

12^{fed} o Fedi, 2016

Annwyl Rieni/ Gwarcheidwaid,

TGAU Saesneg Iaith

Wrth i'ch plentyn ddechrau blwyddyn 11 yn ystod y cwrs TGAU Saesneg, hoffwn dynnu eich sylw at nifer o ddyddiadau pwysig.

Gweler yr amserlen arholiadau isod gan gynnwys dyddiadau asesiadau di-arholiad.

Uned Arholiad	Dyddiad
Uned 1 Asesiad Di-arholiad 2 x tasg Llafar (20%)	5-16 ^{eg} Rhagfyr
Uned 2: Darllen ac Ysgrifennu (Disgrifiadol, Creadigol, Esboniadol) 2 awr (40%)	6 ^{ed} Fehefin (bore)
Uned 3: Darllen ac Ysgrifennu (Dadlau, Dwyn Perswâd, Cyfarwyddiadau) 2 awr (40%)	12 ^{fed} Fehefin (bore)

Er mwyn cynorthwyo astudiaethau eich plentyn, mae cwmni Hodder wedi cyhoeddi llyfr er mwyn helpu eich plentyn i adolygu at yr unedau arholiad.

WJEC GCSE English Language (Hodder Education) ISBN: 9781471868290	£8
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Os dymunwch, gellir archebu'r llyfr drwy'r ysgol.

TGAU Saesneg Llenyddiaeth

O ran Llenyddiaeth, bydd y disgyblion yn sefyll Uned 1 (35% o'r cymhwyster cyfan) ym mis Ionawr ac yn cyflawni gweddill y cymhwyster yn yr haf.

Uned Arholiad	Dyddiad
Uned 1 Nofel gosod a barddoniaeth anhysbys 2 awr 35%	4 ^{ydd} Ionawr (bore)
Uned 2 Nofel a Drama 2 awr 40%	26 ^{ain} o Fai (bore)
Uned 3 Di-arholiad Traethawd barddoniaeth a Shakespeare	Rhaid cyflwyno cyn 5 ^{ed} Dachwedd

Uned 1

Er mwyn cyflawni'r Uned Llenyddiaeth, gofynnwn yn garedig i'ch plentyn fuddsoddi mewn copi o'r llyfr gosod canlynol.

'Of Mice and Men' John Steinbeck ISBN: 9780141023571	£5
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Uned 2

Bydd angen archebu **UN** o'r canlynol:

'A View from the Bridge' Arthur Miller ISBN: 9780141189963	£6.50
'Blood Brothers' Willy Russell ISBN: 9780413695109	£7
'An Inspector Calls' JB Priestley ISBN: 9780141185354	£6.50

Ac **UN** o'r isod:

'Heroes' Robert Cormier ISBN: 9780141302003	£5
'A Christmas Carol' Charles Dickens ISBN: 9781407143644	£4.50

Mae copïau ar gael o'r ysgol am y pris uchod neu gallwch archebu copi eich hunain. Os dymunwch archebu'r rhain o'r ysgol, a fyddai modd rhoi'r arian (neu siec yn daladwy i Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Bryn Tawe) mewn amlen a'i dychwelyd i'r ysgol cyn gynted ag y bo modd?

Awgrymaf yn gryf bod disgyblion yn archebu'r llyfrau yma cyn gynted ag sy'n bosibl. Er bod yna gost, mawr obeithiaf eich bod yn gweld gwerth buddsoddi yn yr adnoddau hanfodol yma i'ch plentyn. Rydym ni'n awyddus i gynorthwyo pob disgybl i gael copïau personol o'r testunau gosod.

Diolch i chi am eich cydweithrediad a phe bai cwestiwn, plis cysylltwch â minnau drwy rif ffôn yr ysgol neu e-bostio ShawC36@hwbcymru.net

Mr Chris Shaw (Pennaeth yr Adran Saesneg)



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12th September, 2016

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

GCSE English Language

As your child begins year 11 and reaches the conclusion of their GCSE English course, I would like to notify you of some key forthcoming dates.

Examination Unit	Date
Unit 1 Non-exam Assessment 2 x Speaking and Listening Tasks (20%)	5-16 th December
Unit 2: Reading and Writing (Description, Exposition and Narration) 2 hours (40%)	6 th June (am)
Unit 3: Reading and Writing (Argumentation, Instructional and Persuasion) 2 hours (40%)	12 th June (am)

In order to further support your child's progress, I should also point out that Hodder have produced a tailored revision guide for the WJEC specification.

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A copy of this guide can be purchased from the school for the price noted above.

GCSE English Literature

In terms of Literature, we intend to follow the department's long-standing procedure of entering pupils for the Unit 1 examination (in January) with pupils completing the qualification in year 11.

Examination Unit	Date
Unit 1 Prose and Unseen Poetry 2 hours (35%)	4 th January (am)
Unit 2 Prose and Drama 2 hours (40%)	26 th May (am)
Unit 3 Non-examination assessment Poetry and Shakespeare essays	Submit by 5 th November

Unit 1

In order to prepare effectively for this unit, we kindly ask pupils to purchase a copy of their set text noted below:

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Unit 2

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'An Inspector Calls' JB Priestley ISBN: 9780141185354	£6.50

And **ONE** text from the list below:

'Heroes' Robert Cormier ISBN: 9780141302003	£5
'A Christmas Carol' Charles Dickens ISBN: 9781407143644	£4.50

All set texts can be purchased direct from the school for the discounted prices noted above.

Should you wish to purchase the texts from school, could you please ask your child to bring in the money (cash or cheque payable to Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Bryn Tawe) in an envelope and return this as soon as possible?

We hope that, despite the cost, that you realise the importance of these resources in ensuring your child the best chance of success at GCSE English. We are eager to ensure that all of our pupils have access to a personal copy of their set literary texts.

Many thanks for your co-operation and should you wish to contact me, please do not hesitate to do so via the school's telephone number or by emailing ShawC36@hwbcymru.net

Mr Chris Shaw (Head of English)



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