

**THE HIGHEST
STANDARDS**

Always set and deliver
the highest standards:
never settle for less.

**INVEST TO
ACHIEVE**

Care about the now;
create the very best for
your future.

**EVERYONE IS
VALUED**

We are unique
individuals working
together to be the best.

**NO
EXCUSES**

Create solutions,
not excuses.

**NEVER
GIVE UP**

Resilience is essential;
self-belief drives
improvement.

**CULTIVATE YOUR
CHARACTER**

Qualifications open
doors; your character
gets you through them.

ENGLISH: Year 9

	Week 0	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Half Term 1		Investigating the British Empire: <i>The Sign of the Four</i>							
Half Term 2	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15	Holiday	
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Half Term 3	Week 16	Week 17	Week 18	Week 19	Week 20	Week 21	Holiday		
	Navigating Shakespeare: <i>Hamlet</i>								
Half Term 4	Week 22	Week 23	Week 24	Week 25	Week 26	Holiday			
	Navigating Shakespeare: <i>Hamlet</i>								
Half Term 5	Week 27	Week 28	Week 29	Week 30	Week 31	Week 32	Holiday		
	Telling Tales: <i>Concrete Rose</i>								
Half Term 6	Week 33	Week 34	Week 35	Week 36	Week 37	Week 38	Week 39		
	Telling Tales: <i>Concrete Rose</i>								
How does this year deliver your curriculum intent?		Student investment in English is secured through studying a range of texts, including a 19th century British novel, a Shakespearean tragedy and a 21st century American novel. Alongside these core texts, students' study of English is complemented by a range of illuminating texts, including poetry, fiction and non-fiction extracts, which develop the knowledge and skills students require to become successful, instinctive and invested readers and writers.				What does the end of year assessment look like?		Students will complete an unaided transactional writing assessment for 60 minutes, which will assess their writing knowledge and skills. This will be assessed using comparative judgement against a national data set through No More Marking, which will calculate a writing age and standardised score for each student.	