



## A-level ENGLISH LITERATURE Plans for Year 12 Curriculum 2025-26

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Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>Teacher 1</b>	Component 3: Poetry  <i>Poems of the Decade Anthology</i> – various poets	Component 2: Prose  <i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> – Margaret Atwood	Component 2: Prose  <i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> – Margaret Atwood	Component 2: Prose  <i>Frankenstein</i> – Mary Shelley	Component 2: Prose  <i>Frankenstein</i> – Mary Shelley	Component 3: Poetry  <i>Selected Poems</i> – John Donne
<b>Assessment</b>	Early Checkpoint: Comparison unseen/POTD	In class assessment	Mid-Year Assessment: Prose question on HMT	In class assessment	Progress Exam 1: Component 2: Prose	In class assessment
<b>Teacher 2</b>	Component 1: Drama  <i>A Streetcar Named Desire</i> – Tennessee Williams	Component 1: Drama  <i>A Streetcar Named Desire</i> – Tennessee Williams	Component 1: Drama  <i>A Streetcar Named Desire</i> – Tennessee Williams  <i>Othello</i> – William Shakespeare	Component 1: Drama  <i>Othello</i> – William Shakespeare	Component 1: Drama  <i>Othello</i> – William Shakespeare	Component 4: NEA  <i>Translations</i> – Brian Friel
<b>Assessment</b>	Early Checkpoint: Component 3, Section B	In class assessment	Mid-Year Assessment: Component 3, Section B	In class assessment	Progress Exam 1: Component 1 Drama Paper Section A and B	In class assessment



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<b>Teacher 1</b>	Component 4: NEA  <i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> – Margaret Atwood	Component 3: Poetry  <i>Poems of the Decade</i> – remaining 8 poems and revision	Component 4: NEA  Editing of NEA coursework on <i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> and one other text	Component 3: Poetry and Component 2: Prose  Revision of prose texts and POTD	Component 2: Prose and Component 3: Poetry  Revision of prose texts and POTD
<b>Assessment</b>	In class assessment	In class assessment	Final NEA assessment	Progress Exam 3: Component 2 - Prose	In class assessment
<b>Teacher 2</b>	Component 1: Drama  Revision of <i>Othello</i> and <i>A Streetcar Named Desire</i>	Component 3: Poetry  <i>Selected Poems</i> – John Donne	Component 3: Poetry  <i>Selected Poems</i> – John Donne	Component 3: Poetry  <i>Selected Poems</i> – John Donne	Component 1: Drama and Component 3: Poetry  Revise poetry and drama texts
<b>Assessment</b>	Progress Exam 2: Component 1 – Drama Paper Sections A and B	In class assessment	Component 3: Poetry - Donne	Progress Exam 3: Component 3: Poetry Paper Sections A and B	In class assessment