



2nd Year English – November Assessment Revision List



What to Study

Your November English Assessment will cover:

- An unseen poem
- Your studied poems from this year
 - Ex, “*Base Details*” by Siegfried Sassoon and “*An Irish Airman Foresees His Death*” by W. B. Yeats
- Your studied novel – “*The Outsiders*” by S. E. Hinton



Unseen Poetry Comprehension

You will be given a poem you have not studied before and asked questions to check your understanding.

You should revise how to:

- Identify the main theme or idea of a poem
- Recognise poetic techniques (e.g. simile, metaphor, imagery, tone, mood)
- Explain how the poet creates an effect or feeling
- Support your answers with evidence from the poem

How to prepare:

- Revisit your class notes on poetic techniques
- Practise reading short poems and writing short reflections using PEA (Point, Evidence, Analysis)
- Review sample comprehension questions done in class or on OneNote



Poetry Revision

You should revise:

- Poem content and meaning
- Key quotes from the poems
- Main themes
- Poetic techniques (and examples from each poem)

Where to find your notes (including quotes):

- Annotated copies of the poems in your copybook
- Notes and explanations on OneNote/Teams
- Classwork and homework exercises already completed
- TEAMS



Novel Revision – The Outsiders

You should revise:

- Character development (especially Ponyboy, Johnny, Dally, and Darry)
- Main themes
- The setting and how it affects the story
- Key moments from the novel so far
- Key quotes from the novel

Where to find your notes (including quotes):

- Annotations from your novel
- Chapter exercises on OneNote/Teams and in your copy

 General Revision Tips

- Review all class notes, annotations, and OneNote / TEAMS resources.
- Revisit class discussions and written answers for ideas and quotations.
- Use your PEA structure (Point, Evidence, Analysis) when practising answers.