

# English (Year 8)

## Curriculum Map 2025-2026



### **Our Restless World: Journeys, People and Planet Language and Effect**

A unit exploring a range of texts and literary genres from across the ages to inspire students' analytical skills and creative writing.



**Year 8 – Term 3**



### **Shakespeare's Restless World Language and Effect**

A unit exploring how writer's craft their texts using extracts from Shakespeare's histories and comedies to inform their response.



### **Animal Farm and Rhetoric**

#### **Finding Our Voices: The Art of Rhetoric**

A unit exploring how arguments are developed using the novella as inspiration.



**Year 8 – Term 2**



### **Animal Farm and Rhetoric**

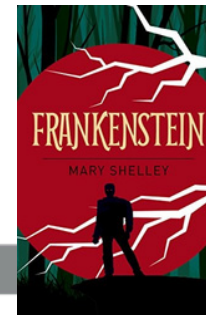
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### **Frankenstein: Playscripts Composition and Transcription in Writing**

A unit where students will write their own Gothic tragedy play using Pullman's adaptation of Frankenstein as inspiration.



**Year 8 – Term 1**



### **The Gothic Composition and Transcription in Writing**

A unit exploring some of literature's most eerie tales from a range of extracts and poems.

**Whole School  
Assesment  
One**

**End of Year  
Assesment**

**Baseline  
Assesments**