## Queen Elizabeth High School ENGLISH Year 9 Assessment Criteria

Working Towards	<ul> <li>I can usually do the following, but may need help or support:</li> <li>I can pick out obvious points and techniques, such as adjectives and verbs.</li> <li>I can explain why a writer has presented a particular idea or technique.</li> <li>I can sometimes support my ideas with quotations from the text.</li> <li>I can sometimes read longer texts independently.</li> <li>I usually write in correct sentences and can often punctuate sentences correctly.</li> <li>I can spell commonly used words correctly, and sometimes more complex spellings.</li> <li>My presentation is sometimes good.</li> <li>I can score up to 10/30 on my termly SPaG assessment</li> </ul>
Expected Standard	<ul> <li>I can do the above, and also:</li> <li>I can select a range of points and techniques, including structural techniques.</li> <li>I can select quotations which are mostly relevant, and embed them correctly.</li> <li>I can read and show understanding of longer texts independently.</li> <li>I can sometimes vary my sentences and paragraphs in all forms of writing.</li> <li>I can vary my vocabulary, and can spell more complex words correctly.</li> <li>I can plan my writing, thinking of my writing's overall structure.</li> <li>I present my work neatly.</li> <li>I can score up to 20/30 on my termly SPaG assessment, and above 10/30</li> </ul>
	I am fluent in the above skills, and also:
Greater Depth	<ul> <li>I can select details with very little guidance showing independent thought.</li> <li>I can evaluate the impact of a writer's use of language, structure and form in a range of texts, and seamlessly embed within my responses.</li> <li>I can confidently select quotations from a range of places in the text.</li> <li>I read more complex text independently.</li> <li>I can confidently vary my sentences for effect;</li> <li>My vocabulary is often varied and sophisticated.</li> <li>I can use figurative or rhetorical techniques with accuracy.</li> <li>I can spell with confidence, including some complex words.</li> <li>I can plan more precisely, thinking about form, characterisation and plot.</li> <li>My work is presented in an exemplary fashion.</li> <li>I can score above 20/30 on my termly SPaG assessment</li> </ul>