

Introduction to Post-16 Studies - English Language and Literature

Studying English Language and Literature at Bewdley Sixth Form enables you to hone essential reading, writing and spoken language skills required by all career pathways. The course's analytical, evaluative and critical thinking skills complement all Level 3 courses and enable you to pursue your love of reading and writing for pleasure. During the 2-year A level course you will gain an insight into a range of stimulating non-fiction texts (from Oscar Wilde to Charlie Brooker) as well as compose non-fiction texts in a variety of genres. You will also study a diverse range of literature and write fiction for different audiences and purposes.

The following challenges will help you develop some of the initial skills and knowledge needed for this course.



Watch this documentary

Tennessee Williams

This will help you become more familiar with the works of one of our set text writers. Create a knowledge organiser.



Complete this online course

English in the world today

This course will give you a fascinating etymological insight into the everyday words we speak & write. Please print off your certificate.



Read Widely

The Booker Prize

The coursework element of this course requires you be reading widely (fiction & non-fiction). Ask us for recommendations.



Listen to this radio programme

Radio 4: Open Book

Listen to other writers and readers for inspiration.



Investigation

Narrative voice: whose voice should we believe?

As readers, whose narrative voice should we believe when we read fiction or non-fiction writing?



How to?

How to write creatively

Find the answer to this question: How do authors, script writers, journalists and poets find creative writing inspiration?



Useful links

The specification of the A Level English Language and Literature course:

Edexcel

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