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Dear Parents and Carers

With Year 10 exams fast approaching, I wanted to send a letter to clarify a few details for the English Language and Literature exam papers.

Students will be sitting the following exams:

- Edexcel English Language 2.0 Paper 2
- Edexcel English Literature Paper 2 (this will be split into two exams: A Christmas Carol and Anthology (Belonging) and Unseen poetry)

We recommend the following revision guides:

English Language

- [Pearson REVISE Edexcel GCSE English Language 2.0 Revision Guide and Workbook Incl. online revision - for 2026, 2027 exams: Amazon.co.uk: Cotter, Jane, Cribbin, Ben, Madgwick, Katy: 9781292427652: Books](#)

English Literature

- [A Christmas Carol: Edexcel GCSE 9-1 English Literature Text Guide: Ideal for the 2026 and 2027 exams \(Collins GCSE Grade 9-1 SNAP Revision\): Amazon.co.uk: Collins GCSE: 9780008353056: Books](#)

Students must use their English books (green for Language and orange for Literature) to help them to revise. I attach guidance on how your child can revise.

Please do not hesitate to contact your child's English teacher for further information.

Yours faithfully

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