

English Language Year 12 Exams

Key Info for English Language exams:

Component 1: Concepts and Issues (2 hours)

Section A: 1 hour Spoken Language: You will analyse the two transcripts you are given (you have been working on this in your **yellow** books with Mr Hobson or Mrs Richards). Revise your spoken terminology and be able to write about the spoken language you will be given.

Section B: 1 hour Concepts essay: You will have a question on Language and Power.

Component 2: Language Change (1 hour 30 mins) You will answer the short EME questions and write a genre change essay on the three texts you have been given. (you have been working on this in your **GREEN** books with Ms Coates or Ms Mack). Revise word classes and specific EME terminology, consider genre features for a range of genres and some key aspects of historical attitudes and values which you can apply to the texts given in the exam.

Component 3: Creative and Critical Writing (1 hour 45 mins) You will write two pieces in two different genres and then write a commentary about one of these pieces. (You have been working on this in your **RED** book with Ms Coates or Ms Mack - this is the only exam that will be exactly the same in Year 13/real A Levels)