Year 13 guidance 2021-22

Subject: A Level English Language

Spring/Summer 2022 learning topics:

This term students will learn about: Paper 2 section B

Question 3 Language discourses:

- Covering 3 assessment objectives in an answer
- Commenting about discourses used to represent certain English language debates.
- How to structure a comparative response
- AO1: Apply appropriate methods of language analysis, using associated terminology and coherent written expression.
- AO3: Analyse and evaluate how contextual factors and language features are associated with the construction of meaning.
- AO4: Explore connections across texts, informed by linguistic concepts and methods.

Formal writing: Question 4 Paper 2 Section B: Opinion Article

- How to use theories approaches and case studies to support an argument
- How to write an article for a specific context and audience using discourses
- AO5: Demonstrate expertise and creativity in the use of English to communicate in different ways.
- AO2: Demonstrate critical understanding of concepts and issues relevant to language use

Weekly revision of paper 1

- Meanings and representations
- Comparative uses of language and its impact on audiences
- Child language acquisition- developing speaking
- Child language acquisition- developing reading and writing
- After Easter, revision of Paper 2 Section A diversity

March 2022 Mock Exam duration: Paper 2 (2.5 hrs)

March Mock examination skills assessed- highlighted above

March Mock examination topics for revision- highlighted above

Advance information: Summer 2022

7702/1 Paper 1 Language, the individual and society Section A

There are 2 pieces of data, we have been told the genres of both pieces of data:

Text A: news article
And the second data set:

Text B genre: opening chapter of a cookbook

Both texts will be linked by theme. We have not been told the theme.

7702/2 Paper 2 Language diversity and change Section B

We have been told the genre of the 2 articles that will feature in section B, language discourses.

Text A genre: opinion article

Text B genre: two opposing sides of an argument We have not been told what the discourse is.

Summer 2022 exam dates

25 May Exam for A-level English Language Paper 1 (7702/1) June 2022 series

Start time: am Duration: 2h 30m

6 June

Exam for A-level English Language Paper 2 (7702/2) June 2022 series

Start time: pm Duration: 2h 30m

Summer 2022 Exam duration: Paper 1: 2.5 hours

Paper 2: 2.5 hours

Advance information has been published for this subject directing students to the content of the examination. This can be found at: AQA-7702-AI-22.PDF