

Subject	Year	Term
English	7	Autumn Term 1
Topic		
Treasure Island		
Content (Intent)		
<b>Prior Learning (Year 6)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Awareness of a broad range of genres</li><li>Support inferences with evidence</li><li>Identify how language contributes to meaning.</li><li>Make predictions</li></ul>		
<p>This unit begins with a whole class reading of Treasure Island. After reading the novel students will be taught how to do the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Select quotes independently that link to the question.</li><li>✓ Begin to explore interpretations by making inferences.</li><li>✓ Identify writers’ methods using terminology.</li><li>✓ Write about the characters in a novel and their meanings.</li><li>✓ To follow PETER structure for analytical writing</li></ul>		
<b>Future Learning (Topic)</b> <p>KS3: Students will use the skills taught in this unit in their study of Animal Farm and Of Mice and Men in Year 8 and Year 9. GCSE: These skills will be extended in the students’ study of A Christmas Carol and An Inspector Calls. The theme of ‘greed’ will be explored further in the students’ study of A Christmas Carol.</p>		
How will knowledge and skills will be taught? (Implementation)	How will your understanding be assessed & recorded? (Impact)	
Lessons will include: -Whole class reading of the novel -Discussion of character, plot and theme. -Analysis of key extracts. -Teaching of key terminology. -Planning and writing a mini essay.	<b>Mid-term assessment:</b> One paragraph response to a character in a small extract of a chapter.  <b>End of term assessment</b> Students will write an extended response to a question about a character in a whole chapter. The exact question will be revealed to the students the week before the assessment. 45 minutes.	
How can parents help at home?		
Re-read sections of the novel at home. Discuss the novel with your child: Who are their favourite characters and why? What is happening in the plot? What might happen next? Are they enjoying the novel? Watch Treasure Island as a family.		
Helpful further reading/discussion		
<b>Reading</b>  Adventures of Huckleberry Finn: <i>Mark Twain</i>	<b>Vocabulary Lists</b>  Abominable Allusion Antagonist	<b>Careers Links</b>  Author Journalism Librarian

<p>Around the World in Eighty Days: <i>Jules Verne</i></p> <p>Robinson Crusoe: <i>Daniel Defoe</i></p>	<p>Apoplexy Condescend Conformity Deplore Foolhardy Indignation Perception Protagonist Repent Symbolism Tyrannise</p>	<p>Marketing Executive PR Teacher TV and film (director/actor)</p>
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