

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to let you know more about the opportunities your son/daughter has to support their English revision. Particularly for English Literature, there is a lot to remember as students are not allowed to bring in copies of each text into the exam hall. Therefore, we would really like to encourage Year 11 to get into good habits early by revising frequently for their English GCSEs through manageable chunks.

We know that staying on top of revision can be a team effort and to support this we have the following opportunities:

### **English Revision - every Wednesday after school from 3.15-4.15**

Students from all classes are welcome every week and the sessions start tomorrow on Wednesday 15th September. Teachers from the English department will be available to run bespoke sessions connected to topics studied in class. We would love to see your son/daughter there!

*Please note that on the w/c 20th and 27th September, English revision will not be on a Wednesday due to the 'How To Revise Sessions'. Instead, English revision will run on Tuesday 21st September.*

### **English revision resources available via the school website**

The Stanway School Website → Students → Subject Areas → Key Stage 4 → English Resources

We have lots of resources which students can use to revise key characters, themes and quotations. There are also plenty of sample papers for Literature and Language.

### **Taking English Further Club - Monday 3.15-4.15 in B1.07 with Mrs Spurr**

All students with a passion for Literature who would like to develop their subject knowledge further are welcome. This is a fantastic opportunity for students interested in A level studies.

### **Snap Revision Guides**

English revision guides will be available to purchase via ParentPay in September. Further information will follow.

Finally, if you would like any advice or support in helping your son/daughter to prepare for their English exams and organise their revision, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Kind regards,

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