

Subject Assessment Information 2021 – English Language

Qualification	GCSE
Subject	English Language
Assessment length	45 minutes for each assessment
<p>Topics and skills to be revised and assessed:</p> <p><u>Language Paper 1 Question 5 – Creative writing (31st March / 1st April)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generating interesting ideas • Structuring a descriptive response effectively • Crafting varied sentences • Using language devices for effect • Technical accuracy <p><u>Language Paper 1 Question 4 – Evaluation (22nd April)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responding to texts • Analysing a writer’s methods (language and structure) • Evaluating perspectives • Selecting and commenting on evidence from an extract <p><u>Language paper 2 question 5 – Transactional writing (Assessment date TBC)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speech writing 	
<p>Assessment format:</p> <p><u>Assessment 1</u>— 40 mark description or narrative (45 minutes) Completed before Easter Task options to be pre-released on 29th via Google Classroom. Class assessments will be chosen from this range of papers.</p> <p><u>Assessment 2</u>— 20 mark evaluation response (45 minutes) Extract text to be pre-released on 21st of April in lesson (question will remain unseen)</p> <p><u>Assessment 3</u> – 40 mark non-fiction writing response (45 minutes) Speech writing task to be completed only if a further opportunity to demonstrate performance is deemed necessary.</p>	
<p>Preparation & Revision Advice Complete Easter revision booklet Read fiction</p>	