



Penyrheol Comprehensive School

Subject: English Literature Unit 2

Key Dates: Unit 2 exam on Thursday 23rd May.

Advice for Exams:

Remember that you **only** answer the questions on 'An Inspector Calls' and 'Heroes'. There will be other novels and plays in the question paper – **ignore them**.

Answer **ALL** questions based on the extracts from 'An Inspector Calls' and 'Heroes'. Choose **ONE** essay question for each.

Spend **20** minutes answering each extract question (about 1 side of A4 per extract). Spend **40** minutes answering each essay question (about 2-3 sides of A4 each). The essay responses are worth double the extract – based responses. This is important!

Suggested revision tools/strategies: Reread the play/novel; bullet point important aspects of each character/theme; revise by completing the revision workbooks that you have been given; complete all homework tasks – these are designed to help you revise. Seneca Learning website has revision resources for 'An Inspector Calls'

An Inspector Calls	GCSEPod Playlist Link:	Heroes	GCSEPod Playlist Link:
Important Quotations Act I	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62812	Chapters 1-5	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69037
Important Quotations Act II	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62814	Chapters 6-10	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69038
Important Quotations Act III	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62816	Chapters 11-17	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69039
Arthur Birling	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62797	Francis Cassavant	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69040
Sybil Birling	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62798	Nicole Renard	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69041
Sheila Birling	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62799	Larry LaSalle	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69042
Eric Birling	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62800	People of Frenchtown	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69043
Inspector Goole	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62802	Soldiers/War veterans	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69044
Gerald Croft	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62801	Setting	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69045
Social Class	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62832	Heroism	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69049
Morality	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62827	Deception/Secrets	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69050
Tone	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62817	Loneliness	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69051
Responsibility	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10265/62828	Structure	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11380/69047

There are other pods to view in addition to those listed above – try to view them all more than once. They are very short!!

Week beginning (Monday)		Suggested Topics to Revise:	✓
Feb 25 th 2019	February Half Term	Reread both texts. You can watch the BBC production of 'An Inspector Calls' on YouTube. Highlight/note important quotations as you come to them.	
March 4 th		Arthur Birling. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about Britain in 1912 through this character – create flashcard. Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the past paper booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions.	
March 11 th		Francis Cassavant. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about this character. What themes are important to this character? Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions. Create flashcard.	
March 18 th		Sybil Birling. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about Britain in 1912 through this character – create flashcard. Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the past paper booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions.	
March 25 th		Nicole Renard. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about this character. What themes are important to this character? Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions. Create flashcard. Retrieve information on Arthur Birling by creating a spidergram or mindmap of important points and quotations.	
April 1 st		Sheila Birling. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about Britain in 1912 through this character. Create flashcard. Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the past paper booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions. Retrieve information on Francis Cassavant by creating a spidergram or mindmap of important points and quotations.	
April 8 th		Larry LaSalle. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about this character. What themes are important to this character? Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions. Create flashcard. Retrieve information on Sybil Birling by creating a spidergram or mindmap of important points and quotations.	
April 15 th	Easter Holidays	Reread both texts. Watch the BBC production of the play. Watch the GCSE Pods based on the themes in the novel and play.	
April 22 nd		Prepare an essay on 'Appearance and Reality' (Heroes) and What we learn about life in 1912 through the characters of Eric Birling and Gerald Croft (An Inspector Calls)	
April 29 th		Inspector Goole. Write a bullet –pointed list of what we learn about Britain in 1912 through this character. Learn quotations. Look at extracts from the past paper booklet that focus on this character and practice answering the questions. Retrieve information on Larry LaSalle by creating a spidergram or mindmap of important points and quotations.	

May 6 th	<p>War veterans and people of Frenchtown. What do we learn about these characters? What do we learn about the war? Create a flashcard to help you remember. Retrieve information on Sheila Birling. Create a map of how she changes in the play.</p>	
May 13 th	Reread the novel and play. Using your flashcards, test yourself on each character and theme. Write important quotations on post-its and stick them around your home/bedroom so that you see them frequently. Practice responding to extract-based questions.	
May 20 th	Using the flashcards that you have made, try to recall your bullet points and recite relevant quotations. Exam on Thursday 23rd May.	