

Year 11 Exam Week

Year Group:	11
Subject:	English Literature
Tier (if applicable):	N/A

Details of mock exam

Paper to be sat:	Paper 1 Section A 'Macbeth'
Topics to be covered in the mock:	<p>Section A: analyse an extract from 'Macbeth' and then discuss how a key theme/character/ idea is presented in the extract Questions assess:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inference and deduction skills • Ability to analyse writers' use of language and structure <p>Section B: students will answer a question on the entire play 'Macbeth'. This question will assess the students' knowledge of theme/character/ ideas Questions assess:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to construct an argument using appropriate, relevant quotations from the text and interweave contextual detail

Materials to support your revision

Link to online resources:	Please see English Department Moodle page: 'GCSE English Literature': 'Macbeth', Section A 'How to answer the question...' BBC Bitesize Macbeth
Link to exemplar questions or past papers to use:	Please see above – all documents/ resources are filed in this folder
Recommended revision guides:	CGP: Grade 9-1 GCSE English Text Guide – 'Macbeth' 'Macbeth' York Notes for GCSE CGP: Grade 9-1 GCSE English Text Guide – 'Macbeth' Paperback 'Macbeth' York Notes for GCSE
In house booklets:	Please see hard copy 'Macbeth' revision booklet issued to students
For essay subjects and longer answer questions – suggested question titles for practice:	<p>A: How is (a character/ theme/idea) presented in this extract?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be prepared to answer a question on a central character, e.g. Macbeth, Lady Macbeth, Macduff, the witches • Be prepared to answer a question on a theme/idea: supernatural, kingship, power/ambition/greed, loyalty and betrayal