

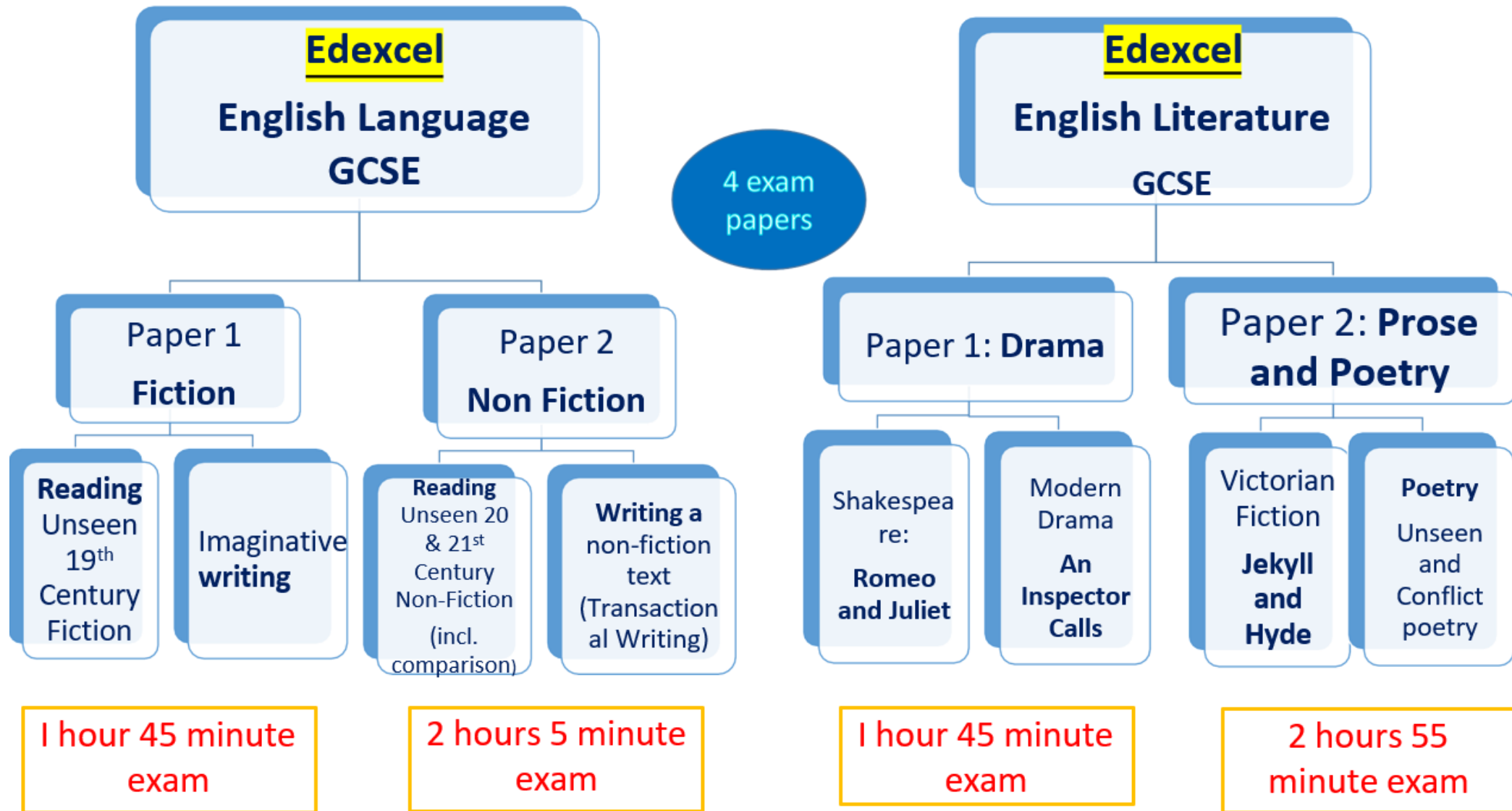


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How can you support your
son/daughter in GCSE English?

Exam Papers



Year 10 Outline

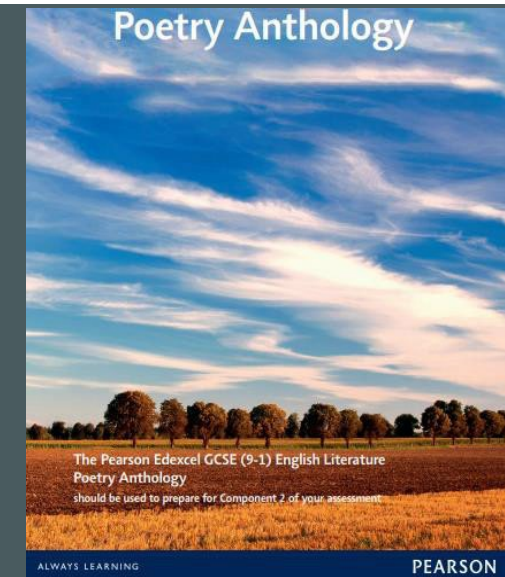
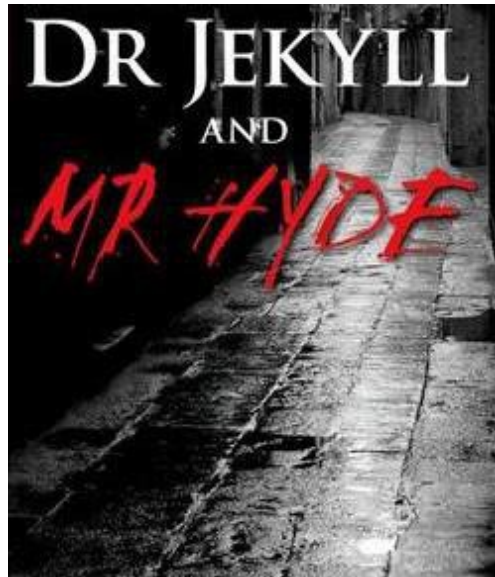
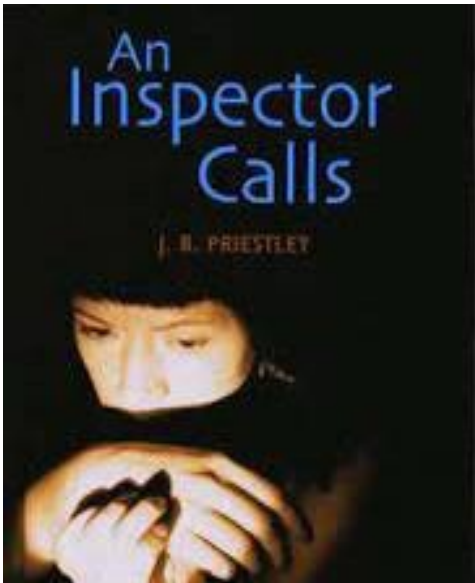
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<p>Romeo and Juliet</p> <p>AO2: Language and Structure Analysis</p> <p>AO4 Evaluation Question</p>	<p>Romeo and Juliet</p> <p>AO4 – Evaluation question (continues)</p> <p>Creative writing</p>	<p>An Inspector Calls</p> <p>Comparing two texts</p> <p>Transactional writing</p>	<p>Literature Mock exam revision</p> <p>Mock exam prep – Lang paper 1 and 2 practice</p>	<p>Mock exams Lang Paper 2 Lit Paper 1 – R&J and AIC</p> <p>Spoken Language Contribution (Pass-Merit – Distinction award)</p> <p>Mock exam review</p>	<p>Poetry: conflict</p>

Students have 5 hours of English per week:

- **2 hours of English Language** (on Wednesdays) ☐ students perfect key skills (language and structure analysis, evaluation of authors choices, comparing, imaginative and non fiction writing)
- **3 hours of English Literature text study** ☐ students study plot, characterisation, author's craft , themes and context.
- **a homework task once a week:**
 - language practice
 - reading/analysing a section of a set text
 - essay planning and writing
 - Memorising quotes and context

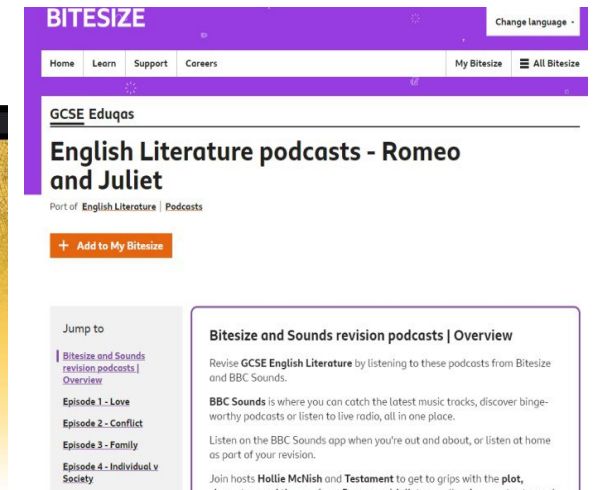
Essential Equipment: Core Text

- A copy of 'An Inspector Calls' by J.B. Priestley
- A copy of William Shakespeare's Romeo & Juliet
- A copy of R.L Stevenson's Dr Jekyll & Mr Hyde
- A copy of the Edexcel Poetry Anthology (given by the school)
- Usual: black pen, green pen, Lit and Lang exercise books, highlighters.



At home: Independent Work

- Re-read and add to annotations of a studied text
- Use online resources to study a set text in more depth
- Read around the text to become an expert: British library, BBC Bitesize, Podcasts , etc...



Useful Websites & Other Assistance

- BBC GCSE Bitesize
- Edexcel GCSE English/Literature
[Pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel](https://www.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel) and
[gcses/english-language](https://www.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel/gcses/english-language)
- www.universalteacher.org.uk, Andrew Moore's teaching resource site, or any other online analysis sources
- KS4 Curriculum Plans can be found on the school website
- CGP revision guides
- REVISE Edexcel GCSE English Language Revision Workbook: For The 9-1 Exams GCSE