

Queen Margaret College
Year 12 English Programme 2019
Level 7 of the New Zealand Curriculum

Standard Number	Achievement Standard Title	Credits	Internal / External	Proposed assessment date
AS91098, 2.1	Analyse specified aspect(s) of studied written text(s), supported by evidence.	4	External	Term 4, Week 1 School Examination
AS91099, 2.2	Analyse specified aspect(s) of studied visual text(s), supported by evidence.	4	External	Term 2, Week 7 School Examination
AS91100, 2.3 (Optional)	Analyse significant aspects of unfamiliar written texts through close reading supported by evidence.	4	External	Term 2, Week 1 School Examination
AS91101, 2.4	Produce a selection of crafted and controlled writing.	6	Internal	Friday, 23 August
AS91103, 2.6	Create a crafted and controlled visual and verbal text.	3	Internal	Term 3, Week 9
AS91104, 2.7	Analyse significant connections across texts, supported by evidence.	4	Internal	Friday, 29 March

Course details

This course continues to develop students' skills in the English language. Language is developed through the production of creative and formal language, and by study of literature and wide reading. Students improve their literary analysis skills by studying Shakespearean drama and a selection of other literary texts. A film is also studied in depth, with the application of appropriate film techniques and their effectiveness. The requirement for NCEA literacy is gained through successful completion of this course.

Course Information

- There are **six** achievement standards in this course. AS91100, 2.3, is optional. The **25** possible credits contribute towards your daughter's Level 2 National Certificate of Educational Achievement.
- The **three** internal achievement standards will be assessed at varying times the year. Drafting of pieces for the writing internally assessed standard will occur over Terms 1 and 2. An opportunity to refine their work before final submission will be provided early in Term 3. Drafting of pieces in response to the internally assessed significant connections standard will periodically occur throughout Term 1 with opportunity to refine pieces before final submission in week 9.
- The externally assessed achievement standards will be assessed in essay format in the NZQA 3 hour examination at the end of the year.

Homework expectations

Your daughter should be learning at home for a total of at least 15 hours per week, across all subjects.

To achieve at a high level in this subject, students are expected to complete some homework during the week. Homework might include:

- Completion of or extension of work done in class
- Reading and drafting of personal responses to connections
- Research
- Revision of material covered in class
- Written responses and essays