

# English Literature

A Level

AQA

## What will I learn?

If you enjoyed your GCSE English Literature course and want to develop your knowledge in this area, then this is the course for you! The aim of this course is to enable students to develop their interest in and enjoyment of literature and literary studies as they

- Read widely and independently both including and beyond set texts.
- Engage creatively with a substantial number of texts and ways of responding to them.
- Develop and effectively apply their knowledge of literary analysis and evaluation in writing.
- Explore the contexts of the texts they are reading and others' interpretation of them.



## Highlights

You could take this course to complement other advanced Level courses or to prepare for the A Level part of an Advanced GCE in English Literature, which could lead onto higher education in English Literature or more general higher education courses. With further training, you could go into a job related to English Literature such as Law, The Civil Service, Teaching, Publishing, Journalism, Media, Human Resources or Museum Work.

Approximately 50% of our students gained grade B or above at A Level. This course can be taken in conjunction with A level English Language.

## Assessment

AS / Exams A / Coursework (20%) Exams (80%)

## Course requirements

A minimum of six grade 4-9 GCSE passes, including a 6 in English Language and/or Literature.