

Course Title	A Level English Language
Level	Level 3
About the Course	<p>The course is designed to sharpen your understanding of how language works, with detailed analysis of language use in speech and writing.</p> <p>You will look at how language can be used to achieve particular effects in different contexts, for different audiences and purposes. You will look at English from the past to the present day.</p> <p>You will develop your creative and analytical skills by producing a wide variety of texts and by learning to discuss texts with increasing confidence and precision. You will acquire knowledge of linguistic frameworks and how these are used to create meaning.</p> <p>You should be willing to justify your ideas during class discussions and in written essays, and enjoy working both independently and in a group.</p>
Progression Routes	<p>English Language combines well with most subjects and can lead to a wide variety of courses in Higher Education. It prepares you for careers which require good communication skills such as Teaching, Journalism and Media, Advertising, Marketing or Personnel work.</p>
Method of Assessment	<p>Coursework is worth 40% of your overall grade at both AS and A2 Level.</p> <p>One 2.5 hour examination worth 60% of overall grade at both AS and A2 Level.</p>