**Year at a Glance: KS3 English Curriculum Overview**

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|  | **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | **Spring 1** | **Spring 2** | **Summer 1** | **Summer 2** |
| **Year 7** | **Childhood****(Reading)**Reading assessment | **Childhood** **(Writing: fiction)**Writing assessment – creative writiting | **The Tempest****(Reading)**Reading assessment | **Travel and Adventures** **(Writing: non ficion)**Writing assessment – viewpoint writing | **Novel or play – see text choices** **(Reading and Writing: fiction)** Reading assessment |
| **Let’s Think in English**( 1 lesson per fortnight) |
| **Reading for Pleasure**( 1 lesson per fortnight) | Writing assessment – creative writiting |
| **Year 8** | **Poetry Detectives****(Reading)**Reading assessment | **Animals** **(Writing: non-fiction)**Writing assessment – viewpoint writing | **Powerful voices****(Reading/Writing: non-fiction)**Henry V and Elizabeth I comparison response | **Novel or play – see text choices** **(Reading and Writing: fiction)**Reading assessment |
| **Reading for Pleasure**( 1 lesson per fortnight) | Writing assessment – viewpoint speech writingSpoken Language Component assessment | Writing assessment – creative writiting |
| **Year 9** | **Short Stories****(Reading - comparison)**Comparative Literature style response | **Gothic writing****(Writing)**Descriptive/narrative writing | **Poems from Other Cultures****(Reading)**Literature style response | **Journalism****(Writing: non-fiction)**Writing assessment – viewpoint writing | **Explorations of Creative Writing**TBC | **Introduction to Shakespeare**Macbeth Essay |
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Reading skills

Reading/comparison skills

Writing skills: fiction

Writing skills: non-fiction