

Barnsley Academy – Year 11 English Curriculum Overview 2024-25

Autumn Term			Spring Term			Summer Term			
	Class Focus	Homework		Class Focus	Homework		Class Focus	Homework	
Week 1	Literature Paper 2 (A) Blood Brothers: Core Knowledge recap. EM - Class, IP – Growing up. IP - Education	Response: Macbeth – The Characterisation of Macbeth	Week 1	Literature Paper 1 (A) Macbeth: Core Knowledge recap. EM - Natural Order, IP - Kingship.	Response: Blood Brothers – Class	Week 1	Literature Paper 2 (C) Unseen Poetry: IP Responses UL Booklet 2 (1 Q1, 1 Q2)	Response: Literature 2 (A)	
Week 2	Literature Paper 2 (A) Blood Brothers: IP Superstition, Violence, Mrs Johnstone, Mickey	Response: Language 1 (A)	Week 2	Literature Paper 1 (A) Macbeth: IP - The destructive Pursuit of Power, The conflicting beliefs of Banquo and Macbeth, The Role of the Witches, Consequences of regicide.	Response: Blood Brothers – Superstition	Week 2	Literature Paper 2 (A) Blood Brothers: Theme Questions – Class, relationships, superstition IP Character Questions – class and education, Sammy	Response: Language 1 (B)	
Week 3	Literature Paper 2 (B) Anthology Poetry: Core Knowledge and Response: EM – WWTP and NT, IP – MAD and WA	Response: A Christmas Carol – Charity and Goodwill	Week 3	Literature Paper 1 (A) Macbeth: Closing the Gap. Exam Practice (including extract): 1. Macbeth as Troubled Character Leadership in the play	Response: Anthology – Mother Any Distance and Letters From Yorkshire	Week 3	Literature Paper 1 (A) Macbeth: Impact of Witches, Lady Macbeth as manipulative, Macbeth’s fears.	Response: Language 2 (B)	
Week 4	Literature Paper 2 (B) Anthology Poetry: Core Knowledge and Response: IP – LFY and MAD, F and CMGF	Response: Language 1 (B)	Week 4	Literature Paper 1 (B) A Christmas Carol: Core Knowledge recap. EM - transformation IP - Scrooge’s fears. IP – Forgiveness.	Response: Anthology – Rejection, When We Two Parted and Love’s Philosophy	Week 4	Literature Paper 1 (B) A Christmas Carol: Changing attitudes to the poor, Impact of Spirits, Scrooge’s redemption	Response: Literature Paper 2	
Week 5	Literature Paper 2 (B) Anthology Poetry: Core Knowledge and Response: IP – WS and WWTP, PL and FB	Response: Anthology Poetry – Porphyria’s Lover and Farmer’s Bride	Week 5	Literature Paper 1 (B) A Christmas Carol: Closing the Gap. Exam Practice (including extract): 1. The Cratchit Family, Redemption	Response: Macbeth – Consequences of Regicide	Week 5	Literature Paper 1: Revision and Exam Practice with extract. (A) Impact of supernatural, Macbeth’s changing emotions. (B) Impact of spirits, impact of wealth.	Exam Revision	
Week 6	Literature Paper 2 (C) Unseen Poetry: UL Booklet 1 (3 Q1, 3 Q2)	Response: Language 2 (A)	Week 6	Literature Paper 1 (B) A Christmas Carol: Exam Practice	Mock Exams Literature Paper 1	Revision: Literature Paper 1	Week 6	Literature Paper 2: Revision. (A) Violence / Mickey (B) S29 and LP (C) UL Booklet	Exam Revision
Week 7	Language Paper 2 (A): EM – Surfboards IP – Boats, Growing Up, Glastonbury and Fairs. Closing the Gap: Pets (4,3,1,2 order)	Response: Macbeth – Regicide	Week 7	Literature Paper 2: Recap	Mock Exams Literature Paper 2	Revision: Literature Paper 2			
Week 8	Language Paper 2 (A): EM – Surfboards IP – Boats, Growing Up, Glastonbury and Fairs. Closing the Gap: Pets (4,3,1,2 order)	Response: A Christmas Carol – Scrooge’s Fears	Week 8	Language Paper 1 and 2: Revision Lesson 1: Lang 1 (02); Lang 2 (03) Lang Analysis. Lesson 2: Lang 1 (04) Evaluation. Lesson 3: Lang 2 (04) Comparison. Lesson 4: Lang 2 (02) Summary/Lang 1 (03) Structure.		Response: Literature 2 (C)			
Week 9	Language Paper 2 (B): EM: Climate Change IP: Parenting, Teenagers, Celebrities.	Mock Exams Literature Paper 2	Week 9	Lesson 5: Non-fiction Writing. Lesson 6: Creative Writing. Lesson 7-9: Independent Revision and Closing the Gap		Response: Language 1 (Full Paper)			
Week 10	Language Paper 2 (B): Closing the Gap: School uniforms IP: Education, Throwaway society	Mock Exams Language Paper 2							
Week 11	Language Paper 1 (B): EM: Agreed story IP: Old room, conflict, street performance, Family problem.	Response: Language 2 (A)							
Week 12	Language Paper 1 (B): IP: Brighton, safari, marketplace, mysterious place’	Response: Language 2 (B)	Week 10	Mock Exams – Classrooms Lesson 10: Lang 1 (A) Mock. Lesson 11: Lang 2 (A) Mock. Lesson 12: Lang 2 (B) Mock. Lesson 13: Lang 1 (B) Mock.		Revision: Language 1 and 2			
Week 13	Language Paper 1 (A): EM – McNulty IP - Don’t Ask Jack. IP – Propping Up the Back Line, A Kestrel for a Knave (4,1,2,3 order)	Response: Language 1 (B)							
Week 14	Language Paper 1 (A): EM – McNulty IP - Don’t Ask Jack. IP – Propping Up the Back Line, A Kestrel for a Knave (4,1,2,3 order)	Mock Exams Language Paper 1	Week 11	Literature Paper 2 (A): 1. Inequality, 2. Sammy and Violence 3. Mickey as a victim. 4. Mrs Johnstone as a bad mother		Response: Language 2 (B)			
Week 15	Literature Paper 2 (A and B): 1 S29 and LP, 2. BYWM and Follower, 3. ER and MAD, 4. SS and FB		Week 12	Literature Paper 2 (B): 1. Mother Any Distance and Eden Rock, 2. When We Two Parted and Neutral Tones. 3. S29 and PL		Response: Language 1 (B)			
Assessment	November Mocks (Lang 2, Lit 2) Language 1 – Final Week Lit 1 Lang 2: JUNE 2024, Lang 1: NOV 2022		Assessment	March Mocks (Lit 1 and 2, Lang 1 and 2 in classrooms) Lit 2: JUNE 2024, Lit 1: JUNE 2020		Assessment	GCSE Examinations		