



English Language- A-Level Transition Courses

An Introduction to Linguistics:

Everywhere, every day, everybody uses language. There is no human society, no matter how small or how isolated, which does not employ a language that is rich and diverse. This course introduces you to linguistics, featuring interviews with well-known linguists and with speakers of many different languages. This is a great course to help build ideas for Paper 1: Language and Identity.

<https://www.classcentral.com/course/humanlanguage-2940>

Language and Creativity:

This free course is an introduction to the relationship between language and creativity, to the roles that linguistic creativity plays in culture and society. This is a great course to prepare for your NEA.

<https://www.classcentral.com/course/openlearn-languages-language-and-creativity-95566>

Language and Representation:

How does what you say come to mean something? Does what you say inherently represent what you, the speaker, think it means, whatever that might be, or does what you say carry its own meaning? This is a great course to help build ideas for the Paper 1: Language and Identity and Paper 3: Investigating Language.

<https://www.classcentral.com/course/openlearn-philosophy-language-and-thought-introdu-95567>

If you have any questions about the A-level in English Language, the wider reading or the courses above please contact Mr Clarke: w.clarke@poolehigh.poole.sch.uk