

Queen Margaret College
Year 13 English Programme 2019
Level 8 of the New Zealand Curriculum

Standard Number	Achievement Standard Title	Credits	Internal / External	Proposed assessment date
AS91472, 3.1	Respond critically to specified aspect(s) of studied written text(s).	4	External	Term 4, Week 1 School examinations, Term 3
AS91473, 3.2	Respond critically to specified aspect(s) of studied visual or oral text(s).	4	External	Term 3, Week 1 School examinations, Term 3
AS91475, 3.4	Produce a selection of fluent and coherent writing which develops, sustains and structures ideas.	6	Internal	27 September
AS91476, 3.5	Create and deliver a fluent and coherent oral text which develops, sustains and structures ideas.	3	Internal	27-31 May
AS91477, 3.6	Create a fluent and coherent visual text which develops, sustains, and structures ideas using verbal and visual language.	3	Internal	27-31 May

Course details

The course involves a literature study encompassing a range of genres; poetry, film and Shakespeare. It aims to foster deep appreciation of literature and provide a solid preparation for tertiary education. Students develop a portfolio of writing, present a seminar and develop and refine their skills in the critical evaluation of written and visual texts. The study of English contributes to many other subjects where competency is required in reading, writing, speaking and listening.

Course Information

- There are **four** achievement standards in this course.
- The **17** credits contribute towards your daughter's Level 3 National Certificate of Educational Achievement.
- The **two** internal achievement standards will be assessed at varying times in the year.
- The **two** external achievement standards will be assessed in essay format in a 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
- Research
- Revision of material covered in class
- Written responses and essays