



# Curriculum Milestones Year 7 - 11

**English** 



## **KEY STAGE 3**

At the end of Year 7, Students will know about and be able to do the following:	At the end of Year 8, Students will know about and be able to do the following:	At the end of Year 9, Students will know about and be able to do the following:
<ul> <li>Develop knowledge of a contemporary novel and a novel with a focus on other cultures.</li> <li>Explore plot and characters in a novel.</li> <li>Explore their local context through the study of 'Our Day Out'.</li> <li>Explore a Pre-1914 text.</li> <li>Locate and retrieve key information, use quotations to support ideas and begin to analyse language choices.</li> <li>Use appropriate sentences and punctuation.</li> <li>Craft a narrative in a specific genre.</li> <li>Write descriptions that feature multi-sensory detail.</li> <li>Use a selection of ambitious vocabulary.</li> <li>Identify and create different non fiction genres and texts.</li> <li>Explore Shakespearean context and study a range of Shakespeare's plays and sonnets.</li> <li>Develop oracy skills.</li> <li>Develop speaking and listening skills.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Develop knowledge of a contemporary novel and a novel with a focus on other cultures.</li> <li>Explore plot and characters in a novel.</li> <li>Explore their local context through non-fiction texts, poetry and a play to engage with local issues.</li> <li>Explore a range of Pre-1914 texts.</li> <li>Locate and retrieve information, use quotations to support ideas and analyse language choices.</li> <li>Use appropriate sentences and punctuation.</li> <li>Explore the theme of 'Power' through a variety of texts and writing.</li> <li>Write descriptions using 'show, don't tell'.</li> <li>Use a range of ambitious vocabulary.</li> <li>Explore a Shakespeare text – 'The Tempest'.</li> <li>Develop oracy skills.</li> <li>Develop speaking and listening skills.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Explore a range of cultural themes and issues through the study of contemporary non fiction texts.</li> <li>Write responses which show an awareness of the conventions of different genres.</li> <li>Explore plot and characters in a Pre-1914 novel.</li> <li>Explore their local context through non-fiction texts and poetry.</li> <li>Locate and retrieve information, use quotations to support ideas and analyse language choices.</li> <li>Use appropriate sentences and punctuation.</li> <li>Craft creative writing using a range of appropriate techniques.</li> <li>Use a wide range of ambitious and apt vocabulary.</li> <li>Explore Shakes peare's key speeches in a range of his plays.</li> <li>Develop oracy skills.</li> <li>Develop speaking and skills.</li> </ul>
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### **KEY STAGE 4**

At the end of Year 10, Students will know about and be able to do the following:

At the end of Year 11, Students will know about and be able to do the following:

Students will continue to study and revise the range of texts and genres experienced in

#### **English Language Reading**

Students will study 20th century fiction, demonstrating an ability to:

- Understand implicit and explicit meaning (AO1 Lang)
- Analyse a writer's craft and use of language (AO2 Lang)
- Evaluate a text (Lang AO4)

They will also show these skills when studying 19<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> Century non fiction texts, whilst also showing an ability to:

- Synthesise information from two sources (AO1 Lang)
- Compare ideas, perspective and methods (AO3 Lang)

#### **English Language Writing**

- Pupils will craft short stories, produce transactional responses with appropriate content and register and show a command of Standard English (AO5 & AO6 Lang)
- Pupils will write and perform a speech, responding g questions from their audience (AO7 & AO8 Lang).

#### English Literature - Shakespeare, Modern & Victorian text, range of poetry.

Lit AO1- knowledge of plot, characters and theme

Lit AO2- Analysis of writer's craft and use of language

Lit AO3- Exploration of context

#### **English Language**

Year 10.

Lang AO1- Show a secure understanding of implicit and explicit meaning and confidently synthesise information from two sources

Lang AO2- Analyse closely a writer's use of language, structure and form

Lang AO3- Make relevant and sometimes perceptive comparisons of a writer's ideas, perspectives and methods

Lang AO4- Evaluate texts, offering a considered personal response

Lang AO5- Craft responses for different genres and purposes, providing suitable content and using the correct register and conventions

Lang AO6- Write with increasing technical accuracy and flair, using a variety of sentence structures and ambitious vocabulary

#### **English Literature**

Lit A01- Display an in depth knowledge of plot, characters and theme and understand a writer's perspective and viewpoint across a range of literary genres

Lit AO2- Analyse closely a writer's use of language, structure and form

Lit AO3- Exploration of context, how the text relates to its context and how it might be received by an audience