

ENGLISH LITERATURE

KS4 CURRICULUM ROADMAP

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An Inspector Calls

Whilst studying JB Priestley's 20th century play, students will analyse both character and theme.

Anthology Poetry

Nine poems from the anthology will be studied, all coming under the theme of war, identity and memory. Historical, cultural and social contexts of the poems will also be explored.

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Macbeth

Shakespeare's play will be read in full so that students can study the development of characters, themes and plot.

A Christmas Carol

Whilst studying Charles Dickens' novel, character, plot and them will be analysed in detail. Exploration of the Victorian context will be used to expand understanding.

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Poetry: anthology and unseen

The final 6 poems from the anthology covering themes of love and nature are studied. Following this, students will learn how to approach an unseen poem in an exam.

Revision

Time to ensure everyone is confident with each section of the exam and perfect exam technique.

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Component 1

A: Shakespeare play: Macbeth

B: Anthology poetry

Component 2

A: An Inspector Calls

B: A Christmas Carol

C: Unseen poetry