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| **English Literature Revision List Summer 2025** | |
| **Exam information:**  **English Literature – 1hr 45 mins**  **This is a closed book exam. Students are not permitted to take any of the Literature texts into the exam with them.**  Content: Students will need to answer one essay question on *Macbeth* and one question on the Poetry Anthology. Each question is worth 30 marks.  Section A  Macbeth: you will be given an extract from the play. You will need to use this extract and your wider knowledge of the play to answer a question on a key character or theme.  Section B  Poetry anthology: you will be given a printed copy of one of the poems from the anthology that you have studied this year. You will need to compare this poem to another poem of your choice from the anthology. The poem you choose will not be printed for you so you will need to remember key quotes from it. | |
| Topic | Revised? |
| **Macbeth: key characters**  Macbeth  Lady Macbeth  Banquo  King Duncan  Macduff  The Witches  Malcolm  Donalbain  Who are they in the play?  What is their role?  Key quotes? |  |
| **Macbeth: key themes**  Violence  Death  Guilt  Power  Ambition  Relationships |  |
| **Macbeth: key motifs**  Blood  Hands  Sleep  Daggers  Clothing  Where do they appear in the play?  What do they represent?  Which characters are they linked to?  Key quotes? |  |
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| **Poetry Anthology: Power and Conflict (war poetry)** |  |
| Charge of the Light Brigade |  |
| Bayonet Charge |  |
| Exposure |  |
| Kamikaze |  |
| Remains |  |
| Poppies |  |
| War Photographer |  |
| Revision Links | |
| To help you revise, you can use online resources from Mr Bruff:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmMAO82R8Cg>  <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCM2vdqz-7e4HAuzhpFuRY8w>  BBC Bitesize AQA Macbeth  <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/ztcq2p3>  Past papers  <https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-8702/assessment-resources?start_rank=1> | |