



George Stephenson
High School

ENGLISH - GCSE

GCSE English Language and English Literature

All students will be following a combined course of GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature. Two separate awards will be given.

GCSE English Language

Students will sit two examinations at the end of Year 11. A separate award will be given for Spoken Language.

Over the two years, students will study a range of pre and post nineteenth century literary fiction and non-fiction. We will also explore a range of writing styles and practise producing texts for a range of purposes and audiences.

GCSE English Literature

Students will sit two examinations at the end of Year 11.

Over the two years, students will study a Shakespeare play as well as a contemporary play, a range of poetry and a pre-1900 novel.