

5th October 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: GCSE Text Books and Revision Guides

As part of the English GCSE course students are required to study three set texts over the course of the two-year GCSE program.

In order to better prepare our students for their final examinations in Year 11, Corby Technical School are offering Year 10 students the opportunity to buy their set texts ('*An Inspector Calls*', '*A Christmas Carol*' or '*Jekyll and Hyde*', '*Romeo and Juliet*') at the below recommended retail price. This will allow students to study the text at home and will also enable them to annotate their copies during lessons and subsequently create a permanent revision resource.

The purchase of these texts is **NOT** compulsory and students who opt out will be provided with school copies of the text during lessons and during revision sessions prior to their exams – any annotations or notes they would be required to take will be noted in their exercise books.

The costs of the three books are defined below and purchase will be able to be made via WisePay. All books are being sold below R.R.P and at cost price.

'An Inspector Calls' - £8.29 – Required for Year 10 and 11. (All Students)

'Shakespeare's: Romeo and Juliet' - £4.89 – Required for Year 10 and 11 (All Students)- Students will be starting their study of Romeo and Juliet this term.

'The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde' - £3.49 – Required for Term 5 of Year 10 and 11 (10A1 and 10B1 only)

'A Christmas Carol' - £5.42 – Required for Term 5 of Year 10 and 11 (10AY, 10AZ, 10BY, 10BZ only).

There is no requirement to purchase all three books together as parents/carers can purchase these texts as and when required (i.e. a copy of '*Romeo and Juliet*' for this term).

If you would like to take advantage of this opportunity, please place an order and make payment via WisePay. Additionally, revision books are also available to buy from Wisepay and are priced at £4.43 each. The revision guides will provide students with summaries of key learning and activities to complete at home.

The following revision guides are also available to purchase:

GCSE AQA English language for the grade 9-1 course: The revision guide (all students)

An Inspector Calls: York Notes for GCSE (9-1) (all students)

New GCSE English Literature AQA Poetry Guide: Power & Conflict Anthology - For the Grade 9-1 Course (all students)

Romeo and Juliet: York Notes for GCSE (9-1) (all students)

A Christmas Carol: York Notes for GCSE (9-1) (10AP1, 10AP2, 10BP1, 10BP2 only)

Dr Jekyll & Mr Hyde by Robert Louis Stevenson : the text guide (10A1 and 10B1 only)

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Rice at erice@corbytechnicalschool.org.

Yours sincerely,



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