



ENGLISH S2

Areas covered:

- Language
- Writing
- Reading
- Speaking and listening

CURRICULUM CONTENT

During the course of S2, students will study the following:

PROSE FICTION

Two of the following:

The Chocolate War- Robert Cormier
The Illustrated Mum- Jacqueline Wilson
Angus, thongs and full-frontal snogging- Louise Rennison
Kit's Wilderness- David Almond
Selected Short Stories- Roald Dahl
Daz 4 Zoe- Robert Swindells
Stone Cold- Robert Swindells
The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas- John Boyne

DRAMA

One of the following:

Romeo and Juliet
An Inspector Calls

POETRY

One of the following:

Dragonsteeth Anthology of Poetry

Earshot Anthology

An alternative selection of poetry, chosen by class teacher

MEDIA AND NON-FICTION

Building on their study of media in S1, students in S2 will continue to study and analyse a variety of media and non-fiction, but special topics may include:

- Study of film/moving image
- Reality bites- revision of different text types

READING LESSONS

Once a week S2 students will have a lesson spent in silent reading of books of their choice. They will follow The Canterbury School Reading Trail, as part of which they will be required to complete various reading-related activities.

Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum certificates will be awarded during the course of the Reading Trail.