



Year 8 English Assessment 1

Section 1: Grammar, Sentence Types, Punctuation, Tier 2&3 Vocabulary

Section 2: Comparing Poems

Section 3: Writing a Description

Revision List:

Grammar

- 🔗 Word class – adjectives, adverbs, modal verbs and nouns
- 🔗 Subject & object
- 🔗 Prepositions

Understanding grammar:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4hrt39>

Sentences

- 🔗 Simple, compound and complex sentences

Sentence types:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6jmm39>

Punctuation

- 🔗 Commas, full stops and semi-colons

Using semi-colons:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6w6cqt>

Tier 2/3 Vocabulary

- 🔗 Evaluate
- 🔗 Marginalised
- 🔗 Patriotism
- 🔗 Jingoism
- 🔗 Hierarchy
- 🔗 Metaphor
- 🔗 Symbolism
- 🔗 Pathetic fallacy

Comparing Poems

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqsvbqt/articles/zj8mxbk#zrr6hcx>

Writing a description



How to Revise:

You might like to use flash cards for terminology and vocabulary. These are helpful when there is information or facts that you need to memorise (e.g. What is a complex sentence?).

You could also try watching some of the videos and create a descriptive passage incorporating the skills and vocabulary listed on this page.

Speak to your teacher if you have any questions.

Good luck! 😊