

Curriculum Overview

English Year 10

	<u>HT1</u>	<u>HT2</u>	<u>HT3</u>	<u>HT4</u>	<u>HT5</u>	<u>HT6</u>
<u>Topic</u>	Short Stories - developing comprehension skills.	Transactional writing reviews and reports	Speaking & listening tasks to be taught through: Speeches Discussion Debate	Narrative Writing - Component 1 Section B skills	Novel Study Heroes - focus is on Component 1 Section A skills	Complete Novel Study and Mini-Mock - focus on Component 1 Section A and B
Skills and knowledge	 Identifying appropriate textual evidence. Commenting on the connotations of words. Constructing a language analysis 	 structur e and organis ation of reviews . structur e and organis ation of a report. 	 structure and organisat ion of speeches Key features of a successfu I speech delivery. 	 What makes a strong opening/ ending Four part plot structure (opening/conflict/clim ax/ending) Techniques to develop tension/ pace Characterisation 	 Identifying appropriate textual evidence. Annotating a text effectively. Tracking a text 	Working under timed conditions Improving understanding of all skills and knowledge covered in HT1, 4 and 5.

response by using PEA. Improving comprehension skills: Skimming Scanning Summarising prediction	Levels of formali ty when writing for differen t purpos es and audienc es. Using differen t types of sentenc es. Openin g sentenc es in differen t ways. Using punctu ation to suit the formali ty of the text. Improving understanding of:	The use of tone in speech delivery. Listening carefully to others' ideas. Recognisi ng the differenc e between open and closed question s. Listening carefully to question s and responding appropriately. Improving understanding of: Research ing specific topics. Note taking.	 Appropriate narrative devices Appropriate use of dialogue. Appropriate use of description of settings. Include opportunities for: developing accurate grammar, spelling and punctuation 	methodicall y. Commentin g on the connotatio ns of words. Constructin g a language analysis response by using PEAL. Evaluating how a writer structures and organises their ideas to create effects. Using inference to analyse a character. Improving comprehension skills: Skimming Scanning Summarisin g prediction	
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		 Purpos e, audienc e, format and tone. Success ful plannin g. Rhetori cal devices . 	• Persuasiv e techniqu es			
Assessme nt Opportuni ties (F&S)	Mid-term: What impressions does the writer create of Summative: How does the writer create a tense and dramatic atmosphere?	Mid-term: Write a review Summative: Write a report	Mid-term: first attempt of GCSE speech delivered to peers/cla ss teacher. Summative: final attempt of GCSE speech	Mid-term: Pupils write the opening and problem of their story. Summative: Pupils to write a complete narrative story based on one of the below titles:	Mid-term: Impressions and analysis OR evaluation question Summative: Impressions and evaluation OR analysis question	Summative: Component 1 Section A and B delivered like a Walking Talking Mock

			delivery to peers/cla ss teacher	a. Write about a time when you panicked; b. 'And if that was just the first day of the holiday, I certainly wasn't looking forward to the rest of it.' c. A most unlikely hero. d. Continue the following: 'As I came out, I was just so relieved it was all over' e. Looking Back		
CEIAG	Interpreting and analysing texts for roles such as mechanical engineering.	Writing for a variety of purpos es and audienc es links with roles in media and journali sm.	Developing strong verbal communi cation is key to roles in all industrie s.	Creating creative texts is needed for the role of author or poet.	Interpreting and analysing texts for roles such as legal lawyers and barristers.	Using skills such as working under timed conditions and meeting deadlines to help in careers such as journalism.

Cultural Capital	-Opportunities to research/discuss /explore different cultures (e.g. America/Germa ny)	Coal Clough Cafe in- house restaur ant experie nce.	Researching a topic of interest.	Author visit or watch online interviews with authors.	A visit to a war museum (Eden Camp).	Talk with previous students about their experience with GCSEs and revision. Interview style techniques.
Cross- Curricular Links	-Wider understanding of language -Links to PSHE (topics/themes arising in the short stories chosen).	-Food technol ogy, Travel and Touris m and Photogr aphy: pupils from these subject s to support in the delivery of the restaur ant experie nce.	-Good communi cation and speaking and listening skills link across all subjects.	-Links to PSHE when discussing creating stories with a moral purpose.	-Links to History and understanding the events of Pearl Harbour.	-Links to other formally examined subjects where skills like retrieval/recall/working under timed conditions are required.