



## **English Language - GCSE Resit**

### **Who is this for?**

Students who achieve an English Language grade of less than a 5 will be required to resit their GCSE in the Sixth Form and they will be timetabled specific resit lessons. Grade 5 is the new 'threshold' which will be required for future employment, apprenticeships and higher education. Some students who achieve a grade 5 may choose to resit in order to gain a higher grade. These students will need to request to be added to a resit class, and will be asked to pay the exam entry fee.

### **Content**

Students will study towards the GCSE English Language qualification.

### **Assessment**

Two examinations which assess reading and writing skills in fiction and non-fiction texts.

### **Future courses and careers**

Competent and confident literacy skills are essential in life beyond school in forums of further study and employment. GCSE English Language is a vitally important qualification for all students.