Year 11 revision support

Conflict in 'Romeo and Juliet'

- Look at the start of the play and the effects of violence on Verona.
- Look at why the families are fighting.
- Examine how the Prince deals with the conflict between the two families
- Look at how Romeo attending the Capulet party causes conflict.
- Examine Tybalt and Benvolio's opposing attitudes to conflict.
- Look at how Romeo is banished due to conflict
- Examine how the deaths are due to conflict.
- Examine how the characters suffer emotional conflict due to love and divided loyalties between family and love.

Poverty in 'A Christmas Carol'

- Examine why Scrooge becomes so obsessed with making money.
- Look at the link between poverty and happiness.
- Look at the characters of Ignorance and Want and what point Dickens is making about Victorian Britain.
- Examine how Fezziwig spending a small amount of money makes people happy.
- Look at how Tiny Tim's death in the possible future changes Scrooge's path' how Scrooge changes and the effects of this change on others.
- Examine the description of Old Joe and his neighbourhood of London in Stave 4.

Parental Love Poetry

- How does 'Walking Away' show how painful, yet natural the son leaving home is?
- Examine how 'Follower' reveals how the son feels about his father
- Look at how 'Before you were Mine' show how the mother is presented before the daughter is born.
- How does the son feel in 'other any...' when he leaves home?
- Look at how the grandfather is presented in 'Climbing....'?
- Poems to revise: Walking Away, Mother Any Distance, Eden Rock, Climbing My Grandfather, Before You Were Mine and Follower.

English Language

- Look at physical or online newspapers and pick out audience, purpose and language features.
- Look at resources on MS teams.
- Go over your key language features.
- Try writing introductions for stories and descriptive questions.
- Complete practise papers from the AQA website.

Key Revision Strategies

- Space out your revision over weeks so you don't cram it all into the night before.
- Interleave your revision, which means for example do some Biology then some English.
- Chunk each subject to break it down by separate topics
- Give yourself regular breaks.

Blocking vs interleaving