

# **Holy Trinity School**

A Church of England Secondary School



English Language A-Level Curriculum Guide

# **English Language**



This is an A Level Course.

MINIMUM SUBJECT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (in addition to the general  $6^{TH}$  form minimum entry requirements of 5 x grade 4 at GCSE/equivalent or above including maths and English):

GCSE grade 4 in English Language

Studying English Language offers you the opportunity to further your love of reading, writing, analysing and making connections between texts. You will study Language, the Individual and Society, Language, Diversity and Change as well as Language in Action. You will explore areas such as Language Acquisition and be encouraged to develop your interest in English as you - develop and apply your understanding of the concepts and methods appropriate for the analysis and study of language; explore data and examples of language in use; engage creatively and critically with a varied programme for the study of English; and develop your skills as producers and interpreters of language. In addition, you will be encouraged students to develop your enjoyment of English as you independently investigate language in use.

#### **Exam Board Information:**

## AQA English Language A Level (7701,7702)

**Component 1: Language, the individual and society** (40%): written exam 2 hours 30 mins **Component 2: Language Diversity and Change** (40%): written exam 2 hours 30 mins

Component 3: Language in Action – NEA Coursework (20%) 3500 words

### **PATHWAYS:**

UNIVERSITY COURSES	APPRENTICESHIPS	WORLD OF WORK
English, Law, Linguistics, Creative Writing	Journalism, Law, Media, Publishers, etc.	Students can progress from this qualification to work in the following fields: Journalism, Law, Advertising, Publishing etc.

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