	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
7	Fairy Tales Writing Students will understand how to be inspired by famous tales and how to create their own. Students will be introduced to the drafting process in writing and taught to use a range of descriptive writing methods. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed by a piece of creative writing.	Class novel Students will be able to read easily, fluently, with good understanding. Students will also be reading high quality English literature. They will focus on plot, character and themes, to develop a personal response to a text. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed with a literature based question where they will analyse an extract from the text.	 Introduction to Shakespeare: Students will recap the conventions of a play text and also look at how character is developed. This will be explored through drama and through a range of teaching strategies to develop confidence with Shakespeare. Students will also use this text as a springboard for imaginative writing. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed through activities based on an extract from Shakespeare, focusing on character and themes. 		Poetry in ContextStudents should have an understanding of the conventions of poetry.They will read poems from different historical periods, a selection of famous poets and the themes that arose from these contexts.KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed using a literature-based question of two poems, making comparisons between the content and techniques used.	 Non-fiction Texts Students will complete an end of year exam in this time. After this, the focus will be on non-fiction texts, reading and responding to speeches and articles. KS3 Assessment: Students will read and respond to a range of texts, considering form and purpose. They will write a non-fiction piece for a specified audience and purpose.
8	Animal Farm - Orwell Students will be able to read easily, fluently, with good understanding. Students will also begin to appreciate our literary heritage by studying Orwell. Students will be guided to analyse character and themes. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed with a literature based question where they will analyse an extract from the text.	Gothic FictionStudents will read and analyse a range of texts within the Gothic genre, exploring themes, character and setting. They will respond to texts in a range of forms.Students will continue to develop their understanding of descriptive writing by using images to plan and develop a piece of creative writing.KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed by a piece of creative writing based on a picture of a scene.	Shakespeare: Villains in ShakespeareStudents should understand increasingly challenging texts, learn new vocabulary, new historical contexts and make links to more contemporary ideas and literature.Students will explore characters and themes in Shakespeare, responding to texts in a range of forms. This aims to develop confidence with more challenging texts.KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed through a piece of creative writing. -Assessment week of 13th of December		 Diversity & Inclusion poetry Students will develop their knowledge of poetry, poetic conventions and themes, focusing on Diversity & Inclusion in poetry. They will study a variety of poets and themes to develop skills in analyse and response. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed through study of poems, annotating and commenting on the purpose and effects of the writer's use of language. 	 Non-fiction Study Students will complete an end of year exam in this time. After this, the focus will then be on non-fiction reading and writing. Students will study a range of non-fiction texts on diverse themes. They will complete a selection of writing in a range of forms and styles. KS3 Assessment: Students will complete a piece of writing in a given form and for a specified target audience. They will be required to adapt this writing for different purposes.
9	Short Stories: The Power of Voice Students will be able to read easily, fluently, with good understanding from a range of short stories. Students will also begin to explore the theme of 'voice' across a range of texts. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed with a literature based skills task in which they will analyse an extract from a text.	 The Hate U Give – Angie Thomas Students will be able to read easily, fluently, with good understanding. Students will also begin to appreciate diverse texts by reading Thomas. Students will also be reading high quality English literature and will be guided to write analytically. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed with a literature based question where they will analyse an extract from the text. 	ShakespeareStudents should understand increasingly challenging texts, learn new vocabulary, new historical contexts and make links to more contemporary ideas and literature.They will develop skills in preparation for KS4 by studying a text by Shakespeare, focusing on character and themes. The aim of this is to develop skills in studying more challenging texts.KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed through a literature based question, using an extract from a play and responding to character and themes.		War Poems Students will study a selection of poems in the theme of Conflict. Here students will continue to develop their knowledge and analysis of poetry by responding to the writer's use of poetic devices. KS3 Assessment: Students will be assessed through a literature-based question of two poems, where they will make comparisons between the content and techniques used.	Dystopian Creative WritingStudents will complete an end of year exam in thistime.Students will understand how to write usingimages as stimulus and how to plan effectively.There will be a focus on the drafting process inwriting and using a range of descriptive writingmethods.KS3Assessment: Students will be assessed through apiece of creative writing.
	AQA GCSE Macbeth - Shakespeare Students study the plot, characters and major themes in Shakespeare's Macbeth. Students will study the text closely, making sure that they understand the language and themes and develop competency in interpreting Shakespeare's language and ideas. KS4 – Eng Literature Paper 1 Assessment: Students will be assessed using English Literature Paper 1 essay (section A).	AQA GCSE Language Paper 1 Students will be taught the skills required to answer each question in Language Paper 1. They will practise retrieving information, analysing the writer's use of language and evaluating structure. They will develop descriptive writing skills in response to an image. KS4 – Eng Language Paper 1 Assessment: Students will be assessed using English Language Paper 1.	AQA GCSE The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde - R.L Stevenson Students will understand the plot and characters in the text. They will have a good understanding of the context of Victorian England. KS4 - AQA Eng Lit P1 Assessment: Students will be assessed using English Literature Paper 1 essay (Section B)	AQA GCSE Language Paper 2 Students will be taught the skills required to answer each question in Language Paper 2. They will practise retrieving information, analysing the writer's use of language and comparing viewpoints. They will develop persuasive writing skills in response to a prompt. KS4 – Eng Language Paper 2 Assessment: Students will be assessed using an English Language Paper 2	AQA GCSE Poetry: AQA Anthology Here students will study the cluster of poems from the AQA anthology. They will develop analytical skills, identifying and exploring the writer's techniques as well as form and structure. KS4 - EngLit P2 Assessment: Students will be assessed by writing Literature Paper 2, section B essays.	 Spoken Language Unit Students will complete a mock exam in this time. After this, the focus will then be on speaking and listening. Students complete their final spoken language piece to be submitted to AQA as part of their GCSE qualification. KS4 Spoken Language Assessment: Students will be recorded completing their real GCSE Spoken Language exams. This is a separate grade on their GCSE English Language.
aQA [⊑] ⊧	 An Inspector Calls and Language Paper 1 Students will study An Inspector Calls, the key themes, plot and character. Students will be able to write essays in preparation for their GCSE exams. Students will also revise the components of the English Language Paper 1 exam also to prepare them for their mock and real GCSE exams. KS4 AQA Eng Literature P2, Eng Language P1 Assessment: Students will complete past papers in Literature and Language 		 Literature and Language Paper 2 Revision Teachers will choose which areas to cover depending on the outcomes of the mock ex the information that is gathered from mocks, teachers will choose which areas need to on to improve grades and maximise marks. KS4 AQA GCSE English Literature and English Language Assessment: Students will complete mock exams based on all four of the GCSE English 		eed to be focused Revision	Final Exams