

Year 10

Term	Genre	Potential Texts	Mode of Assessment
Autumn 1+2	Novel 20th/21st Century	Half of a Yellow Sun - Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie The Great Gatsby - F Scott Fitzgerald Leave the World Behind - Rumaan Ali	Essay
Spring 1	Poetry 20th Century	Thomas Hardy Sylvia Plath Philip Larkin Maya Angelou	Controlled Assessment Students given advanced notice of question and one planning lesson.
Spring 2	Drama 20th Century	A Raisin in the Sun - Lorraine Hansberry All My Sons/ A View from the Bridge - Arthur Miller A Streetcar Named Desire - Tennessee Williams	Recreative* or essay
Summer 1+2	Shakespeare	Othello Macbeth Twelfth Night	Essay

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Autumn 1	Poetry 21st Century	A selection from the anthology: 'Poems of the Decade: Anthology of the Forward Books of Poetry'	Recreative* or essay
Autumn 2 Spring 1	Novel 19th Century	Turn of the Screw - Henry James Frankenstein - Mary Shelley A Christmas Carol – Charles Dickens	See below
Spring 2	Exam and viva prep		Exam: 2 hours Q1 - unseen poetry 45 minutes Q2 - Based on 19th Century Novel 1 hour and 15 minutes Viva Oral assessment on poem selected by student.

* The item of recreative writing will see the student respond by producing a piece of original written work based on a studied play.