Curriculum overview 2024/2025 - *Year 10 English Language.*

Week number:	Topics outlined in sessions this week:
1	Baseline assessments, reading fluency tests, introduction to phonics
2	Punctuation, media studies – film analysis
3	Compound sentences and paragraphs
4	Nouns, verbs and adjectives, literacy enterprise, phonics
5	Figurative language
6	Phonics, literacy enterprise
7	Persuasive writing
8	Letter writing and article writing
9	Phonics, media studies – film analysis
10	Speech writing and endangered species trip
11	Synonyms and antonyms, persuasive techniques, phonics
12	Conspiracy theories, literacy enterprise, media studies
13	Critical media literacy, vocabulary development
14	Genre and exam preparation
15	Phonics and exam preparation
16	Superlatives and sentence starters, media studies
17	Summarising and synthesising, narrative discourse
18	Rhetorical devices, phonics
19	Comprehension, media studies
20	Descriptive writing, planning and slow writes
21	Comma splicing, present tense, phonics
22	Character descriptions and literacy enterprise
23	Functional skills mocks, subordinating conjunctions
24	Zooming in and out, genre and semantic field
25	Dystopian conventions and writing
26	Sentence styles and imagery, subject verb agreement
27-28	Speaking and listening assessment (Functional skills and Spoken Language Component for GCSE)
29	Conventions, descriptive writing, narrative structure
30	Phonics, creative writing
31	GCSE Mocks, summative assessments reading/spelling
32-34	National Literacy Trust programme
35	Storybook writing – creative writing project
36-39	Volunteer literacy project (in relation with Duke of Edinburgh award)

Key to symbols (specific literacy interventions):	
WIKI	Wiki build (reading, spelling, etymology and morphology reading intervention programme
	Generic vocabulary development and focused spelling session (supported dictionary use)
PiXL Reading	Reading speed tests to assess comprehension
IDL	Multi-sensory literacy software