

## SUMMER 2024

**SUBJECT: English**

**Year: 10**

**Topic(s) to be covered:**

**Scheme of Learning One**

***English Language- Paper Two- Edexcel- Reading Skills***

Students will explore a range of non-fiction texts. Through these texts, students will be taught key skills and how to approach their language paper two exam. Skills they will study include identification, analysis of language and structure, evaluation and comparison.

**Scheme of Learning Two**

***End of Year Assessment and Spoken Language***

Scheme of Learning for summer 2 will be split into two areas. Firstly, students will prepare for their end of year assessments. They will complete one English Language paper 2. In order to prepare for this, students will revise the skills required for these assessments including analysis of language, structure and evaluation as well as transactional writing. Furthermore, students will explore successful speaking and listening skills in preparation for their spoken language assessment. This is a compulsory part of the course but it does not contribute to their final grade.

**Assessment Procedures**

At the end of the first half term, pupils will complete a GCSE style exam question from English Language Paper 2. For the second half term, students will complete a full English Language paper 2 end of year assessment.

**Homework guidance**

Students will be set a variety of homework tasks linked to lessons covered during the scheme of work. Students will be expected to spend between thirty minutes and an hour completing these tasks.

All students should additionally read a quality text of their own choice for a minimum of twenty minutes, two times a week, in order to support Literacy.

**Enrichment opportunities:**

Debate Club

Competitions

Theatre trips/ productions coming into school

**How can you help?**

Seneca is an online revision services which Lode Heath School is proud to offer students. It is proven to improve exam results, if services are used by students consistently. The sooner students start using Seneca, the better!

You can further encourage them to begin GCSE revision early utilising CGP or York revision guides. Also recommended are Mr Bruff's YouTube videos.

You may also wish to encourage them to re-read all of their set texts – *Macbeth*, *A Christmas Carol* and *An Inspector Calls*- and to keep adding to their annotations to develop originality of thought.