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| **What will we be learning?**  **Paper 1: Reading** | **Why this? Why now?**  You will have a thorough understanding of the question requirements; to widen experience of reading unseen fiction; to develop understanding of the construction of fiction; builds on Yr7 novel, Yr7 play, Yr7 poetry, Yr8 exam, Yr8 non-fiction, Yr8 pre-14, Yr9 novel, Yr9 poetry, Yr9 non-fiction, Yr9 Shakespeare, Yr9 exam.  **This is compulsory GCSE English Language component.**  **Your studied text will be an examined part of your English Language GCSE.** | **Key Words:**  Implicit  Explicit  Language  Structure  Evaluate  Analyse  Quotations  Sentence structures  Word classes  Fiction  Narrator  Dialogue  Setting  Metaphor  Simile  Personification |
| **What will we learn?**  To be able to read a text independently. (AO1)  To be able to read a text and understand the layers of meaning within it. (AO1)  To be able to give a personal response to a text, using quotations or textual references to illustrate interpretations. (AO1)  To be able to analyse elements of language, form and structure. (AO2)  To analyse how writers create meaning and effects. (AO2)  To be able to use relevant subject terminology to explain writers' intentions or methods. (AO2)  To be able to analyse how a writer has created an effect in a text (AO4).  To be able to make informed decisions on how successful a writer has been, based on their language and structural choices (AO4). | |
| **What opportunities are there for wider study?**   * Consulting with your class teacher for choices of challenging texts * Consulting with the librarian for choices of challenging texts * MyFuture | |
| **How will I be assessed?**  Formal in class- assessments using exam style essay questions. Internal Mock Examinations | |