



Year 7 Curriculum Overview

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7EN1	https://classroom.google.com/c/MTQ1MzY0MzYxNjE2
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7EN3	https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjA5MDQ0NTk2
7EN4	https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjA5MDIyMjY3
7EN5	https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjA5MDY2OTQ3
7EN6	https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ0NjA5OTQ5NDA2
7PRI	https://classroom.google.com/c/NTQ2MTkwMzZxNDc3

Half Term 1		
Date	Curriculum Overview Focus: Creative Writing Topic: Autobiography	Remote Learning
WEEK 1 02/09	Sentence mechanics / Introduction to autobiographical writing / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/sentence-overview-crr62d?from_query=sentences - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Peter Pan’)
WEEK 2 07/09	Writing to entertain (Roald Dahl ‘Fagging’) / Capital letters/Commas / Sem-colons / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-explore-complex-sentences-c8r34r?from_query=sentences - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Firestormers – Back Burn’)
WEEK 3 14/09	Figurative Devices / Writing to entertain (Mrs. Doubtfire – ‘Kitchen Chaos’) / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvwwxnb/articles/zc773k7 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Dracula’)
WEEK 4 21/09	Accelerated Reader launch / STAR testing / Resource set up / ‘mini-reads’ and quizzing / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvwwxnb/articles/ztcp97h - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Passage to Fortune’)
WEEK 5 28/09	Fronted Adverbials / Adverbs / (Writing to entertain (Roald Dahl ‘Matilda’)) / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zv73bdm - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Case of the Stolen Space Suit’)
WEEK 6 05/10	Fiction analysis (Jackie Daydream extract) / Autobiography short story planning / Speech Marks / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zp937p3 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Awesome Jobs Involving Technology’)
WEEK 7 12/10	Assessment task (‘Memorable Moment’ short story) / Feedback, self-reflection & pupil voice	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zphc9i6/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: ‘Spine Shivers – Tech Fury’)
Half Term 2		

Date	Curriculum Overview Focus: Novel Study Topic: Sawbones	Remote Learning
WEEK 1 02/11	Genre stereotypes / The Georgian Period / Black and British extract / The 'Sawbones' prologue and narrative structure / Chapters 1 & 2 reading / Character introduction – Ezra's representation / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/grammar-for-writing-using-semicolons-to-ink-main-clauses-c4uk8c?from_query=semicolons - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Smart Research Strategies')
WEEK 2 09/11	The presentation of Women / Characterising Loveday Finch / Comprehension task [retrieving quotations and analysing language / Essay writing / Chapter 3 reading / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zs2fvcw/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Portrait Vandal')
WEEK 3 16/11	Confessions of a Resurrectionist – vocabulary focus and hinge questioning / Chapter 4 [guided reading] / Detective journal – non-fiction writing / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zpp4kqt/revision/1 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Humans and Other Life on Earth')
WEEK 4 23/11	Chapter 5 reading / Descriptive writing – re-create the museum setting / Chapter 6 reading and class discussion / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zd4kwty - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Songs of Stones River')
WEEK 5 30/11	Chapter 7 reading and analysis (Ezra's dream) / Exploring vocabulary / The French Revolution context study / Chapter 8 – Ezra's feelings – diary entry task / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z8scf82 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Maps')
WEEK 6 07/12	Chapter 9 reading / Creative writing devices – writing task – Mr. Falcon's Townhouse / Chapter 10 reading – reviewing narrative devices / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zfkk7ty/articles/z9tkxfr - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Missing Museum Archives')
WEEK 7 14/12	Chapter 11 reading – the presentation of Loveday extract analysis / Essay writing / Accelerated Reader STAR Test	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zf8kvwx - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Looking Through the Glass')
Half Term 3		
WEEK 1 04/01	Exploring apathy / McAdam and Lashley comparison / Extract analysis / Chapter 12 and 13 reading / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4hrt39/articles/z7t2vk7 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Graveyard Plot')
WEEK 2 11/01	Assessment planning – impressions of Ezra notes / Assessment task – 'How is Ezra presented in this extract?' / Feedback, self-reflection & pupil voice	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4hrt39/articles/znn6pbk - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Have a Hot Time, Hades')
WEEK 3 18/01	[Reading week] Completion of 'Sawbones' novel / class discussion and book review	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.grammarbook.com/grammar_quiz/semicolons_and_colons_1.asp - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Thing in the Woods')
Date	Curriculum Overview Focus: Poetry Anthology Topic: Nature Theme	Remote Learning
WEEK 4	Introduction to poetry and poetic devices / Context study (Rastafarian	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above]

25/01	culture) / Talking Turkeys study / Morals, messages and allegories / Considering the Snail study / Device focus (metaphors) / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Skills Activities: https://www.grammarbook.com/grammar_quiz/adjectives_and_adverbs_1.asp - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Vampire Chapter')
WEEK 5 01/02	The Caged Bird / Device focus (personification) / Vernon Scannell poet context / Nettles study / William Wordsworth poet context / Daffodils Study / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.grammarbook.com/grammar_quiz/commas_1.asp - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Ghost of J. Stokely')
WEEK 6 08/02	Assessment Planning / Poetry comparison assessment task – 'Compare how nature is presented in 'Nettles' and 'Daffodils' / Feedback, self-reflection & pupil voice	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.grammarbook.com/grammar_quiz/apostrophes_1.asp - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Around the World in 80 Days')
Half Term 4		
Date	Curriculum Overview Focus: Narrative Writing Topic: Fantasy Genre	Remote Learning
WEEK 1 22/02	Introduction to fantasy genre / Narrative structure / Adverbs (The Hobbit) / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4hrt39/articles/z7t2vk7 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Picture of Dorian Grey')
WEEK 2 01/03	Fronted adverbials / Paragraphing / Past tense / Developing sentences / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4hrt39/articles/znn6pbk - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'War of the Worlds')
WEEK 3 08/03	Sentence workshop / Ambitious vocabulary (setting focus) / Battle scenes (verbs & adverbs) Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-nouns-and-noun-phrases/zbr392p - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Aineid')
WEEK 4 15/03	Creating protagonists and antagonists / Descriptive devices) / Applying commas / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-verbs/z6t2pg8 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Norse Myths')
WEEK 5 22/03	Narrative planning / Creating characters / Story openings / 'Adventure to the Gemstone' story assessment task Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-adjectives/zk8cwtv - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Pandora's Vase')
WEEK 6 29/03	Verbal & non-verbal strategies / Mythical character presentation planning / Individual speech activity / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-adverbs-and-adverbials/zffhvk7 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Wooden Horse of Troy')
WEEK 7 04/04	Individual speech activity / 'Adventure to the Gemstone' assessment feedback and RRRs / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-prepositions/zrrv47h - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Lava Crown')

Half Term 5		
Date	Curriculum Overview Focus: Shakespeare Topic: A Midsummer Night's Dream	Remote Learning
WEEK 1 12/04	Author study & comprehension / Context study (Elizabethan England) / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-conjunctions/zht2pg8 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Flu Fighter')
WEEK 2 19/04	Marriage & patriarchy reflections / AMND narrative plotmap / Messages & Morals / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-possessives/zd8cwtv - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Say Cheese, Medusa')
WEEK 3 26/04	Act 1 reading / Male dominance / Comprehension (PETE technique) / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-consonants-and-vowels/zvyp382 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Death Camp Uprising')
WEEK 4 03/05	Capital letters / Attitudes to love study / Analytical phrases / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-antonyms-and-synonyms/zm7dmfr - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'The Sighting')
WEEK 5 10/05	Apostrophes / Power and persuasion / Act 2 comprehension / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-sentences-phrases-and-clauses/z4rv47h - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Faceless Friends')
WEEK 6 17/05	Act 3 reading / Assessment task: literature exam (Helena's rejection) / Word zoom / Descriptive devices (enchanted forest) / Creative writing / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-adjectives/zk8cwtv - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Fire and Ice')
WEEK 7 24/05	Creating characters / Act 4 reading / Character emotion comprehension / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-language-ks3-subject/zi8cwtv - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Igor's Lab of Fear')
Half Term 6		
Date	Curriculum Overview Focus: Non-fiction and Etymology Study/Creative Writing Topic: Diversity	Remote Learning
WEEK 1 07/06	Introduction to etymology / The history of the English language / What is diversity [silent debate] / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.ole.bris.ac.uk/bbcswbdav/courses/Study_Skills/grammar-and-punctuation/index.html#/id/5eaff0ae88d7eb04c5efb43d - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Insert')
WEEK 2	Non-fiction study - ageism / Persuasive techniques / 'I Want to End Ageism' speech analysis /	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities:

14/06	Speech task – Fair Treatment Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Insert')
WEEK 3 21/06	Parenthesis / Non-fiction study - sexism and stereotyping / Identifying the impact of persuasive features / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.ole.bris.ac.uk/bbcswebdav/courses/Study_Skills/grammar-and-punctuation/index.html#/id/5eaff0d388d7eb04c5efb44f - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Insert')
WEEK 4 28/06	Emotive language analysis / Punctuating direct speech / Non-fiction study - racism / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.ole.bris.ac.uk/bbcswebdav/courses/Study_Skills/grammar-and-punctuation/index.html#/id/5eaff0dc88d7eb04c5efb458 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Insert')
WEEK 5 05/07	Assessment task – group debate [diversity] / Spelling & vocabulary quiz	- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.ole.bris.ac.uk/bbcswebdav/courses/Study_Skills/grammar-and-punctuation/index.html#/id/5eaff0ea88d7eb04c5efb473 - Recommended E-Book: https://www.myon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Insert')
WEEK 6 12/07		- Armfield Video Lessons: [See Google Classroom class links above] - Skills Activities: https://www.ole.bris.ac.uk/bbcswebdav/courses/Study_Skills/grammar-and-punctuation/index.html#/id/5eaff0e588d7eb04c5efb46a - Recommended E-Book: https://www.mvon.co.uk/login/ (search: 'Insert')