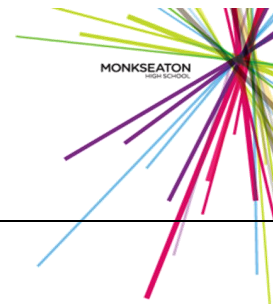


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Key Information



Exam Board:	AQA		
Specification:	GCSE		
Link to Specification:	http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse		
Units:	Paper 1: Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing – 1 hour 45 mins and 80 marks Paper 2: Writers’ Viewpoints and Perspectives – 1 hour 45 mins and 80 marks		
Assessment:	Paper 1: 50% Paper 2: 50%		
Exam Dates:	Paper 1: 5th June 2018 Paper 2: 8th June 2018		
Past Papers:	http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-language-8700/assessment-resources		
Helpful Revision Websites:	http://mrbruff.com https://www.bbc.com/education/subjects/zr9d7ty		
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Choice Board



This board has examples of revision tasks that you could set at home. You could change the topic and reset the task to get maximum use out of each task and add variety to your child's revision.

Use the AQA Paper 1 Text selection on SharePoint. Print off a text and practice: How is this text structured to interest you as a reader?	Assemble a list of key language and structure.	Use the AQA Paper 1 Text selection on SharePoint. Print off a text and practice: How is language used in this text to interest you as a reader?
Rewrite one of your marked Paper 1 responses to improve your grade.	Complete a full Paper 1 and/or 2. Your teacher will give you a copy.	<i>Access The Guardian online website. Choose the Opinion, Culture or Lifestyle section. Read 3 articles and make a list of some of the methods the writer uses to inform the reader.</i>
Use the AQA Paper 1 Text selection on SharePoint. Print off a text and use this to write your own version changing the context and/or setting.	https://www.literacyshed.com/the-images-shed.html Use the link above to find an image. Use it to create your own narrative or description.	Access The Guardian online website. Choose the Opinion, Culture or Lifestyle section. Choose one article and write a response where you argue your point of view.
Use the AQA Paper 1 Text selection on SharePoint. Print off a text and create your own paper 1.	Rewrite one of your marked Paper 2 responses to improve your grade.	Use the AQA Paper 2 Text selection on SharePoint. Print off a pair of linked texts and for each one practice: How is language used to interest the reader?
Read a broadsheet newspaper.	Search for revision videos for each of your questions online.	Use the AQA Paper 2 Text selection on SharePoint. Print off a pair of texts and practice: Compare how these texts present their ideas and perspectives.

Or make your own tasks! These key words can help you to create tasks for your child to complete:

Reduce Change Assemble Search Connect Arrange Enlarge Simplify Classify
Compare and Contrast Apply Prioritise Act Out

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