

Yr 9 Summer English Exam Revision Checklist

Your English Examination will take the following format:

Section A

Read an extract from a novel.

Answer short questions to demonstrate your understanding of the plot, characters and language within the extract.

Answer a long question about how the writer has used language to create a particular atmosphere. You will be expected to write a minimum of 5 paragraphs; use quotations; comment on language features used by the writer and their effects on the reader.

Section B

Creative Writing

You will be given a picture to use as inspiration for a piece of creative writing. You will be expected to write in a way which is engaging, use a high level of vocabulary and use descriptive language features.

Note: This is a one hour examination. You are expected to make use of ALL of this time.

Complete the **checklist** below to help structure your revision.

Be able to:	✓	✗
Read a fiction extract quickly and accurately		
Answer questions in full proper sentences		
Use quotations from the text in your answers		
Understand what an adverb is and be able to identify one within text		
Understand what onomatopoeia is and be able to identify the technique within text		
Produce an extended response in paragraphs		
Identify a wide range of language and punctuation devices in a text and include them in paragraphs that analyse why the writer has used the technique for a particular purpose		
Produce an extended piece of creative writing using several paragraphs		
Include a wide range of descriptive vocabulary and languages devices in creative writing		
Accurately use a range of punctuation , including exclamation marks, semi-colons, question marks and ellipses		
Spell common and irregular words correctly.		