

**This planner has been created to ensure that you are revising a selection of both **English Language** and **English Literature** topics before your mock exams in February.**

- For each day, you have a 15/20-minute revision task to complete. The resources for these tasks are linked in the 'Daily revision task' box below. For the two weeks leading up to the mock examinations in February, you will have weekly tasks which include full section A under timed conditions.

Date	Daily revision task
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b> Living Space by Imtiaz Dharker. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b> As Imperceptibly as Grief by Emily Dickinson. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b> London by William Blake <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b> Key themes in the novella: Charity and Poverty <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for each key theme with quotes.</li> </ul>
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b> Key context of the novella. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card with key areas of context.</li> </ul>
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b> The lesser characters in the novella. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos on 'lesser characters' and the CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card with these key characters with quotes.</li> </ul>
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 1 section B</b> Narrative (story) writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Look at <a href="#">Fiction story titles</a></li> <li>• Pick 1 title to plan a story with a start, complication, climax, resolution.</li> </ul>

Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 1 section B</b> Narrative (story) writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Look at <a href="#">Fiction story titles</a></li> <li>Pick 1 title to plan a story with a start, complication, climax, resolution.</li> </ul>
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 2 section B</b> Non-fiction writing – articles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a flash card with everything to remember when writing an article</li> <li>Use the <a href="#">non-fiction writing guide</a> to help.</li> </ul>
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 2 section B</b> Non-fiction writing – letters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a flash card with everything to remember when writing a letter</li> <li>Use the <a href="#">non-fiction writing guide</a> to help.</li> </ul>
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b> Themes in the novella: sickness and greed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> video on sickness and greed and the CGP guide to help.</li> <li>Create a flash card with these key themes with quotes.</li> </ul>
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b> Themes in the novella: Happiness and Sadness. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> video on happiness and sadness and the CGP guide to help.</li> <li>Create a flash card with these key themes with quotes.</li> </ul>
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b> Genre and setting in the novella. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos on genre and setting and the CGP guide to help.</li> <li>Create a flash card with key information and quotes.</li> </ul>
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 2 Section A</b> English Language paper 2 section A – questions 1 and 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">language component 2 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flash card with top tips for questions 1 and 3 (3 marks, retrieval)</li> </ul>
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 2 Section A</b> English Language paper 2 section A – question 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">language component 2 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flash card with top tips for question 2 (10 marks, How does the writer)</li> </ul>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 2 Section A</b> English Language paper 2 section A – question 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">language component 2 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flash card with top tips for question 4 (10 marks, Evaluate question)</li> </ul>

Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 2 Section A</b> English Language paper 2 section A – questions 5 and 6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">language component 2 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flash card with top tips for questions 5 (4 marks, retrieval) and 6 (10 marks, comparison)</li> </ul>
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 1 Section A</b> English Language paper 1 – question 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">English Language paper 1 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flashcard of top tips for question 1 (5-mark question, list 5 things)</li> </ul>
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 1 Section A</b> English Language paper 1 – question 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">English Language paper 1 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flashcard of top tips for question 2 (5-mark question, impressions/how does the writer question)</li> </ul>
Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Component 1 Section A</b> English Language paper 1 – questions 3 and 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the <a href="#">English Language paper 1 guide</a></li> <li>Create a flashcard of top tips for question 3 and 4 (10-mark question, impressions/how does the writer question)</li> </ul>
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Macbeth</b> Plot of the play <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos on the plot of Macbeth</li> <li>Create a flashcard for each Act with key events and quotes</li> </ul>
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Macbeth</b> Key theme: Ambition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> video about Ambition or use the CGP guide to help</li> <li>Create a flashcard about the theme of ambition</li> </ul>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Macbeth</b> Key theme: Gender <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> video about Gender or use the CGP guide to help</li> <li>Create a flashcard about the theme of gender</li> </ul>
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Literature revision: Macbeth</b> Language and structure <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos about Language and Structure or use the CGP guide to help</li> <li>Create a flashcard about the language and structure</li> </ul>
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Language revision: Language component 2 section B</b> Non-fiction writing – talks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a flash card with everything to remember when writing a talk.</li> <li>Use the <a href="#">non-fiction writing guide</a> to help.</li> </ul>

Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: Language component 2 section B</b></p> <p>Non-fiction writing – reviews</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a flash card with everything you should remember when writing a review.</li> <li>• Use the <a href="#">non-fiction writing guide</a> to help.</li> </ul>
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February	<p><b>Language revision: Language component 2 section B</b></p> <p>Non-fiction writing techniques.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">language component 2 guide</a> and the <a href="#">non-fiction writing guide</a></li> <li>• Create a flash card of all the techniques you can use in your non-fiction writing</li> </ul>
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> February	<p><b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b></p> <p>Death of a Naturalist by Seamus Heaney</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b></p> <p>To Autumn by John Keats</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b></p> <p>The Prelude by William Wordsworth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Literature revision: Poetry Anthology</b></p> <p>Cozy Apologia – Rita Dove</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">GCSEpod</a> videos, <a href="#">Online poetry guide</a> and CGP guide to help.</li> <li>• Create a flash card for key context, key themes and key quotes.</li> </ul>
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: component 1 section B</b></p> <p>English Language paper 1 section B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">English Language paper 1 guide</a></li> <li>• Create a flashcard of top tips for your story writing section</li> </ul>
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: component 1 section B</b></p> <p>Narrative (story) writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Look at <a href="#">Fiction story titles</a></li> <li>• Pick 1 title to plan a story with a start, complication, climax, resolution.</li> </ul>
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Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Literature revision: Macbeth</b></p> <p>Look through your flash cards of plot, characters, themes and quotes. Test yourself on the ones you feel least confident with.</p>
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Literature revision: Poetry anthology</b></p> <p>Look through your flash cards of poetry themes, context and quotes. Test yourself on the ones you feel least confident with.</p>
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Literature revision: A Christmas Carol</b></p> <p>Look through your flash cards of A Christmas Carol characters, plot, themes, context and quotes. Test yourself on the ones you feel least confident with.</p>
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: Language component 1 Section A</b></p> <p>English Language paper 1 – question 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the <a href="#">English Language paper 1 guide</a></li> <li>• Create a flashcard of top tips for question 5 (10-mark question, evaluation)</li> </ul>
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: Language component 1 Section B</b></p> <p>Writing an opening to a story.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Choose one of the stories you planned from <a href="#">Fiction story titles</a> Practise writing the opening to the story.</li> <li>• Use the tips from the <a href="#">English Language paper 1 guide</a> to help.</li> </ul>
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: Language component 2 Section A</b></p> <p>Reading non-fiction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use your flashcards and the <a href="#">language component 2 guide</a> and your flashcards to remind yourself of key points to answer the questions on paper 2</li> </ul>
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision: Language component 2 Section B</b></p> <p>Writing non-fiction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Choose one of the <a href="#">non-fiction past paper titles</a> and write your response.</li> <li>• Time yourself to 20 minutes.</li> <li>• Use the <a href="#">non-fiction writing guide</a></li> </ul>
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision</b></p> <p><a href="https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/14303/85343">https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/14303/85343</a> 24 minutes of GCSE Pod Create 3 Flashcards – Narrative writing, Descriptive writing, Creating a viewpoint.</p>
Week beginning Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> January	<p><b>Language revision</b></p> <p><a href="https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13458/80889">https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13458/80889</a> 48 minutes of GCSE pod</p> <p><b>COMPONENT 1</b></p> <p>White booklet: complete 2 Section As in timed conditions – 1 hour per section.</p>

Week beginning Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	<a href="https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13459/80899">https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13459/80899</a> 48 minutes of GCSE Pod  <b>COMPONENT 2</b> White book: complete 2 Section As in timed conditions 1 hour per section.
<b><u>Mock exams begin on Monday 2nd February</u></b>	