KS5 Curriculum: English Literature 2023-2024

	Year 12		Year 13	
	Knowledge and skills	Enrichment	Knowledge and skills	Enrichment
Cycle 1	Hamlet, William Shakespeare Assessments: Mid-Cycle: Discuss the following passage from Act 1, Scene 2, exploring Shakespeare's use of language and its dramatic effects. End of Cycle: The play Hamlet shows a disturbing fascination with death.' Using your knowledge of the play so far, show how far you agree with this view of Hamlet Dracula, Bram Stoker Assessments: Mid-Cycle: Discuss the ways in which Stoker explores the male desire to dominate women in Dracula. End of Cycle: 'The most fascinating characters in Gothic literature are its villains.' Consider how far you agree with this statement by analysing Dracula.	Lit Soc Hamlet theatre trip	Unseen Gothic Coursework Assessments: Completed first drafts of coursework essays. Mock Examinations- all course elements.	Lit Soc
Cycle 2	Poetry- Christina Rossetti Assessments: Mid-Cycle- Compare and contrast how ideas about death and loss is presented in 3 of Rossetti's poems. End of Cycle- 'Women in Literature are always restricted.' In light of this view, consider the ways in which Rossetti explores ideas about freedom and restriction. Dracula, Bram Stoker Assessments: Mid-Cycle: Discuss ways in which Stoker presents violence in Dracula. End of Cycle: 'Gothic Literature is centred around the ability to shock'. Consider how far you agree with this statement by analysing Dracula.	A.C Bradley Shakespeare Lecture Lit Soc	Revision and Consolidation- Paper 1- Pre 1900 Paper 2- Contextual genre study Assessments: As appropriate for group based on previous mock examination performance. Coursework Assessments: Complete final drafts	A.C Bradley Shakespeare Lecture Lit Soc
Cycle 3	An Ideal Husband, Oscar Wilde <u>Assessments:</u> Mid-Cycle-'Secrets will always be revealed in the end.' In light of this view, consider the ways in which Rossetti and Wilde explore secrets. Bloody Chamber, Angela Carter Mid-Cycle-Gothic writing is characterised by a fascination with death.' Consider how far you agree with this statement by comparing Dracula with The Bloody Chamber. End-Cycle- Formal mock examinations: all course elements.	Lit Soc	Revision/ Exams	