

# Key Stage 3 Curriculum Map

	Autumn Half Term 1	Autumn Half Term 2	Spring Half Term 1	Spring Half Term 2	Summer Half Term 1	Summer Half Term 2
<b>Year 7 – Engage with Skills</b>	Themes that will be covered : <b>Charles Dickens – ‘Oliver Twist’ and Victorian fiction.</b>	Themes that will be covered : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Non-fiction reading and writing – Social Media.</b></li> <li>• <b>Speaking and Listening presentation.</b></li> </ul>	Themes that will be covered : <b>Shakespeare – ‘The Tempest’.</b>	Themes that will be covered : <b>Writing to Narrate – Moving Image.</b>	Themes that will be covered : <b>Poems from Other Cultures</b>	Themes that will be covered : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Exam preparation – Paper 1.</b></li> <li>- <b>Writing to Describe – still images.</b></li> </ul>
	The parts of speech: verbs, nouns, articles, adjectives, prepositions. Subject-verb agreement. Tense.		The elements of a sentence. Simple sentences, compound sentences, complex sentences. Listing and bracketing commas.		Topic sentences, paragraphs, introductions and conclusions.	
	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Literature paper 1 section A</b></li> <li>- <b>English Language paper 2</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English language paper 2 section A and B</b></li> <li>- <b>Spoken Language</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1</b></li> <li>- <b>English Literature paper 1 section B</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1 section A</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Literature paper 2 section C</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>End of year progress test.</b></li> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1</b></li> </ul>
<b>Year 8 – Developing Skills</b>	Themes that will be covered : <b>Poetry – Character and Voice.</b>	Themes that will be covered : <b>American Literature – ‘Of Mice and Men’ or ‘The Crucible’</b>	Themes that will be covered : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Opinion based writing – Animal Cruelty.</b></li> <li>- <b>Speaking and Listening presentations.</b></li> </ul>	Themes that will be covered : <b>Shakespeare – ‘Romeo and Juliet’</b>	Themes that will be covered : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Short stories.</b></li> <li>- <b>Writing to Describe and Narrate.</b></li> </ul>	Themes that will be covered : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Exam preparation – Paper 1.</b></li> <li>- <b>Transition to Year 9 – engaging with Dystopian texts.</b></li> </ul>
	Revision of previous year, plus: adverbs, comparative and superlative adjectives, nouns, plural nouns, the genitive case (the apostrophe), contraction.		Revision of previous year, plus: compound-complex sentences, noun appositive phrases, conjunctive adverbs, semi colons.		Revision of previous year, plus: connections between sentences, proofreading, drafting and rewriting.	
	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Literature paper 2 section C</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1 section A</b></li> <li>- <b>English Literature paper 1 section A</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English language paper 2 section A and B</b></li> <li>- <b>Spoken Language</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1</b></li> <li>- <b>English Literature paper 1 section B</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1 section A and B</b></li> </ul>	Key Assessments taking place: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>End of year progress test.</b></li> <li>- <b>English Language paper 1</b></li> </ul>

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<b>Year 9 – Foundations for GCSE</b>	<b>Themes that will be covered :</b> <b>Dystopian fiction:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 'Animal Farm'</li> <li>- 'Lord of the Flies'</li> <li>- 'I Am Legend'</li> <li>- 'Brave New World'</li> </ul>	<b>Themes that will be covered :</b> <b>Non-fiction – Language Paper 2</b>  <b>Writing to Argue and/or Persuade – Climate Change and the environment.</b>	<b>Themes that will be covered :</b> <b>Villains in Shakespeare.</b>	<b>Themes that will be covered :</b> <b>Power and Conflict poetry.</b> <b>Class reader: Oranges in No Man's Land.</b>	<b>Themes that will be covered :</b> <b>Exam preparation – Paper 2.</b>	<b>Themes that will be covered :</b> <b>Gothic short stories.</b> <b>Writing to Describe and Narrate.</b>
	Revision of previous years, plus: subject, direct object, indirect object, the passive, auxiliary verbs, participles, word endings.		Revision of previous years, plus: restrictive and non-restrictive clauses, colons, hyphens, punctuating speech.		Revision of previous years, plus: text purpose and audience.	
	<b>Key Assessments taking place :</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English Literature paper 2 section A</li> <li>- English Language paper 1 section A</li> </ul>	<b>Key Assessments taking place :</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English Language paper 2 section A and B</li> </ul>	<b>Key Assessments taking place :</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English Literature paper 1 section B</li> <li>- English Language paper 1 section A</li> </ul>	<b>Key Assessments taking place :</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English Literature paper 2 section A</li> <li>- English Literature paper 2 section C</li> </ul>	<b>Key Assessments taking place :</b>  English Language Paper 2.	<b>Key Assessments taking place :</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English Language paper 1 section A and B</li> </ul>