



Years 12 & 13 Curriculum

A Level: English Language



Year 12

	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	<p>Paper 1: Language Frameworks and evaluating text types</p> <p>Paper 2: Language Varieties: Language and Gender</p>	<p>Paper 1: Analysing and evaluating the spoken word. Phonological analytics and observations</p> <p>Paper 2: Language and Occupation – looking at the language of the workplace</p>	<p>Paper 1: Child Language Acquisition: Spoken</p> <p>Paper 2: Language and Ethnicity: Accent and Dialect</p>	<p>Paper 1: Child Language Acquisition - Spoken.</p> <p>Paper 2: Contemporary Language Change – Language and Technology</p>	<p>Paper 1: CLA: Reading and Writing</p> <p>Paper 2: Historical Language Change</p>	<p>Paper 1: Child Language Acquisition continued. CLA project.</p> <p>Paper 2: Historical Language project and Directed Writing.</p>
Key Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Textual AnalysisLanguage & GenderTextual Varieties	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Textual Analysis/Language Frameworks/ Phonological analyticsLanguage & Occupation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Theoretical Analysis.Language FrameworksPragmaticsAccent & Dialects	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Spoken Language AcquisitionTechnologyCommunities & PracticeJargon&Acronyms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Language FrameworksHistorical textsChild Language Acquisition Reading & Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">CLA exam practiceHistorical language analysisDirected writing practice.

Year 13

	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	<p>Teacher 1: NEA Investigation</p> <p>Teacher 2: NEA Original Writing</p>	<p>Teacher 1: Language in the News</p> <p>NEA Investigation Write-up</p> <p>Teacher 2: World Englishes Original Writing Final Draft Completion</p>	<p>Teacher 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Older Text analysis.Revisit CLA theory and focus on Section B exam technique. <p>Teacher 2:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recap on: Language DiscoursesLanguage and GenderAccent and DialectLanguage and OccupationLanguage and Gender (to fit with PLC gaps taken at the beginning of term)	<p>Teacher 1: PLC focus on AO gaps for Paper 1. Practice papers and exam technique.</p> <p>Teacher 2: PLC focus on AO gaps for Paper 2. WAGOLL examples. Directed Writing practice.</p>	<p>Revision & Exam Preparation</p>	
Key Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Investigative ResearchData setsOriginal Writing	<p>Textual Variation</p> <p>AO5: Writing skills</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Teaching to the gaps.Exam techniquePLC evaluation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Teaching to the gaps.Exam techniquePLC evaluation		




Years 12 & 13 Assessment

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All students will sit an assessment and a mock examination in Year 12 and two mock examinations in Year 13.

	Year 12		Year 13		Revision Resources
	Assessment	Mock Exam	Mock Exam	Mock Exam	
	Autumn Term	Summer Term	Autumn Term	Spring Term	
Style of Assessment	Paper 1: Language & Representation Paper 2: Language Varieties	Paper 1: Language & Representation Paper 2: Language Varieties	Paper 1: Language, the Individual & Society Paper 2: Language Diversity & Change	Paper 1: Language & Representation Paper 2: Language Varieties	Kennet Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Core Questions Knowledge Organisers Learning Habits External Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> englishlangsfx.blogspot.com www.aqa.org.uk You can also find additional revision material on Frog 
Topics Assessed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language analysis Framework application Child language development Language change 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language analysis Framework application Language cohesion, diversity and discourses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language analysis Framework application Language cohesion Historical textual analysis Child language acquisition Language change Diversity World English 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language analysis Framework application Language cohesion, diversity and discourses 	