculum at KS4 covers GCSE English language, GCSE English literature and, for those who have opted, BTEC Media (L2).

When making assessment decisions, the assessment criteria provided by the relevant exam board will be used.

English language	English literature	Media
Each unit will include:	Each unit will include:	Each unit will include:
At least 2 occasions of teacher feedback.	At least 2 occasions of teacher feedback.	At least 2 occasions of teacher feedback.
Plus a combination of: - Live in class feedback - Whole class feedback - Peer/self feedback	 Plus a combination of: Multiple Choice Quiz Live in class feedback Whole class feedback Peer/self feedback 	Plus a combination of: - Multiple Choice Quiz - Live in class feedback - Whole class feedback - Peer/self feedback

KS5

Our curriculum at KS5 covers A Level English language, A Level English literature, A Level English Combined and BTEC Media (L3).

When making assessment decisions, the assessment criteria provided by the relevant exam board will be used.

As a general rule, there will be at least 2 occasions of teacher feedback plus each unit may include:

- Multiple Choice Quiz
- Live in class feedback
- Peer feedback