

# KS3 English



## Yr 7 Modern Text

Students commence their studies with a focus on character, setting, vocabulary.



## Yr 7 19<sup>th</sup> Century Text

Close study of this classic narrative embeds both the analytical skills and memory techniques requisite for success at GCSE

## World poetry

An opportunity to examine poetry in more depth with close attention to poetic terminology such as caesura, enjambment, form



## Language skills

Students undertake assessments which allow them to demonstrate their ability to understand the way writers convey meaning. Written work is modelled on the GCSE requirements.

## Yr 8 Modern Text

In preparation for studies later in their academic career, this text allows students to explore context and form.



## Yr 8 19<sup>th</sup> Prose Text

Students will explore a series of stories in their lessons which will look at the way character, setting, and theme combine to produce meaning.

## Yr 8 and 9 Poetry

In year 8 students study two named poets allowing for close study and consideration of context. The year 9 curriculum is an anthology of texts unified by theme.



## Yr 8 and 9 Language skills

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## Yr 9 Modern Text

Building upon work in year 8, this text helps student to appreciate how writers skillfully use symbolism and dialogue to create drama



## Yr 9 19<sup>th</sup> Century Text

Arguably, no study of this period would be complete without Dickens...

All students at KS3 study a Shakespeare play in Term 6