

English & English Literature

Qualification:

At the end of Year 11 you will be entered for two GCSEs (English Language and English Literature)

Is this course for me?

Everyone studies English and Literature in Key Stage 4.

What does the course involve?

Opportunities are offered to speak and listen in a range of situations. You will also write for a wide variety of purposes and audiences. In Literature you will study a range of prose, poetry and drama texts from different time periods.

How will my work be assessed?

Candidates will be assessed by terminal examinations for both qualifications. There is no longer a coursework component, although students do complete a Spoken Language assessment which is assessed by the class teacher.

We follow the Eduqas specifications for both English and Literature and performance is graded from 1-9

What courses can this lead to in Post-16?

A-level English Literature or English Language is taught at Post-16. To study English Language you will need a 5 and to study English Literature you will need a 6. Most A-level courses require you to have at least a Grade 5 in English Language at GCSE and some require a 6.

For more details please contact:

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