



# FEARNHILL SCHOOL

Headteacher – Ms E Ellis BA, MA

Our ref: HBT/SCR

13th July 2022

Dear Year 10 into Year 11 Parents and Carers,

## **Year 11 Literature Texts**

I wrote to you at the beginning of the academic year regarding the start of your child's English GCSE journey. I am pleased to report that we are on track with our curriculum, with just two units left to cover in the Autumn Term. This leaves us with plenty of revision time, as well as the next set of mocks (Literature Paper 1 and 2) prior to Christmas, and the final mock (Language Paper 2) in March.

### **Set Texts**

I requested that every child had a copy of each set text. These are:

- An Inspector Calls
- A Christmas Carol
- Macbeth

Please could you check if your child still has their copies. They will need to re-read An Inspector Calls and A Christmas Carol over the Summer holiday please. We begin Macbeth in our first lesson back in September. Please ensure your child has their own copy. I recommend this version:

[https://www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-9-1-GCSE-English-Macbeth/dp/1841461202/ref=sr\\_1\\_9?keywords=macbeth&qid=1657179767&sr=8-9](https://www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-9-1-GCSE-English-Macbeth/dp/1841461202/ref=sr_1_9?keywords=macbeth&qid=1657179767&sr=8-9)

If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals, then the English Department has already provided copies for your child to keep. Macbeth can be collected from their English teacher in due course.

### **Revision Guides**

It would be very helpful for your child to also have a revision guide for each literature text, however this is not compulsory. May I recommend the 'CGP' guides as a good option.

### **Our Team**

Our English team is fully staffed with English specialists ready for September, with my group and Miss Christie's group continuing. We will be saying a sad farewell to Ms Corbishley, and welcome Mr Fox, an experienced English teacher (and GCSE Literature Examiner!) ready to support all our students to achieve the best they can this coming academic year.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please feel free to contact me:

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I look forward to continuing to work with you and your child/ren to make sure they have the best year possible.

Best wishes,

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