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## Semester I, 2017 Year 10 English Outline

Engaged, Manners, Understanding, Strive

#### Overview

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Students create a range of imaginative, informative and persuasive types of texts including narratives, procedures, performances, reports, discussions, literary analyses, transformations of texts and reviews.

Source: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA)

# Year 10 English Achievement Standards \*

#### Receptive modes Productive modes Listening, Reading and Viewing Speaking, Writing and Creating Achievement Standard **Achievement Standard** By the end of Year 10, students: By the end of Year 10, students: Show how the selection of language features can achieve Evaluate how text structures can be used in innovative ways by different authors. precision and stylistic effect. Explain how the choice of language features, Explain different viewpoints, attitudes and perspectives images and vocabulary contributes to the through the development of cohesive and logical arguments. development of individual style. Develop and justify their own interpretations of Develop their own style by experimenting with language features, stylistic devices, text structures and images. texts. Evaluate other interpretations, analysing the Create a wide range of texts to articulate complex ideas. evidence used to support them. Make presentations and contribute actively to class and group Listen for ways features within texts can be discussions, building on others' ideas, solving problems, manipulated to achieve particular effects. justifying opinions and developing and expanding arguments. Demonstrate understanding of grammar, vary vocabulary choices for impact, and accurately use spelling and

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punctuation when creating and editing texts.

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### Year 9 English Achievement Standards Evidence •

### Receptive modes

### Listening, Reading and Viewing

#### **Achievement Standard**

#### By the end of Year 9, students:

Analyse the ways that text structures can be manipulated for effect.

Analyse and explain how images, vocabulary choices and language features distinguish the work of individual authors.

Evaluate and integrate ideas and information from texts to form their own interpretations.

Select evidence from the text to analyse and explain how language choices and conventions are used to influence an audience.

Listen for ways texts position an audience.

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#### Productive modes

### Speaking, Writing and Creating

#### Achievement Standard

#### By the end of Year 9, students:

Understand how to use a variety of language features to create different levels of meaning.

Understand how interpretations can vary by comparing their responses to texts to the responses of others.

In creating texts, students demonstrate how manipulating language features and images can create innovative texts

Create texts that respond to issues, interpreting and integrating ideas from other texts.

Make presentations and contribute actively to class and group discussions, comparing and evaluating responses to ideas and issues.

Edit for effect, selecting vocabulary and grammar that contribute to the precision and persuasiveness of texts and using accurate spelling and punctuation

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Reading, Viewing & Vocabulary – Term 1, 2017	Writing, Spelling & Creating – Term 1, 2017	Grammar & Punctuation - Term 1, 2017	
Week I, Term I	Week I, Term I: Common Assessment Task	Week 3, Term I (Valentine's Day Activity)	
ntroduction, classroom rules, routines, setting up	Paragraphing: "I remember" or "In the future"	Other countries, other times - poetry:	
of files & folders.		Extract -'The Highwayman' by Alfred Noyes	
	Argument Essay	Nouns; commas I	
Persuasive Posters	Week 2 – 4, Term I		
Week 3-4 Term I		Sentences	
	"Should parents let teenagers make their own decisions?"	Week 5-7, Term I	
Before you read: Activation of background	Understanding the Question	Renewable energy sources:	
knowledge & experience to make connections with	Adopt a position, For or Against	Simple & Compound sentences, brackets &	
the text.	Features	dashes	
Test your understanding: Rosie the Riveter &	Planning & organisation	Week 7-8 Term I	
Women	Structure	Aesop's Fables:	
	Introductory paragraph	Complex sentences; conjunctions; pronouns;	
Boost your reading skills: Reading visual texts	Body paragraphs (SEW- Statement, Evidence, Why?)	commas 5	
/isual literacy	Concluding paragraph		
Angle			
Body language & clothing	Language feature: Third person		
Gaze – "demand & offer" revision			
Work on words: Word associations and Clines	Spelling: Prefixes		
Spotlight on language: Modality in persuasive texts			
	You be the teacher (Proofreading & Editing)		
Assessment: Create a community service	Other students' writing (Samples & Annotations)	Assessment: Grammar & Punctuation	
poster.	Assessment: Write an argument essay.	Revision Test	

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Reading, Viewing & Vocabulary - Term 1, 2017	Writing, Spelling & Creating - Term 1, 2017	Grammar & Punctuation – Term 1, 2017  Words & Sentences	
Poems	Protest Poems		
Week 6-9, Term I	Week 6-9, Term I		
		Week 9-10, Term I	
Before you read: Activation of background	"Compose a poem that protests against bullying."	Revise – Other countries, other times – poetry:	
knowledge & experience to make connections		Extract -'The Highwayman' by Alfred Noyes	
with the text.	Understanding the Question		
	Imaginative text aimed to evoke an emotional response		
Test your understanding: 'My Literary Friend' by	Features		
Henry Lawson			
	Planning & organisation: Research & Voice		
Boost your reading skills:	Structure		
Reading poetry			
<ul> <li>Overall message &amp; purpose; Title;</li> </ul>	Language feature: Metre		
Point of View (POV)			
<ul> <li>Theme; Purpose; Sound, Word</li> </ul>	Spelling: Doubling the consonant before adding ing		
pictures			
	You be the teacher (Proofreading & Editing)		
Work on words: Formal & Informal register			
	Other students' writing (Samples & Annotations)		
Spotlight on language: Rhythm & rhyme			
	Assessment: Compose a protest poem about bullying.		
Assessment: Research another Henry			
Lawson poem.			
Week 10:	Week I0:	Week 10:	
Reading & Viewing Term   Exam Writing and Creating Term   Exam		Grammar & Punctuation Term I Exam	

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Reading, Viewing & Vocabulary – Term 2, 2017	Writing, Spelling & Creating - Term 2, 2017	Grammar & Punctuation - Term 2, 2017	
Week I, Term 2	***NAPLAN Year 9 - Week 3, Term 2	Words & Sentences	
Reintroduction, classroom rules, routines,			
setting up of files & folders.		Week I-2 Term 2	
		Chinese goldminers in Australia:	
Novel & Film Study	Novel & Film Study- The Outsiders by S.E. Hinton	Prepositions and prepositional phrases; direct	
Week I-5, Term 2	Week I-5, Term 2	speech	
The Outsiders by S.E. Hinton			
	Skill 1: Notemaking - summaries per chapter	Week 3-4, Term 2	
	Skill 2: Comparing and Contrasting	Social learning:	
Novel study with the focus on stereotypes and	Skill 3: Elements of a Narrative Outline Skill 4: Cause and Effect	Active & passive voice; possessive apostrophes	
conflict. This will include the creation of a	Skill 5: Figurative Language-Metaphors		
ļ·	Skill 6: Sequencing	Week 5-6, Term 2	
for content (in both receptive and productive	Skill 7: Idioms	Jane Eyre:	
imodes) the use of 2000 organisation bills	Skill 9: Character Development Skill 10: Plot Development	Pronouns; Commas 3	
suitable style and language.	Skill 10. Flot Development		
Pre-reading activities and information	Writer's Forum 1: Stereotyping		
about the author.	Writer's Forum 2: Family		
Vocabulary list divided by chapter. Also add	Writer's Forum 3: Writing About Yourself		
words to this list while reading.	Writer's Forum 4: Issues		
Read chapters (with audio recording if			
needed).	Portfolio reflection		
Commentaries: Students will present and			
comment on the chapter assigned to them.	Assessment: Comparison: Book vs. Film.		
Watch the film, <i>The Outsiders</i> .			

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Week 6-10, Term 2

Before you read: Reading biographical

information provides insight.

Test your understanding:

About the author Edgar Allan Poe

Extract from The Fall of the House of Usher.

Boost your reading skills: Understanding how

narratives begin

Making connections

Create visual pictures of setting &

characters

Readers' perceptions

Work on words: Gothic vocabulary

Spotlight on language: Creating suspense

Extend your skills: Epigraph & Theme

Week 5, Term 2:

Reading & Viewing Term 2 Exam

**Genre Short Stories** 

Week 6-10, Term 2

"Write a short horror story."

Understanding the Question

Imaginative text to entertain readers and engage their emotions, imagination and thoughts.

Narrative

Features

Planning & organisation

Horror conventions, settings, characters

Structure

Orientation

Complication

Conclusion

Language features:

Dialogue; Vocabulary; Onomatopoeia; Symbolism

Spelling: Turning nouns into adjectives

You be the teacher (Proofreading & Editing)

Other students' writing (Samples & Annotations)

Assessment: Write your own short horror story.

Week 6, Term 2:

Writing & Creating Term 2 Exam

Please note: Due dates and content may be subject to change.

Week 7-8, Term 2

Virginia Wolf:

Common sentence errors; full stop and comma errors

Week 7, Term 2:

**Grammar & Punctuation Term 2 Exam**