

Year 13 English Language P2 Mock Checklist

Subject: A Level English Language		Paper 2: Language Diversity and Language Change	Duration Length of paper: 2 hours 30 minutes Q1 OR Q2: 45 mins Q3: 15 mins reading, 45 mins writing Q4: 45 mins
What to revise		How to revise it	
1	Language Change	AQA A Level English Language: Student Book (blue and black) Notes from lessons Mini mock assessments (assessment booklet) Practice essays (homework) Seneca Theorist booklet Subtopics: Lexis and semantics; grammar, syntax and morphology; orthography and graphology; phonology and GVS; prescriptivism vs descriptivism; reasons behind language change; World Englishes https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=biZiiTi3S2s https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9t4vdpTqZVM CORNELL NOTES	
2	Language and Gender	AQA A Level English Language: Student Book (blue and black) Notes from lessons Mini mock assessments (assessment booklet) Practice essays (homework) Subtopics: Ways of speaking, vocal fry, attitudes to and prejudice against gendered language, sexism. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nPmek4sQtms https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SxJ8VNY-Zik https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nL7hMHCuJz0 (from 1:20) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MAceGZiM-P8 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=46ehrFk-gLk CORNELL NOTES	
3	Language and Occupation	AQA A Level English Language: Student Book (blue and black) Notes from lessons Mini mock assessments (assessment booklet) Practice essays (homework) Seneca Theorist booklet Subtopics: Jargon and how occupation affects language https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pflbo_e9sJc CORNELL NOTES	
4	Language and Social Groups	AQA A Level English Language: Student Book (blue and black) Notes from lessons Mini mock assessments (assessment booklet) Practice essays (homework) Seneca Theorist booklet Subtopics: Age and Slang https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qoPfvB_bjBM	

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5	Language and Accent and Dialect	<p>AQA A Level English Language: Student Book (blue and black) Notes from lessons Mini mock assessments (assessment booklet) Practice essays (homework) Seneca Theorist booklet https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vb8MqkfhJMI CORNELL NOTES</p>
6	Q1 OR Q2 AND Q3 AND Q4 Writing styles	<p>Pp145-228 of Marcello Giovaleni - Black A level English Language revision guide (if you have it) Practice papers from mini mock booklets Class notes and DIRT feedback Mark schemes https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XVDLQJL9QIU (Analysis of a Language Change essay for Q1 or Q2) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SDuKhg7HW_o (How to answer Q1 or Q2 successfully)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Q1 OR Q2</u></p> <p>Evaluate the idea that... Gender: Men and women speak differently Occupation: Jargon is important in the workplace Social Class: Slang is beneficial for young people Accent and Dialect: everyone should speak in Standard English Language Change: the English Language is in a state of decay.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Q3</u></p> <p>Find two articles and compare the similarities and differences, analysing and evaluating their language.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Q4</u></p> <p>Gender: Write an opinion article on gendered language Occupation: Write an opinion article on power within a workplace Social Groups: Write an opinion article about social class Accent and Dialect: Write an opinion article about accents</p> <p>https://www.theguardian.com/uk/commentisfree Have a look for articles under the opinions tab on 'The Guardian' Online, plus the ones below: https://www.theguardian.com/lifeandstyle/2016/sep/06/appalachia-accent-speech-language-education https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2019/jul/18/berkeley-city-council-manhole-gendered-language</p>