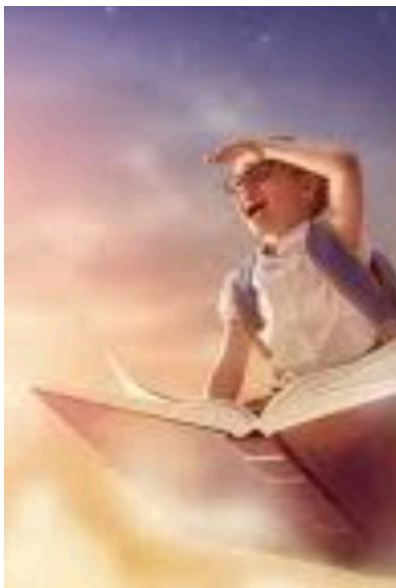


## Year 10 English Mock Revision Checklists

### TOP 5 REVISION TIPS:

1. For **GCSE English Language**, use the **Blatch English Department [Revision Website](#)**. Memorise **timings**, **marks** available and the **skills assessed** for each **question**. Watch the **video walkthroughs** for each question and use these to help you complete **practice papers**.
2. For **GCSE English Literature**, use the **Blatch English Department [Revision Website](#)** to find past papers, marked scripts, video tutorials and **practice questions**. Create **mind maps** for the key themes related to each text and make **flashcards** to help you memorise key quotations. **Make sure you self-test regularly**.
3. For both **Literature** and **Language**, use the **knowledge organiser/process sheets** to create **flashcards**, **mind maps** or to plan/complete **practice questions**.
4. Use your **English exercise books**, **hot tasks** and **assessments** and **mock exams**. Use the targets you have been given to focus your revision.
5. Use the **Mr Bruff YouTube tutorials** to make **revision cards** or **mind maps** for areas of the curriculum you find more challenging.

### YEAR 10 MOCK EXAM INFORMATION:



#### English Language Paper 1:

##### 'Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing'

- 1 hour and 45 minutes
- 50% of the total English Language GCSE
- Section A = reading; Section B = writing
- 80 marks in total (40 for reading; 40 for writing)

**Q1) List 4 things... - 4 marks**

**Q2) Language Analysis - 8 marks**

**Q3) Structure Analysis - 8 marks**

**Q4) Evaluation - 20 marks**

**Q5) Writing a description or narrative - 40 marks**



#### English Literature Paper 1:

##### Macbeth & A Christmas Carol

- 1 hour and 45 mins
- 40% of the total English Literature GCSE
- Section A = Macbeth; Section B = A Christmas Carol
- 64 marks in total (34 for Macbeth; 30 for A Christmas Carol)



**For the Year 10 mock exams, you will complete Section A (Macbeth) ONLY of Literature Paper 1.  
For Language, it will be the full paper.**

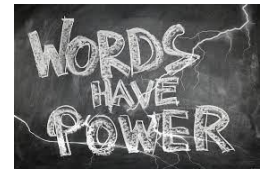
# GCSE English Literature

## Essential Revision Checklists: **Macbeth**



MACBETH ESSENTIAL REVISION CHECKLIST:		RAG	LINKS:
1	I know the plot well and can explain the key events in each act.		<a href="#">Macbeth plot summary</a> <a href="#">Macbeth act by act</a>
2	I know the key themes and how they relate to specific moments/quotations and the writer's purpose/message.		<a href="#">The Essential Knowledge Organiser</a> <a href="#">Key themes video</a>
3	I know a range of vocabulary to describe each character and their actions.		<a href="#">English Revision Website</a>
4	I know a range of key quotations for each character and theme.		<a href="#">Macbeth quote table</a> <a href="#">Seneca - quotations</a>
5	I know the key symbols/motifs in the play and how they relate to the key themes.		<a href="#">The Essential Knowledge Organiser</a>
6	I know the symbolic meaning of characters/events (what each represents) and how this relates to the writer's purpose.		<a href="#">English Revision Website</a> <a href="#">The Essential Knowledge Organiser</a>
7	I know several key events which occurred at the time the play was written/set and how they relate to key themes/moments.		<a href="#">Macbeth context video</a> <a href="#">English Revision Website</a>
8	I know the social/political views that relate to the play/writer's purpose/message.		<a href="#">English Revision Website</a>
9	I know the values/beliefs of the audience at the time the play was written and how they relate to key details in the play.		<a href="#">English Revision Website</a>
10	I know the genre/form of the play and am able to explain the significance of this.		<a href="#">English Revision Website</a>
11	I know key stylistic features relevant to the play (language, structure, dramatic methods)		<a href="#">English Revision Website</a>
12	I know how to answer and structure an exam question (including timings, assessment objectives etc).		<a href="#">The Essential Knowledge Organiser</a> <a href="#">English Revision Website</a>

# GCSE English Language Essential Knowledge Checklists:



## English Language Paper 1 'Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing'

All the knowledge below can be found via the [English Revision Website](#) and the [Video Walkthroughs](#) for each question.

LANGUAGE ESSENTIAL REVISION CHECKLIST:		RAG	EXTRA LINKS:
1	I know the <b>timings</b> and <b>marks</b> for each question on Paper 1.		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
2	I know the <b>skills tested</b> and <b>exam strategy</b> for each question.		<a href="#">Walkthroughs</a>
3	I know what it means / how to <b>analyse language</b> (Q2)		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
4	I know what it means / how to analyse <b>structure</b> (Q3)		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
5	I know what it means / how to <b>evaluate</b> (Q4)		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
6	I know what it means / how to write a <b>description</b> (Q5)		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
7	I know what it means / how to write a <b>narrative</b> (Q5)		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
8	I know how to <b>structure</b> a description or narrative (Paper 1)		<a href="#">Process sheet</a>
9	I know what the examiner is looking for when it comes to the technical accuracy of my writing (Paper 1 & 2)		<a href="#">Writing Feedback Codes + Resources</a>
10	I know how to achieve the highest marks in Paper 1 (all questions).		<a href="#">Walkthroughs</a> <a href="#">Exemplar P1Q5</a>