

GCSE English

SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT

WRITTEN PAPER 20% (1 hour)¹	Jan / June
Unit 1: English in the daily world (reading)	(40 Raw Marks; 40 UMS)
Reading: non-fiction texts	

WRITTEN PAPER 20% (1 hour)²	Jan / June
Unit 2: English in the daily world (writing)	(40 Raw Marks; 40 UMS)
Writing: information and ideas	

CONTROLLED ASSESSMENT 40%	Jan / June
Unit 3: English in the world of the imagination	(80 Raw Marks; 80 UMS)
Reading: literary texts (two assignments: 10% each): literary heritage poetry & Shakespeare; different cultures prose	
Writing: open writing (two assignments: 10% each): 1 st and 3 rd person narrative	

CONTROLLED ASSESSMENT 20%³	Jan / June
Unit 4: Speaking and Listening	40 Raw Marks; 40 UMS)
Speaking and Listening: Communicating and adapting language; interacting and responding; creating and sustaining roles	

ASSESSMENT OPPORTUNITIES

	Entry Code		June 2011	Jan 2012	June 2012
	Subject	Option			
Unit 1	4191	01 (F)	✓	✓	✓
	4191	02 (H)			
Unit 2	4192	01 (F)	✓	✓	✓
	4192	02 (H)			
Unit 3	4193				✓
Unit 4	4194				✓
Subject Award	4190				✓

From June 2012, all units offered in both January and June.

Qualification Accreditation Number: 500/7913/X

¹ Common paper with GCSE English Language

² Common paper with GCSE English Language

³ Also assessed in GCSE English Language