Victory Park Academy

	ΤΟΡΙϹ	COMPONENT	<i>Notes:</i> Why are you delivering this topic at this time of year?
Autumn 1	AQA Paper 1 Reading Exam Skills- non-fiction- Prisons	Introduction to paper 1- go through questions 1-4 on PPT Reading skills: describe; explain; analyse; evaluate using a range of fictional extracts Understanding Structure	Building on previous learning of reading skills from KS3. Beginning to introduce a range of fictional texts. Developing the said skills to engage learners using more analytical and evaluative frameworks
Autumn 2	AQA Paper 1 Writing Exam Skills- Xmas Carol	Reading skills : describe; explain; analyse; evaluate in A Xmas Carol extracts Recap on beginnings and endings Introduction to descriptive writing/ creative writing/ useofthe senses/sentence starters. Spag	Building on previous learning of written skills from KS3. Developing the said skills to engage learners applying more technical literary devices
Spring 1	AQA Paper 2 Section B Exam Skills	Introduction to paper 2 Writing in different forms- Speech writing/Article/ Newspaper writing/ letter/essay Writing to persuade/explain/ argue	Building on previous learning of written skills from KS3. Developing the said skills to engage learners in applying more relevant techniques across a wider range of different non-fiction forms.
Spring 2	AQA Paper 1 Section B Exam Skills- Gothic Literature and creative writing	Revise reading skills : describe; explain; analyse; evaluate using a range of Gothic fiction extracts Creative writing;sentence structure;punctuation; openings;closings; characters; narrative techniques- foreshadowing; language tecniques and Gothic vocabulary. Mock paper 1 section B	Building on previous learning of reading skills from KS3. Beginning to introduce a range of fictional texts. Developing the said skills to engage learners using more analytical and evaluative frameworks and higher level writing skills.
Summer 2	AQA Paper 1 and 2 Exam Skills revision / R and J	To consolidate all the key exam skills learnt so far for both Papers 1 and 2 Getting to know the mark schemes for the papers	To consolidate reading and writing skills learnt so far on the course- to begin to develop pupils time management skills for each question. Pupils can now acknowledge which questions are worth more time and more marks.
Summer 1	AQA Paper 1 Section A using AQA Exam Skills- mock style practice.	To retrieve key information from a text to answer exam- style questions. To learn how to write a summary To analyse the writer's bias in an editorial piece	Building on previous learning of reading and writing skills from KS3/ term 1 and 2 in Year 10. Developing the said skills to engage learners using more analytical and evaluative frameworks and applying more relevant techniques across a wider range of different non-fiction forms.