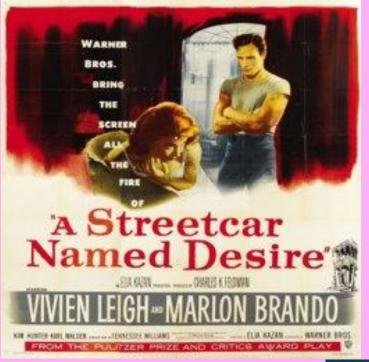
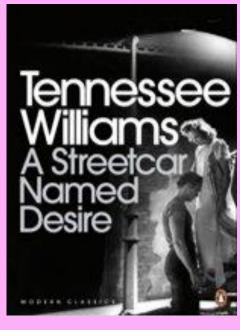
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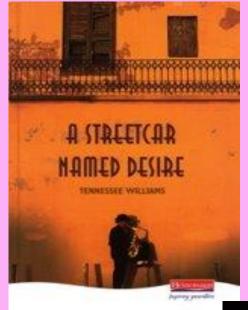


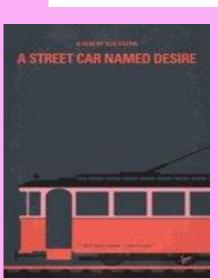


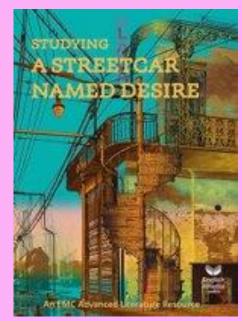
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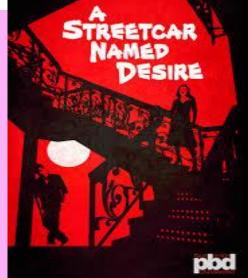












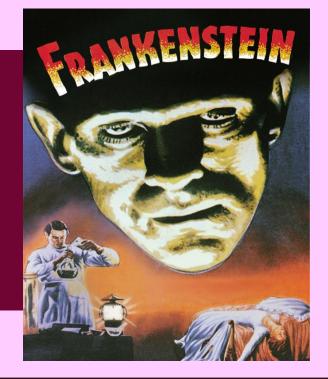


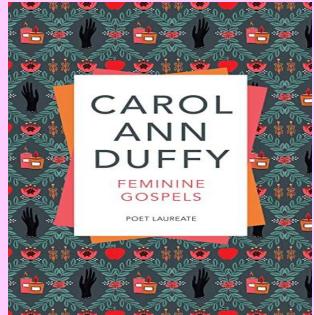


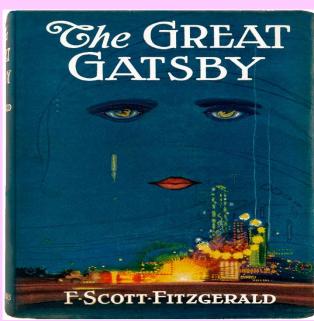




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Explanation

Core Expectations for Every Lesson

- 1. Attend lessons on time and in professional attire
- 2. Be prepared for each lesson by ensuring you bring the appropriate equipment
- 3. Ensure all work is organised in the appropriate section of your subject folder
- 4. All deadlines must be met to avoid a 6 week "Risk of Failure" program
- 5. Respect the classroom, Replace chairs, Rubbish in bins
- 6. Speak to ALL members of the HT community with respect
- 7. No mobile phones/ear pods to be used in lessons or around the school
- 8. Starters are to be completed in silence
- 9. Be proactive and not reactive
- 10. Expect to work harder than you ever have before



English Lit Taster

Course outline for year 12: Love through the Ages

KS5 2-year curriculum plan 2023-2024

Specification at a glance

COMPONENT 1: Love through the Ages WRITTEN PAPER	40%	3 TASKS 75 MARKS – 25 MARKS PER TASK 3 HOURS OPEN BOOK IN SECTION (C) ONLY
COMPONENT 2: Texts in Shared Contexts WRITTEN PAPER	40%	3 TASKS 75 MARKS – 25 MARKS PER TASK 2 HOURS AND 30 MINS OPEN BOOK
COMPONENT 3: Independent Critical Study: Texts across Time	20%	1 TASK 50 MARKS WORD COUNT 2500 MODERATED BY AQA

Paper 1: Love through the ages

What's assessed

Study of three texts: one poetry and one prose text, of which one must be written pre-1900, and one Shakespeare play.

Exam will include two unseen poems

Assessed

- written exam: 3 hours
- open book in Section C only
- 75 marks
- 40% of A-level

Questions

Section A: Shakespeare: one passage-based question with linked essay (25 marks)

Section B: Unseen poetry: compulsory essay question on two unseen poems (25 marks)

Section C: Comparing texts: one essay question linking two texts (25 marks)

Paper 2: Texts in shared contexts

What's assessed

Choice of two options

Option 2A: WW1 and its aftermath

Option 2B: Modern times: literature from 1945 to the present day

Study of three texts: one prose, one poetry, and one drama, of which one must be written post-2000

Exam will include an unseen extract

Assessed

- written exam: 2 hours
 30 minutes
- open book
- 75 marks
- 40% of A-level

Questions

Section A: Set texts. One essay question on set text (25 marks)

Section B: Contextual linking

- one compulsory question on an unseen extract (25 marks)
- one essay question linking two texts (25 marks)

 Non-exam assessment: Independent critical study: texts across time

What's assessed

Comparative critical study of two texts, at least one of which must have been written pre-1900.

One extended essay (2,500 words) and a bibliography

Assessed

- 50 marks
- 20% of A-level
- assessed by teachers
- moderated by AQA

A-level English taster

Course outline for year 12: Love through the Ages



AO	Description	Weighting
AO1	Articulate informed, personal and creative responses to literary texts, using associated concepts and terminology, and coherent, accurate written expression	25%
AO2	Analyse ways in which meanings are shaped in literary texts	25%
AO3	Demonstrate understanding of the significance and influence of the contexts in which literary texts are written and received	25%
AO4	Explore connections across literary texts	12.5%
AO5	Explore literary texts informed by different interpretations	12.5%

- 3 hours.
- 75 marks.
- 40% of total marks.
- Open book in Section C.
- 3 sections:
 - **Section A:** One passage-based question on a Shakespeare play (25 marks) OTHELLO
 - **Section B:** Compulsory essay question on two unseen poems (25 marks) UNSEEN
 - **Section C:** One comparative essay question (from a choice of two) linking one poetry and prose text (25 marks). GREAT GATSBY AND

PRE-1900 LOVE POETRY



A-level English taster

Course outline for year 12: Love through the Ages



AO	Description	Weighting
A01	Articulate informed, personal and creative responses to literary texts, using associated concepts and terminology, and coherent, accurate written expression	25%
AO2	Analyse ways in which meanings are shaped in literary texts	25%
AO3	Demonstrate understanding of the significance and influence of the contexts in which literary texts are written and received	25%
AO4	Explore connections across literary texts	12.5%
AO5	Explore literary texts informed by different interpretations	12.5%

- 3 hours.
- 75 marks.
- 40% of total marks.
- Open book in Section C.
- 3 sections:

Section A: One essay question on EITHER prose, drama and poetry (25 marks) FEMININE GOSPELS, THE HANDMAIDS TALE AND A STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE

Section B: Compulsory essay question on an unseen prose extract (25 marks) UNSEEN

Section C: One comparative essay question linking EITHER one poetry, drama and/or prose text (25 marks). FEMININE GOSPELS, THE

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A level Assessment Objectives: What do they mean?

Course outline for year 12: Love through the Ages

AO1: Articulate informed, personal and creative responses to literary texts, using associated concepts and terminology, and coherent, accurate written expression.

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AO4: Explore connections across literary texts.

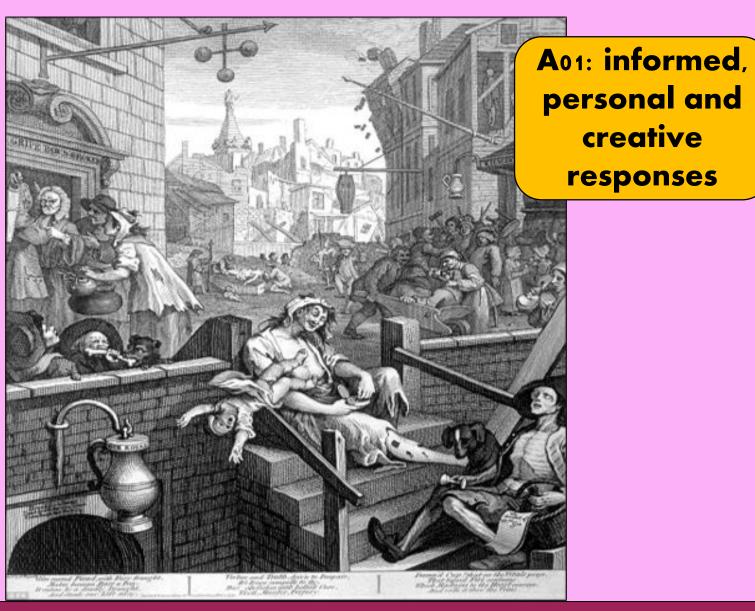
AO5: Explore literary texts informed by different interpretations.

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Every picture tells a story....

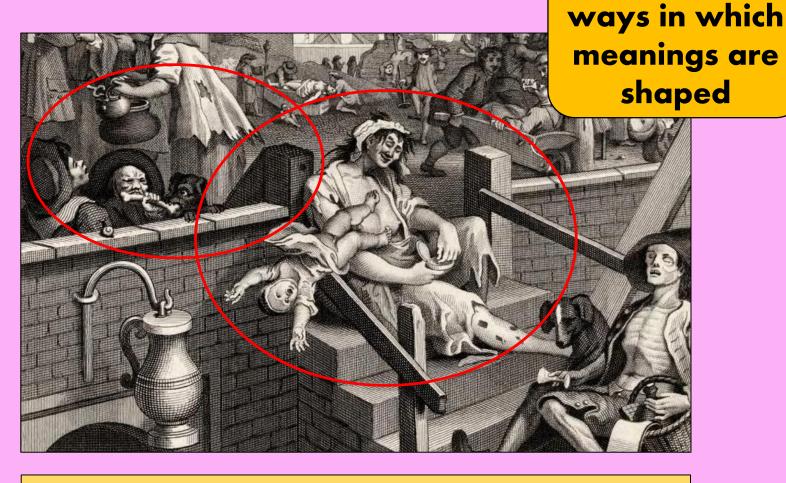
A roundabout way of explaining
Assessment
Objectives!

Write down what you think is happening in this image – first thoughts only



Can you analyse what you can see in this excerpt from the image?

Challenge: Can you tell when in history this image is set in?



A02: Analyse

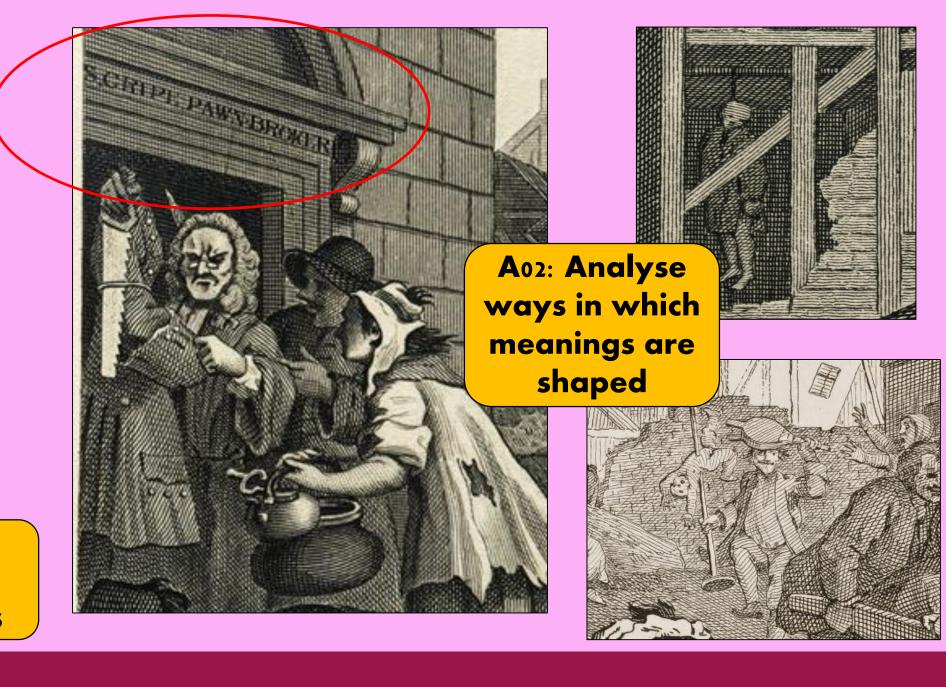
The focus is here on AO2 – close analysis is needed to really understand a text.



Can you analyse what you can see in these excerpts from the image? (AO2)

How has your view of the picture changed? (AO1)

A01: informed, personal and creative responses





Learning objectives:

What happens when you compare the first picture to this one?



Explanation

What if I told you that both pictures were allegories? They make use of symbolism [There were no actual lanes known as Gin Lane or Beer Street.] This was a piece of propaganda.

A04: Explore connections across literary texts.

A02: Analyse ways in which meanings are shaped





Explanation

The focus here is obviously on AO3. This contextual information changes the way you see the picture dramatically.

Has your view of the picture changed?

Challenge: Have you seen new things you hadn't seen before? What do you think the picture is about now?

If I tell you:

- The first painting is called Gin Alley
- The second picture is called Beer Street
- It was painted in 1751, during what was perceived as a national crisis known as the 'Gin Craze'
- Water supplies in the period were not clean and the source of many diseases.
- Gin is a cheap alcoholic drink.
- The selling and consumption of gin was widespread in poor areas: one out of five households sold gin in the slum of St Giles-in-the-Fields alone.
- One of the symptoms of syphilis is sores on the legs.
- By 1743, England was drinking 2.2 gallons (10 litres) of gin per person per year.
- Hogarth completed this picture as part of a national campaign to which also involved the writer Henry Fielding. Hogarth created Beer Street and Gin Lane in order to add some punchy visual rhetoric to the campaign.

A₀₃: significance and influence of the contexts in which literary texts are written and received.

Explanation

The focus here is on alternative viewpoints (AO5).

Gin Alley

This is a gin-fuelled, topsy-turvy world of mob rule, precipitating the breakdown of society in general – symbolised by the collapsing building at the far end of the miserable vista. (Alastair Sooke)

Challenge: Go back to your first statement. How has your view changed?



A₀₅:
different
interpret
-ations

Beer Street

Nearby, fishwives with overflowing baskets suggest that a society based on solid, honest mercantile [relating to trade or commerce - 'Britain is a nation of shopkeepers' according to Napoleon] values — untainted by that foreign spirit, gin — will be rewarded with abundance and prosperity. (Alastair Sooke)

extra challenge: Stephen Brogan on Reviews in History: "Rather than portraying prostitutes as the victims of their male seducers, the authors should see them as victims of circumstance...

Attempting to reconstruct the experiences of these women and understand city life through their eves "

Do you agree or disagree?





Now write a paragraph including all of the AO's in answer to this question: What do you think is the purpose of the two paintings?

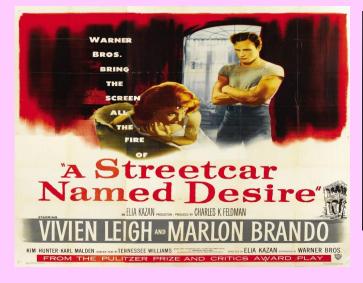
Going back though the process you have been through offers the chance to explain the different AOs:

- Your initial ideas were maybe vague and unclear
- By focusing on some details the analysis was stronger (AO2)
- Comparing Gin Alley to a similar picture illuminated the first picture (AO4)
- Having a grasp of some terminology made you look at the image in a different way (AO1)
- Knowing something about the context made your conclusions sharper and opened up new ideas (AO3)
- Having an expert's view gave you another, alternative perspective on the text. (AO5)

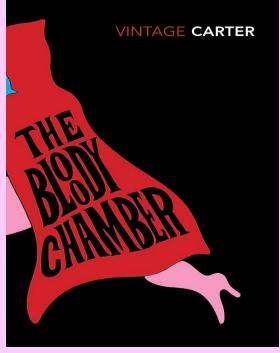




Challenge: Can you think of any literature written around 1751?



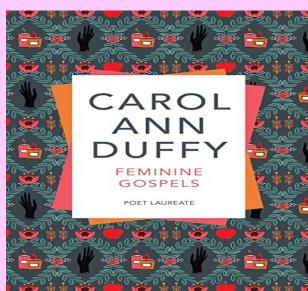


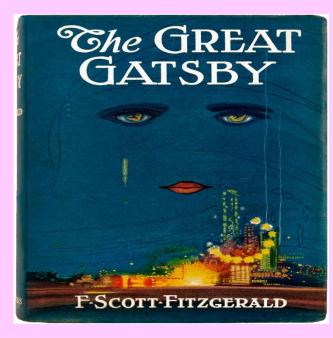




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What could the next two years look like?

KS5 2-year curriculum plan 2023-2024

2023/24 YEAR 12

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TEACHER 1	Introduction to A-Level	Handmaids Tale	Handmaids Tale	Feminine Gospels	Feminine Gospels	Unseen prose	YEAR 12
	English (2 weeks)	Paper 2	Paper 2	Paper 2	Paper 2	Paper 2	
AGO	SKILLS AND WIDER WORKING	Texts in shared	Texts in shared	Texts in Shared	Texts in Shared	Texts in Shared	
	FOR SUCCESS	contexts	contexts	Contexts	Contexts	Contexts	
	Handmaids Tale						
	Introduction and context						
TEACHER 2	Great Gatsby	Great Gatsby	Othello	Othello	Streetcar Named	COURSEWORK	YEAR 12
	Paper 1	Paper 1	Paper 1	Paper 1	Desire	(independent	
	Love through the Ages	Love through the	Love through the	Love through the Ages	Paper 2	Critical Study)	Coursework deadline -
		Ages	Ages		Texts in Shared	The Gothic	essay to be planned over
					Contexts	Frankenstein	the summer
						and Bloody	
						Chamber	
TEACHER 1	Love Anthology pre 1900	Revisit Handmaids	Revisit Feminine	Revisit Unseen prose	PAPER 2	FXAM	VFAR 13
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Follow up homework task for summer





Research and choose one of Shakespeare's sonnets and then write a response to it—what does it mean? Can you comment on the Historical context? Can you analyse it?

CHALLENGE: Can you write a modern day response to it? What would an audience say in return?

Sonnet 18

William Shakespeare

Shall I compare thee to a summer's day?
Thou art more lovely and more temperate:
Rough winds do shake the darling buds of May,
And summer's lease hath all too short a date:
Sometime too hot the eye of heaven shines,
And often is his gold complexion dimm'd;
And every fair from fair sometime declines,
By chance, or nature's changing course, untrimm'd;
But thy eternal summer shall not fade
Nor lose possession of that fair thou ow'st;
Nor shall Death brag thou wander'st in his shade,
When in eternal lines to time thou grow'st;
So long as men can breathe or eyes can see,
So long lives this, and this gives life to thee



