

How to support your child to revise for GCSE English

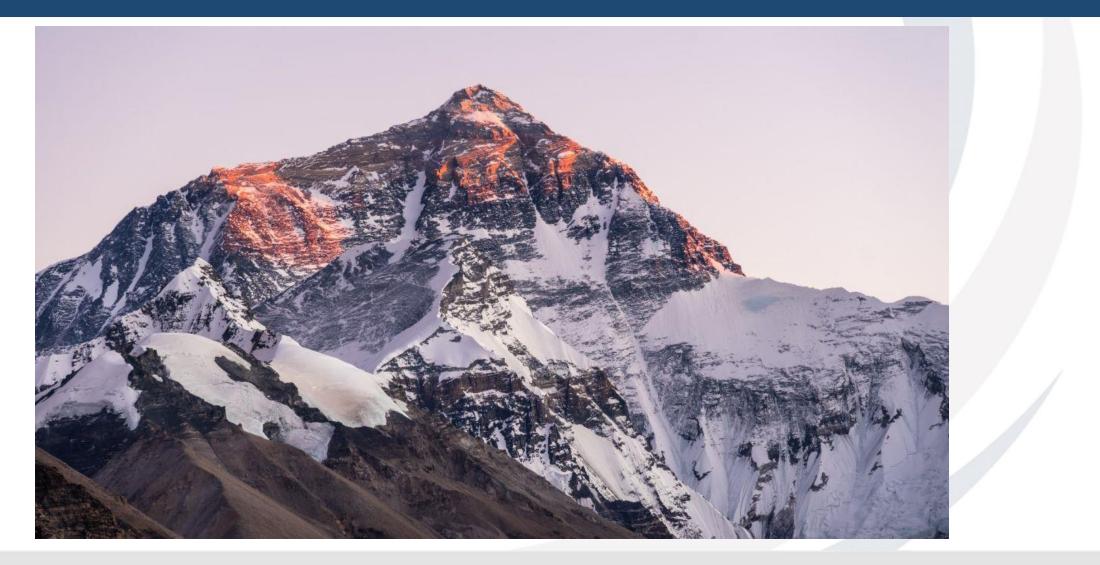
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Exam Structure



- GCSE English Language (AQA)
 - Paper 1 Exploration in Creative Reading and Writing
 - Paper 2 Writers' Viewpoint and Perspective
- GCSE English Literature (AQA)
 - 19th Century Text Jekyll & Hyde
 - Shakespeare Romeo & Juliet
 - Modern Novel Lord of the Flies
 - Poetry Anthology Power and Conflict
 - Unseen Poetry





Each text:

- Plot
- Themes
- Characters
- Context



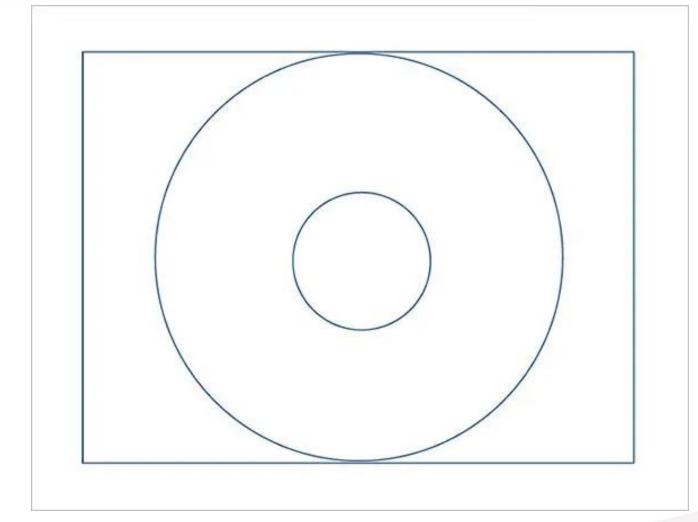
Personalised Learning Checklists











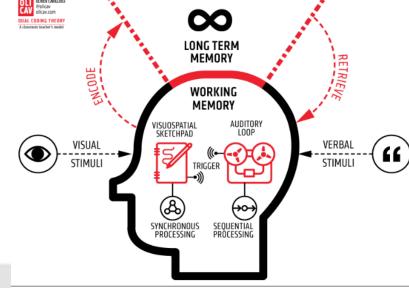
Circle maps Mind maps Flow maps (plot) Bullet points



Dual Coding:

 Dual coding is the idea of using different types of stimuli to help learners encode information in their brains more effectively, enabling it to be more easily retrieved later on. In the classroom, the main two types of stimuli that are used are

visual and verbal.



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Examiner's Report:

- Knowing the texts well is the key to success.
 - Re-reading texts
 - Discussing at home
 - Adaptations/reviewing
 - "Quick fire questions"



Year 10 Homework:

- * Autumn Term- recall of LOTF (studied in year 9)
- * Spring Term recall of Jekyll and Hyde
- * Summer Term recall of Romeo and Juliet

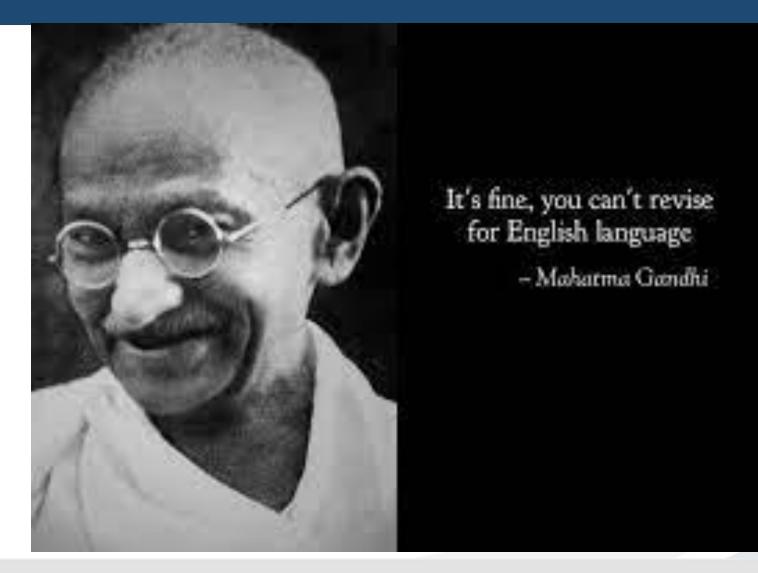
Looking Ahead

- Exam question practice
- Critical theory
- Auditing homework folders
- You Tube Mr Bruff
- Twitter/Padlet etc.
- Bitesize



English Language





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For exam technique:

practice... practice... practice...

- Mr Bruff videos
- Revision Guides
- Caveat: consistency is key

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