

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Year 7 | Pets | Skills 1 (Learning to work independently, how to ... in English) | Roald Dahl | Roald Dahl | Pirates | Pirates |
| Year 8 | Heroes and Villains | Seasons | Goodnight Mr Tom | | Storytelling (oral) | Media |
| Year 9 | Oliver Twist | Oliver Twist | Macbeth | | Holidays | Myths and Legends |

In key stage 4 students complete individual AQA units. The current units studied are described in the grid below.

| | autumn | | | spring | | | summer | | |
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| Year 10 | AQA unit: Drama (Romeo and Juliet) | | | AQA unit: Reading for Pleasure | | | AQA unit: Work | | |
| | Reading: Film as a text (lesser importance) | Writing: Character studies and programmes | S & L: Drama and discussion | Reading: poetry Classical poetry Fiction: Audience and purpose | Writing: Simile, alliteration, descriptive language Writing own book for given audience. | S & L: Listening to poetry and prose Performing poetry and telling own story | Reading: signs symbols, simple posters and work related material | Writing name, address and forms. (lesser importance) | S&L acting out various work scenarios – eg restaurant, shop, etc. |
| Year 11 | AQA unit: Media | | | AQA unit: The Odyssey | | | AQA unit: Film Study of choice | | |
| | Reading Media text TV or Adverts | Writing: TV Script or advert | S&L Perform media text-news report and Christmas advert. | Reading: film as Text Writing Character studied and re-telling S&L; drama and discussion | | | | | |