

English Language Paper 1 **80 marks** **50% of Language GCSE** **1 hour 45 mins**

Part A: Reading **40 marks**
25% of Language GCSE

Part B: Writing **40 marks**
25% of Lang GCSE

Q1: List four things. AO1

You need to be able to retrieve information.

- **4 marks**
- 5 minutes

Q2: How the writer uses language for effect. AO2

You need to be able to analyse language and select examples to support your comments.

- **8 marks**
- 10 minutes

Q3: How the writer uses structure for effect. AO2

You need to be able to analyse structure and select examples to support your comments.

- **8 marks**
- 10 minutes

Q4: To what extent do you agree? AO4

You need to be able to evaluate texts critically and select evidence to support your comments.

- **20 marks**
- 20 minutes

Q5: Descriptive/narrative writing. AO5/AO6

You will need to examine a source and/ or consider a prompt in order to create a piece of original descriptive or narrative writing.

- **40 marks**
- 45 minutes
- 5 minute plan
- 35 minute write
- 5 minute check

English Language Paper 2 **80 marks** **50% of Language GCSE** **1 hour 45 mins**

Part A: Reading **40 marks**
25% of Language GCSE

Part B: Writing **40 marks**
25% of Lang GCSE

Q1: True/ False statements. AO1

You need to be able to retrieve information.

- **4 marks**
- 5 minutes

Q2: Write a summary of information from reading. AO1

You need to be able to retrieve and interpret information.

- **8 marks**
- 8 minutes

Q3: How the writer uses language for effect. AO2

You need to be able to analyse language and select examples to support your comments.

- **12 marks**
- 12 minutes

Q4: How the writers present ideas. AO3

You need to be able to compare ideas and perspectives across two or more texts.

- **20 marks**
- 20 minutes
- 5 minute plan
- 15 minute write

Q5: Descriptive/narrative writing. AO5/AO6

You will produce a piece for a specific audience, purpose and form, giving your own perspective on a theme introduced in Part A.

- **40 marks**
- 45 minutes
- 5 minute plan
- 35 minute write
- 5 minute check

English Language Paper 1 **80 marks** **50% of Language GCSE** **1 hour 45 mins**

Part A: Reading **40 marks**
25% of Language GCSE

Part B: Writing **40 marks**
25% of Lang GCSE

Q1: List four things. AO1

You need to be able to retrieve information.

- **4 marks**
- 5 minutes

Q2: How the writer uses language for effect. AO2

You need to be able to analyse language and select examples to support your comments.

- **8 marks**
- 10 minutes

Q3: How the writer uses structure for effect. AO2

You need to be able to analyse structure and select examples to support your comments.

- **8 marks**
- 10 minutes

Q4: To what extent do you agree? AO4

You need to be able to evaluate texts critically and select evidence to support your comments.

- **20 marks**
- 20 minutes

Q5: Descriptive/narrative writing. AO5/AO6

You will need to examine a source and/ or consider a prompt in order to create a piece of original descriptive or narrative writing.

- **40 marks**
- 45 minutes
- 5 minute plan
- 35 minute write
- 5 minute check

English Language Paper 2 **80 marks** **50% of Language GCSE** **1 hour 45 mins**

Part A: Reading **40 marks**
25% of Language GCSE

Part B: Writing **40 marks**
25% of Lang GCSE

Q1: True/ False statements. AO1

You need to be able to retrieve information.

- **4 marks**
- 5 minutes

Q2: Write a summary of information from reading. AO1

You need to be able to retrieve and interpret information.

- **8 marks**
- 8 minutes

Q3: How the writer uses language for effect. AO2

You need to be able to analyse language and select examples to support your comments.

- **12 marks**
- 12 minutes

Q4: How the writers present ideas. AO3

You need to be able to compare ideas and perspectives across two or more texts.

- **20 marks**
- 20 minutes
- 5 minute plan
- 15 minute write

Q5: Descriptive/narrative writing. AO5/AO6

You will produce a piece for a specific audience, purpose and form, giving your own perspective on a theme introduced in Part A.

- **40 marks**
- 45 minutes
- 5 minute plan
- 35 minute write
- 5 minute check