



# English Language - Y11



## Autumn (Michaelmas) Term

What we are learning...	Consolidation	Deepen & Challenge
<p>Paper 1 revision (Fiction texts): retrieving information, analysing writers' use of language and structure, evaluating the effectiveness of the writer's choices.</p>	<p>The best consolidation and practice is to do past papers - find these on Teams or on <a href="#">AQA   GCSE   English Language   Assessment resources</a></p> <p>Make a revision poster about the 4 reading section questions including the key words, marks per question, how long to spend on each and what skills each question focuses on.</p> <p>Do any of the consolidate and challenge tasks from the year 10 booklet that you did not complete last year.</p> <p><a href="#">55 GCSE English resources (getrevising.co.uk)</a> - a range of Paper 1 guides, notes and flashcards - pick what you want to focus on.</p>	<p>Find the corresponding mark-scheme and mark the practice papers you complete - take note of the indicative content and compare this to your answers.</p> <p>Play the examiner - pick a couple of pages of a fiction text (or use one of the Inserts for past papers on the AQA website). Write the 4 questions for the reading section. Swap with a friend and complete.</p> <p>Recap English Language Papers 1 and 2 on Bitesize: <a href="#">GCSE English Language - AQA - BBC Bitesize</a></p>
<p>Paper 1 revision: Descriptive writing, narrative writing.</p>	<p>The best consolidation and practice is to do past papers - find these on Teams or on <a href="#">AQA   GCSE   English Language   Assessment resources</a></p> <p>Choose images to practice descriptive writing - use the 5 boxes approach to decide what to focus on. Plan a few and choose a couple to write in full.</p> <p>Mind Map the types of topics you might get for narrative writing in the exam - look at past papers for inspiration. Write a 3-sentence opening for each topic/title you can think of.</p> <p><a href="#">Englishbiz - Describe</a></p>	<p>Find the corresponding mark-scheme and mark the practice papers you complete - take note of the indicative content and compare this to your answers.</p> <p>Use the 'highlight and improve' method to judge the amount and quality of sensory and figurative language used.</p> <p><a href="#">Englishbiz - Story Writing</a></p> <p>Improve your vocabulary - go through a practice writing task and replace 10 verbs and adjectives with more interesting synonyms.</p>



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## Spring (Lent) Term

What we are learning...	Consolidation	Deepen & Challenge
<p>Paper 2 revision (Non-fiction texts): identifying implicit and explicit information, summarising, analysing writers' methods, comparing texts.</p>	<p>The best consolidation and practice is to do past papers - find these on Teams or on <a href="#">AQA   GCSE   English Language   Assessment resources</a></p> <p>Make a revision poster about the 4 reading section questions including the key words, marks per question, how long to spend on each and what skills each question focuses on.</p>	<p>Find the corresponding mark-scheme and mark the practice papers you complete - take note of the indicative content and compare this to your answers.</p> <p>Play the examiner - pick a couple of non-fiction texts on the same topic or theme (or use one of the Inserts for past papers on the AQA website). Write the 4 questions for the reading section. Swap with a friend and complete.</p>
<p>Paper 2 revision: Transactional writing, style/purpose/audience, rhetorical techniques.</p>	<p><a href="#">Englishbiz - nonfiction &amp; media</a></p> <p>The best consolidation and practice is to do past papers - find these on Teams or on <a href="#">AQA   GCSE   English Language   Assessment resources</a></p> <p>Make flashcards for the form, structure, layout and language features for the types of writing task you might get, e.g. speech, article, letter.</p> <p><a href="#">Englishbiz - Argument</a></p> <p><a href="#">Englishbiz - Persuade</a></p>	<p>-</p> <p>Find the corresponding mark-scheme and mark the practice papers you complete - take note of the indicative content and compare this to your answers.</p> <p>-</p> <p><a href="#">Englishbiz - Article</a></p> <p>-</p>
<p>Preparing for the Spoken Language presentation.</p>	<p><a href="#">Spoken language - GCSE English Language Revision - AQA - BBC Bitesize</a></p>	<p>-</p>



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## Summer (Trinity) Term

What we are learning...	Consolidation	Deepen & Challenge
Paper 1 exam preparation	<p>The best consolidation and practice is to do past papers - find these on Teams or on <a href="#">AQA   GCSE   English Language   Assessment resources</a></p> <p><a href="#">Spotlight on GCSE English Language: Paper 1 Question 4 - YouTube</a></p> <p><a href="#">Spotlight on GCSE English Language: Paper 1 Question 5 - YouTube</a></p> <p>Learn your terminology for language and structure techniques.</p> <p><a href="#">Final Tips for 2022 AQA English Language Paper 1 - YouTube</a></p> <p><a href="#">Student Exemplar: English Language Paper 1, Question 5 - YouTube</a></p>	<p>Find the corresponding mark-scheme and mark the practice papers you complete - take note of the indicative content and compare this to your answers.</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p><a href="#">Mind-blowing Descriptive Writing: How the Professionals Do It - YouTube</a></p> <p><a href="#">GCSE English Language Paper 1 Q3 the 'structure' question - YouTube</a></p> <p><a href="#">Varying Sentence Length: Look at This! - YouTube</a></p>
Paper 2 exam preparation	<p>The best consolidation and practice is to do past papers - find these on Teams or on <a href="#">AQA   GCSE   English Language   Assessment resources</a></p> <p>Make sure that you Learn your terminology for rhetorical devices.</p> <p><a href="#">Spotlight on GCSE English Language: Paper 2 Question 5 - YouTube</a></p> <p><a href="#">Spotlight on GCSE English Language: Paper 2 Question 4 - YouTube</a></p>	<p>Find the corresponding mark-scheme and mark the practice papers you complete - take note of the indicative content and compare this to your answers.</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>



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