

Year 10 REVISION CHECKLIST: English Summer Exam

As you begin your revision, complete this honestly to help you see where your priorities should lie for your revision. The target is eventually to get all your ticks in the left hand column.

Section A: Persuasive Writing		
I can...		
1. Form a personal, well-reasoned response to a given topic.		
2. Write in a way which is engaging and persuasive		
3. Use linguistic devices and persuasive techniques		
4. Make sure your opening paragraph is lively and commands attention		
5. Employ a high level vocabulary		
6. Use paragraphs		
7. Use accurate spelling and grammar		
8. Accurately use a range of punctuation		
Section B: Reading Non-Fiction		
I can...		
1. Read and understand a newspaper article		
2. Use quotations		
3. Identify techniques and language features employed by the writer, including: Rule of 3 Rhetorical questions Hyperbole Personal Anecdotes Alliteration Superlative Interjections Humour Sarcasm Facts Opinions Similes Metaphors Personal Pronouns		
	4. Explain how these techniques and language features make for an engaging article	
5. Write in a way which is analytical and evaluative		
6. Comment on writer's use of punctuation for particular effects		
7. Synthesise information into my own words		
