

- •Introducing critical psychological theories of human development and learning.
- Applying critical theories to character analysis.



•Exploring Shelly's use of minor and foil characters.

•Analysing the use of cyclical structure, mirroring and setting to convey the writer's agenda.

<u>Autumn Term</u>

Autumn Sept - Macbeth:

- Finishing Macbeth Acts 4 & 5.
- Exploring Shakespeare's use of hamartia and the consequences of immoral actions.
- Analysing the writer's agenda through the cyclical ending.

Autumn Oct - Dec - Frankenstein and Power & Conflict Poetry:

- Recap of the Gothic genre with links to the Age of Enlightenment.
- Beginning to read Frankenstein.
- Exploring wider themes, such as ambition, family, and the sublime, and their link to Frankenstein and the 19th century context.

Year 9 Summer Term





Exploration of human emotions: unseen poetry

- Analysing unseen poetry through reciprocal reading strategies: students to predict, question, clarify and summarise unseen poetry.
- Develop empathy skills through the exploration of themes such as prejudice and class.
- Analyse the language and structure within poetry.
- To identify and discuss the poets' agendas.