**KS4 Year 9 Independent Learning Activity Sheet – English and English Literature**

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**Complete one task a day from this grid and if you have access, a quiz or other work on SMHW**

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| Write an interview for a character from A Christmas Carol. Come up with 10 open questions and detailed answers. | Create your own 10 question quiz (with answers) on an aspect of Macbeth you have studied. This could be a character, theme or plot information. | Re-read a chapter of A Christmas Carol book and note down any words you do not know; look up the meanings and write them in your books | Write an interview for a character from Macbeth. Come up with 10 open questions and detailed answers. | Consider what job you may want to do in the future. Firstly complete an internet search of the qualities needed for this type of job; then write a letter of application for the job. |
| Write a diary entry from the perspective of Duncan – as a ghost. He should be outlining how he feels now, some of the signs that all was not well and he was in danger, and how he feels about Macbeth’s betrayal. | Write a news article about the murder of Duncan; include actual quotes from the play and first person accounts of events and reactions. | Write a love poem inspired by Macbeth and Lady Macbeth. Challenge yourself by including how their love becomes corrupted by their ambition. | Write a list of 10 WOW words to describe Macbeth.  Challenge yourself by using some metaphorical ones. | Write a speech about something you are interested in or passionate about. Imagine you have been asked to share this with a group of your fellow pupils. Practise your presentation – you could record it. |
| Make a list of truly evil characters from history – or literature.  Create a truly evil character of your own – using the ones you have looked at as a model and guide. | Go online and research the following subjects  Divine right of kings  Role of women in the Jacobean era  What is a patriarchal society? | Create a timeline of the key events in A Christmas Carol that lead to Scrooge’s change of heart and eventual redemption. Include short and relevant refs from the novella. | Imagine that you are in one of the following situations  Fleance as he flees the murderers of his father - BANQUO  Lady Macbeth as she watches from the side lines as her husband is overwhelmed by violent acts and madness  Write a first person account of what it would feel like | Write a list of 10 WOW words to describe Scrooge. Challenge yourself by finding words from the novella to describe him. |
| Write a review of a book you have book you have read recently. | Produce a cartoon version of key events in Macbeth. | Write a list of 10 WOW adjectives to describe Lady Macbeth. | Read your book for an hour | Write a list of 10 WOW synonyms for the word – hate  Challenge yourself by using some metaphorical ones. |

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