

Core for both pathways

What is English?

English is the study of language and literature (two separate GCSEs), which we hope will engender a love of reading. It will equip pupils with the skills to find their voice and to use it with confidence. English will enable pupils to develop a critical understanding of a range of texts as well as to explore and evaluate ideas and traditions.

Course Content:

om the English Literary Heritage including a Shakespeare play

Assessment:

Both GCSEs are non-tiered, resulting in a grade of 9 to 1 (9 being awarded to the very top students).

and mentoring are offered

Pupil Quotes:

"Studying English has improved my written communication in all my other subjects."

"I've really enjoyed reading books and plays and discussing them."

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Exam Board:

Subject **GCSE English Literature**

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