



Year 10 Curriculum Overview

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| 10EN3 | https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjAxNjEzNjE2 |
| 10EN4 | https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjAyMjA5NzQ4 |
| 10EN5 | https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjAwODI5ODc3 |
| 10EN6 | https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjAyNDcxMTc4 |

| Half Term 1 | | |
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| Date | Curriculum Overview Focus: English Language Paper 1 Topic: Creative Writing | Remote Learning |
| WEEK 1 02/09 | Descriptive 'cold' task – The Street / Introduction to descriptive rules / Slow write – The Theme Park / Reflection tasks Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zy926fr/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Control Under Fire') |
| WEEK 2 07/09 | Avoiding comma splicing // The School Canteen / Present tense / The Hospital Patient / Showing, not telling – Miss Havisham Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zc7nycw/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Eye of the Monster') |
| WEEK 3 14/09 | Zooming in and out – Lord Asriel / Subordinating conjunctions / Collective Write – The Darkly-moralised Man / Genre and semantic fields Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zqnr9qt/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Flu Fighter') |
| WEEK 4 21/09 | Writing in a dystopic style - 1984 / Independent write – Street walk / Sentence styles – Dracula / Subject-verb agreement Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zs47xsg/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Passage to Fortune') |
| WEEK 5 28/09 | The City description / Components of effective characters / The Kite Runner – characterisation / Character theory Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zc2sv4j/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Robin Hood') |
| WEEK 6 05/10 | Plotting narrative trajectory / Vonnegut structure / Direct speech / Semi-colons / Narrative endings Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2y9dmn/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Pressure') |
| WEEK 7 12/10 | Assessment task ('The Firework Display' description or 'A Tense Atmosphere' narrative) / Feedback, self-reflection & pupil voice | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zt38j6f/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Spine Shivers – Off the Cuff') |
| Half Term 2 | | |
| Date | Curriculum Overview Focus: GCSE English Literature Paper 1 Topic: A Christmas Carol | Remote Learning |
| WEEK 1 02/11 | Re-introduction to Victorian Britain context / Stave 1 – Bleak Atmosphere / Early presentations of Scrooge / chapter reading Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zprktyc/revision/1 |

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| | | <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'A Christmas Carol')</p> |
| WEEK 2 09/11 | <p>Fred and the Christmas Spirit – Informal letter tasks / Social commentary and the treatment of the poor / The Knocker and the supernatural / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zcmhcwx/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Bleak Victorian Times')</p> |
| WEEK 3 16/11 | <p>Stave 1 reading / Ghost of Christmas Past symbolism / The Slight Realisation – contrasting character emotions / apathy and empathy quote analysis / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zg8qfrd/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Poor Law')</p> |
| WEEK 4 23/11 | <p>The Significance of Fezziwig's party – language contrasts / Plot consolidation – film/narrative map / Stave 3 reading / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zqxp4j6/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Scrooge')</p> |
| WEEK 5 30/11 | <p>The Ghost of Christmas Present - representation / Ignorance and Want – authorial intentions / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zc2trdm/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Crime in London')</p> |
| WEEK 6 07/12 | <p>Stave 4 reading / The Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come – the theme of fear and regret / Redemption and Change – essay planning and knowledge organiser / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8f46fr/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Blood in the Water')</p> |
| WEEK 7 14/12 | <p>Assessment task – Scrooge's character development essay / Feedback, self-reflection and pupil voice / Accelerated Reader STAR Test</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8cjrfd/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Treadmill')</p> |
| Half Term 3 | | |
| Date | <p>Curriculum Overview Focus: GCSE English Language Paper 2 Topic: Power and Conflict Poetry</p> | Remote Learning |
| WEEK 1 04/01 | <p>Introduction to Power & Conflict poetry / Poetic techniques / 'Read All About It' lyric study / 'The Charge of the Light Brigade' context – propaganda and The Crimean War – poem analysis / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zwh6xsg/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'World War Two Uncovered')</p> |
| WEEK 2 11/01 | <p>'Bayonet Charge' – WW1 and Ted Hughes - context study / Poem analysis – structure focus: enjambment, rhyme scheme, in medias res / Comparison of CotLB & BC / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zpbvycw/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Crimean War')</p> |
| WEEK 3 18/01 | <p>'War Photographer' background study – war in the media / Language and structure annotations / Morals and messages / Whole-class essay write / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zpfnp39/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'War Through the Lens')</p> |
| WEEK 4 25/01 | <p>'Kamikaze' – context research – Japanese culture & politics / Language and structure annotations / WAGOLL evaluation / Comparison of WP & KAM / Spelling & vocabulary quiz</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zcm7qty/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Combat in the Air')</p> |
| WEEK 5 01/02 | <p>'The Emigree' context research – immigration and refuge / Language and structure annotations / 'Tissue' poem analysis & context / Impressionistic poetry summary /</p> | <p>- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]</p> <p>- Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zw7jwxs/revision/1</p> <p>- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Humanitarian Crisis')</p> |

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| | Comparison of TE & Tis independent task / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | |
| WEEK 6 08/02 | Assessment task – The impact of conflict on people comparison essay / Feedback, self-reflection & pupil voice | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z3k4cwx/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'War and Poetry') |
| Half Term 4 | | |
| Date | Curriculum Overview Focus: English Language Paper 2 Topic: Viewpoint Writing | Remote Learning |
| WEEK 1 22/02 | Introduction to Paper 2 – exam structure / Skimming and scanning strategies / True statements question practice / Non-fiction reading – mobile phones, plastic & chocolate articles / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2t3rdm/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Butterfly Effect') |
| WEEK 2 01/03 | Summarising information / Britain to the Refuge article task / Tattoo article - independent summary task / Summary/comparing two sources – Telling Lies article / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z9jhsq8/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Humanitarian Crisis') |
| WEEK 3 08/03 | Analysing language – question 3 focus / Literary non-fiction article study / Comparing authorial purposes & technique – question 4 focus / Mini-mock activity / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zq6vg82/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Crime and Punishment') |
| WEEK 4 15/03 | Persuasive writing focus – rhetorical devices / Varying sentence openings / Parenthesis / Speech writing – structure [the working world] / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zqd6p39/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Modern Medicine') |
| WEEK 5 22/03 | Article writing – viewpoints and perspectives [modern day annoyances] / Developing paragraphs and reasoning / Apostrophes / Formal letter writing [community curfew] / WAGOLL analysis / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2nr9qt/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Politics for All') |
| WEEK 6 29/03 | Assessment task – viewpoint writing task – speech [criminal justice] / Feedback, self-reflection & pupil voice / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zwf3rdm/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'British Justice') |
| Half Term 5 | | |
| Date | Curriculum Overview Focus: English Language Paper 2 Topic: An Inspector Calls | Remote Learning |
| WEEK 1 12/04 | Introduction to Edwardian context and a 'modern play' / Independent research / Scripting and stagecraft analysis / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z27p9qt/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'An Inspector Calls') |
| WEEK 2 19/04 | Act One extended reading and knowledge retrieval questions / Act Two extended reading and knowledge retrieval questions / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zwscxsq/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Post-Victorian Times') |
| WEEK 3 26/04 | Act Three extended reading and knowledge retrieval questions / Character profiling [role, responsibility and key quotations] / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zxcqycw/revision/1 |

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| WEEK 4 03/05 | The Inspector's final speech / The 7 deadly sins / Extract analysis / Essay response activity / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2w6rdm/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Capitalist Way') |
| WEEK 5 10/05 | Mr. Birling as a character vehicle / Extract comprehension / Mr. Birling v Inspector Goole comparison Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2rjfrd/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Rise of the NHS') |
| WEEK 6 17/05 | Eva's letter – informal / empathy writing task / WAGOLL analysis / independent writing / The Purpose of Gerald Croft / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z92s82p/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'What is Social Class?') |
| WEEK 7 24/05 | Generational divide / Gender and class hypocrisy / Mock exam assessment task – Sheila's development or the presentation of ages / RRR reflections and pupil voices / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M75yUlyNySY&list=RDCMUcM2vdqz-7e4HAuzhpFuRY8w&index=9 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Theatre and Drama') |
| Half Term 6 | | |
| Date | Curriculum Overview Focus: English Language Paper 1 Topic: Romeo and Juliet | Remote Learning |
| WEEK 1 07/06 | Introduction to communication skills / Analysing speeches / Speech advice writing task / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zxrjfrd/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: '_____') |
| WEEK 2 14/06 | Structuring a speech / Giving feedback – The Speaker / Speech planning task / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zw7nk7h/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: '_____') |
| WEEK 3 21/06 | [Work experience] | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8dxg82/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: '_____') |
| WEEK 4 28/06 | Speech writing activity [choice of tasks] / Public transport rant – WAGOLL analysis / Preparing the presentation / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zqgp9qt/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: '_____') |
| WEEK 5 05/07 | Speech Week | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zpgwsg8/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: '_____') |
| WEEK 6 12/07 | Non-fiction study – America's gun crime epidemic / Article writing / Spelling & vocabulary quiz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zp6ywx/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: '_____') |