

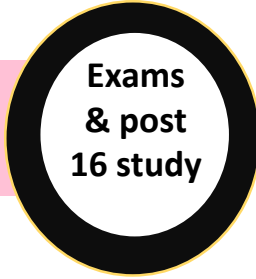
OSSMA English Curriculum

Our Vision: We will develop our students into inquisitive learners who will have the world opened up to them through the study of English. Through an ambitious knowledge rich and skill-driven curriculum, our students will become confident readers, writers and speakers. They will achieve outstanding outcomes ; they will compete with anyone, anywhere.



Revise important knowledge and skills for A Christmas Carol, An Inspector Call, Macbeth and Poetry whilst developing essay writing skills. Practice important skills when analysing texts and writing with impact.

Consolidate your knowledge and skills in the final part of the OSSMA English journey.



Discover a range of unseen poems and analyse how the writers convey their ideas.



Unseen Poetry

Power Poetry

Explore important ideas such as poverty and power through a range of literary heritage and modern poems whilst mastering contextual, evaluation, analysis and comparison skills.



Mock Examinations

English Language

Young Writer's Competition

An Inspector Calls and Conflict Poetry

Live Performance: Watching An Inspector Calls

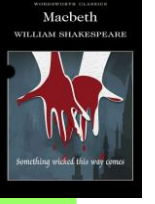


Explore important ideas such as trauma and grief through literary heritage and modern poems whilst mastering contextual, evaluation, analysis and comparison skills.

Mock Examinations

Macbeth

Develop Shakespearean knowledge and probe into the political intrigue of the Jacobean period whilst following the downfall of the Macbeths. Master contextual, evaluation and analysis skills.

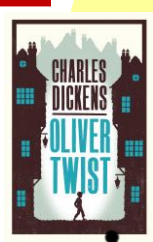


Assessment point



Analyse fiction and non-fiction texts and perfect your own fiction and non-fiction writing and practice your oracy skills.

Discover Dickens' famous characters and the world within which he wrote whilst developing analysis and writing skills.



Dickensian Literature

Young Writer's Competition



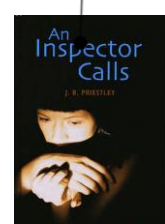
A Christmas Carol



Build upon knowledge of Dickens and Victorian England, by exploring his much-loved novella A Christmas Carol and developing contextual, evaluation and analysis skills.

Assessment point

An Inspector Calls



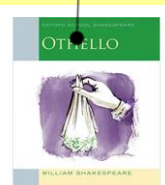
Build upon ideas from A Christmas Carol and become gripped by the Inspector's visit to the privileged Birling family whilst developing contextual, evaluation and analysis skills.

Assessment point

English Language

Relationships and Individuality

Othello



Develop analysis skills whilst exploring Iago's masterful manipulation in Shakespeare's tragedy Othello.

Social Chaos and Morality

Crime Writing

The Walter Scott Script Writing Competition

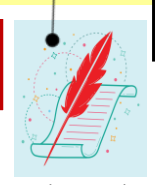


Explore non-fiction and fiction crime texts and create crime writing.

Tolerance

Modern Poetry

'Youth Speaks' Competition



Explore modern poetry and use the ideas in these poems to create imaginative writing.

Assessment point

Crime

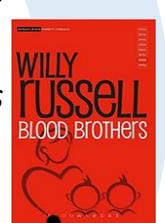
Fahrenheit 451



Follow the transformation of fireman Guy Montag in a dystopian world whilst developing analysis skills.



Struggles



Explore ideas of class and tragedy through the stories of Mickey and Edward whilst developing analysis skills.



Political Rhetoric

Class President Competition



Delve into the world of political rhetoric and master the art of rhetoric.

Dystopia and Injustice

Dystopian Short Stories



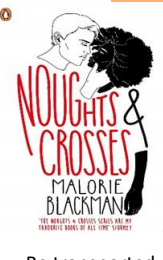
Enter dystopian worlds and create dystopian narratives.

Assessment point

Freedom

Diversity and Empathy

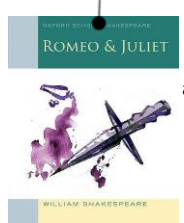
Noughts and Crosses



Be transported into an alternate world following the journeys of Sephy and Callum whilst developing writing skills.

Power

Romeo and Juliet

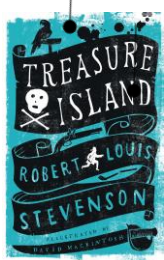


Experience Elizabethan England and the ill-fated love story of Romeo and Juliet whilst developing analysis skills.

Assessment point

Change and Resilience

Treasure Island



Transition from primary school developing inference whilst experiencing Jim's adventure.



Live from The Globe: Viewing of Romeo and Juliet