

# **REVISION TASKS**

## **GCSE English Language and Literature Revision Planner**

BRONZE – 5-20 minutes tasks

SILVER – 20-40 minute tasks

GOLD – 40 minutes to 1 hour tasks

<b>W/b 11<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.	<p><b><u>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Write a summary of a key character from Jekyll or A Christmas Carol using quotations.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> – Choose a theme from Jekyll or ACC and create a detailed mind-map. Begin with your own ideas and then add any ideas from notes that you have.</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Complete a full Jekyll or ACC response in 50 minutes</p>	<p><b><u>Macbeth</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Write a summary of a key character from Macbeth using quotations.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> - Choose a theme from Macbeth and create a detailed mind map. Begin with your own ideas and then add any ideas from notes that you have.</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Complete a full ‘Macbeth’ response in 55 minutes.</p>	<p><b><u>An Inspector Calls</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Write a summary of a key character from An Inspector Calls using quotations.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> - Choose a theme from An Inspector Calls. Create a detailed mind map. Begin with your own ideas and then add any ideas from notes that you have.</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Complete a full An Inspector Calls response in 50 minutes.</p>	<p><b><u>Poetry Anthology</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Write a summary of a poem using quotations.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> – Watch a video of the poem being annotated (e.g., Mr Bruff, GCSEPod) analysing the poem and make notes on a blank copy.</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Complete a full poetry response in 50 minutes.</p>	<p><b><u>Language Paper 1</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Language Paper 1. Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q1 (5 mins) = 15 mins.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> – Language Paper 1. Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q4 (25 mins) = 35 mins</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Complete a full Language Paper 1 mini mock in 1 hour total.</p>

w/b 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.	<b>Language Paper 2</b>	<b>Unseen Poetry</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> Century text</b>	<b>Macbeth</b>	<b>An Inspector Calls</b>
	<p><b>Bronze</b> – Language Paper 2. Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q1 (5 mins) = 15 mins</p> <p><b>Silver</b> – Language Paper 2. Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q3 (15 mins) = 25 mins</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full Language Paper 2 mini mock in 1 hour total.</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> – Choose a song that you like and annotate a key line with your analysis ideas.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> – Use one of the practice questions, complete a 35 minute single poem response. Read the poem and write the response.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> – Complete a full exam for 50 minutes. Analyse a single poem for 35 minutes and then compare the methods for 15 minutes.</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Choose a theme or character and write a plan entirely from memory.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> – ACC. Watch the 25-minute version of ‘A Christmas Carol’ and make a timeline. <a href="#">A Christmas Carol 1971 ~ Animated ~ Alastair Sim ~ Full Length ORIGINAL POST (youtube.com)</a> J&amp;H Watch episodes and ‘Edisodes’ and make a timeline.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Re-read a section of the text and add additional notes</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Choose a theme or character and write a plan entirely from memory (power, ambition, supernatural, kingship, gender, secrecy)</p> <p>Silver - Watch the animated 25 minute version of ‘Macbeth’ and make a timeline <a href="#">[Shakespeare: The Animated Tales] Macbeth (youtube.com)</a></p> <p>Gold - Re-read a section of the text and add additional notes</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Choose a theme or character and write a plan entirely from memory (Responsibility, Gender, young v older, class)</p> <p><b>Silver</b> – Watch the videos on GCSEPod and make a timeline.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> – Re-read an Act from the play and add additional notes</p>

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Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.	<b>Poetry Anthology</b>	<b>Language Paper 1</b>	<b>Language Paper 2</b>	<b>Unseen Poetry</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text</b>
	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Choose a theme and write a plan entirely from memory (power, conflict, war, memory, trauma, emotion, anger, nature, soldiers)</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Complete some revision into one of the poems. For example, research Wilfred Owen's life and the inspiration behind his poems, as well as WWI.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Print a fresh poem and annotate it using research and online videos</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q2 (10 mins) =20</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Silver - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q4 (25 mins) = 35 mins</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full mini mock in 1 hour total</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q2 (10 mins) =20</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q4 (20 mins) = 30 mins</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full mini mock in 1 hour total</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> - Read the lyrics of a song you like and then write a paragraph explaining what it's about</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Spend 20 minutes annotating a poem and considering all the things you might cover if you had to analyse it.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full exam for 50 minutes. Analyse a single poem for 35 minutes and then compare the methods for 15 minutes</p>	<p><b>Bronze</b> – Complete 5-10 flashcards and ask someone to quiz you.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Complete some revision into Victorian England and the writer's influences. Write a summary of why you think they wrote 'A Christmas Carol' or 'Jekyll and Hyde'</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full 'A Christmas Carol' response in 50 minutes</p>

w/b 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.	<b><u>Macbeth</u></b>	<b><u>An Inspector Calls</u></b>	<b><u>Poetry Anthology</u></b>	<b><u>Language Paper 1</u></b>	<b><u>Language Paper 2</u></b>
	<b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Complete 5 – 10 flashcards and ask someone to quiz you.	<b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Complete 5-10 flashcards and ask someone to quiz you.	<b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Choose 3 poems and create 3 flashcards for each. Ask someone to quiz you.	<b><u>Bronze</u></b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q3 (10 mins) =20	<b><u>Bronze</u></b> - Write a sentence about something you disagree with in school. Then write a plan for an article about that issue.
	<b><u>Silver</u></b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the play. Add events, quotations etc and connect them.	<b><u>Silver</u></b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the play. Add events, quotations etc and connect them	<b><u>Silver</u></b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the novella. Add events, quotations etc and connect them.	<b><u>Silver</u></b> - Pick an image and write a sentence using each of the following: simile, metaphor, personification, zoomorphism, list of 3. Then spend 10 minutes upgrading the vocabulary you have used.	<b><u>Silver</u></b> - Write a letter to Mr Harrison about what you would change about the school, persuading him to agree
	<b><u>Gold</u></b> - Re-read a section of the text and add additional notes	<b><u>Gold</u></b> - Re-read a section of the play and add additional notes	<b><u>Gold</u></b> - Complete a full poetry response in 50 minutes.	<b><u>Gold</u></b> - Complete a full Paper 1 Q5 (creative writing) response in 45 minutes	<b><u>Gold</u></b> - Complete a full writing response in 45 minutes

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<p><b>Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.</b></p>	<p><b>Unseen Poetry</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Choose a poem using poetryfoundation.org and annotate it/ write a summary of it</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Choose a song you like and write 3 analysis paragraphs covering how the song presents a topic or theme of your choice.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full exam for 50 minutes. Analyse a single poem for 35 minutes and then compare the methods for 15 minutes</p>	<p><b>19<sup>th</sup> Century text</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Complete a quotation explosion</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Pick a quotation from the text and explode it, then write a paragraph on it.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full exam response in 50 minutes</p>	<p><b>Macbeth</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Complete a quotation explosion</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Pick a quotation from the text and explode it, then write a paragraph on it.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full exam response in 50 minutes</p>	<p><b>An Inspector Calls</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Complete a quotation explosion</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Pick a quotation from the text and explode it, then write a paragraph on it.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full exam response in 50 minutes</p>	<p><b>Language Paper 1</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> – Choose a Q2 or Q3 and spend 10 minutes writing your answer.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> – choose an image from the pack. Write a plan, then write the drop and shift paragraphs (10 minutes each) focusing on juxtaposition between the two.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full mini mock in 1 hour total</p>

w/b 15 <sup>th</sup> April	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.	<p><b>Language Paper 2</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> – Choose one of the topics on page..... and write a statement giving a your view on one of the topics. Plan an article you would write in response to the statement.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Go on BBC News, Guardian Newsbeat or Newsround website and find a topic you have an opinion on. Write your own article about that issue.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full response in 45 minutes</p>	<p><b>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Spend 10 minutes writing a paragraph based on a quotation from ACC or Jekyll</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Complete a brain dump for any of the themes from the novel.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> – Complete an exam response.</p>	<p><b>Macbeth</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Spend 10 minutes writing a paragraph based on a quotation from the play.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Complete a brain dump for any of the themes from the play.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> – Complete an exam response.</p>	<p><b>An Inspector Calls</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Spend 10 minutes writing a paragraph based on a quotation from the play</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Complete a brain dump for any of the themes from the play</p> <p><b>Gold</b> – Complete an exam response.</p>	<p><b>Poetry Anthology</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> – choose one of the poems from the anthology. Annotate a blank copy from memory.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Choose one poem and write it in the middle of a page. Create a mind-map where you link the poem to 5 other poems, giving quotations to make links.</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Complete a full poetry response in 50 minutes.</p>

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Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.	<p><b><u>Language Paper 1</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q2 (10 mins) =20</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q4 (25 mins) = 35 mins</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Pick an image and write a full 45 creative writing response</p>	<p><b><u>Language Paper 2</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q2 (10 mins) =20</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> - Read an extract (10 mins) and complete Q4 (20 mins) = 30 mins</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> - Complete a full mini mock in 1 hour total</p>	<p><b><u>Unseen Poetry</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Choose a poem and Spend 10 minutes writing a paragraph</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> - Complete a comparison of methods question (5 mins reading, 15 writing)</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> - Complete a full exam for 50 minutes. Analyse a single poem for 35 minutes and then compare the methods for 15 minutes</p>	<p><b><u>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> – Add 5-10 more quotations to your flashcards and/or get someone to quiz you.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> – Choose an extract from the pack and spend 20 minutes annotating for writer’s methods and then plan the question.</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Use the extract to annotate and then write a full exam response.</p>	<p><b><u>Macbeth</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Bronze</u></b> - Add 5-10 more quotations to your flashcards and/or get someone to quiz you.</p> <p><b><u>Silver</u></b> – Choose an extract from the pack and spend 20 minutes annotating for writer’s methods and then plan the question.</p> <p><b><u>Gold</u></b> – Use the extract to annotate and then write a full exam response.</p>

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w/b 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p><b>Every day you should complete at least one activity (min 5 minutes). This can be a bronze, silver or gold revision task.</b></p>	<p><b>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Write a summary of a key character using quotations (Choose one that you know least well)</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the novella. Add events, quotations etc and connect them</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Re-read a section of the text and add additional notes</p>	<p><b>Macbeth</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Write a summary of a key character using quotations (Choose one that you know least well)</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the novella. Add events, quotations etc and connect them</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Re-read a section of the text and add additional notes</p>	<p><b>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> - Write a summary of a key character using quotations (Choose one that you know least well)</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the novella. Add events, quotations etc and connect them</p> <p><b>Gold</b> - Re-read a section of the text and add additional notes</p>	<p><b>Poetry Anthology</b></p> <p><b>Bronze</b> – Choose a poem that you know the least and annotate a blank copy with your ideas from memory.</p> <p><b>Silver</b> - Use the hexagon grid in the pack (you can ask for more!) to connect your knowledge of the novella. Add events, quotations etc and connect them</p> <p><b>Gold</b> – choose two poems to compare – annotate blank copies of them both and write a comparative grid.</p>	<p><b>19<sup>th</sup> Century Text/Macbeth</b></p> <p><i><b>This is the last Friday before your first literature exam: use this day and weekend to go over your flashcards, complete brain dumps, look at past paper questions, annotate extracts, plan for questions and read over your notes.</b></i></p>