

Year 7 English

Retrieval and analysis of information (AO1, AO2): Introduction to reading different text types

- Knowledge of the text.
- Retrieving information from a text.
- Identifying characters and setting.
- Awareness of key grammatical features and terms.
- Integrating quotations.

Creative writing skills and Introduction to Shakespeare (LA01, LA02, LA03, LA04): Twelfth Night

- Communicate clearly in a descriptive way.
- Select appropriate tone for different forms and audiences.
- Organise information and ideas using paragraphs.
- Use a range of vocabulary.
- Use accurate spelling and punctuation.
- Awareness of Shakespearian language.
- Awareness of dramatic irony.
- Knowledge of Shakespeare's Globe and what theatre was like.

Revisiting AO1, AO2, and introduction of writing in different formats (AO5, AO6): Ecological awareness project and formal writing

- Retrieving information from a text.
- Identifying features of non-fiction extracts.
- Communicate clearly in a formal way.
- Select appropriate format for different forms of writing.
- Organise information and ideas using paragraphs.
- Use a range of vocabulary.
- Use accurate spelling and punctuation.

Introduction to AO7, AO8: Spoken language

- Selecting appropriate tone and register
- Use of Standard English.

Developing creative writing (AO5, AO6): Monsters

- Communicate clearly when writing a narrative.
- Maintain a consistent tone throughout a narrative.
- Organise information and ideas using paragraphs.
- Punctuate dialogue correctly.
- Use a range of vocabulary.
- Use accurate spelling and punctuation.

Introduction to C19th literature prose and poetry (LA01, LA02, LA03, LA04): Frankenstein and various poetry

- Understand the order of the plot in 'Frankenstein'.
- Knowledge of the key characters in 'Frankenstein'.

**Advice to students
for independent
study**

- Read widely: AR texts out of lessons and non-fiction texts such as newspapers or news websites.
- Take regular AR tests.
- Spelling practice.
- Keep a diary to practise handwriting and build writing stamina.