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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 10 English Literature Shakespeare Set Text

After the Christmas break, we will be studying our set Shakespeare text in English. Your child will be studying **Macbeth**. It is important that students are able to make notes and annotate the text for their GCSE studies and later revision and so we ask that students purchase their own copies of the texts to keep. Any edition of the play is suitable and there is no expectation that all students have the same copy. Pre-used editions (for example those used by siblings in previous years) are also suitable.

Although not prescriptive, here are some links to editions on Amazon that you may find useful:

Wordsworth Classics edition (isbn 978-1853260353)

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Macbeth-Wordsworth-Classics-William-Shakespeare/dp/1853260355/ref=sr_1_1_sspa?crid=2G0LWIQMRCW95&keywords=macbeth&qid=1702632219&sprefix=macbeth%2Caps%2C125&sr=8-1-spons&sp_csd=d2lkZ2V0TmFtZT1zcF9hdGY&psc=1

CGP edition - complete play with annotations and notes (isbn 978-1841461205)

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Macbeth-Complete-Annotations-Knowledge-Organisers/dp/1841461202/ref=sr_1_6?crid=2G0LWIQMRCW95&keywords=macbeth&qid=1702632230&sprefix=macbeth%2Caps%2C125&sr=8-6

Collins Classroom edition (isbn 978-0008363604)

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Macbeth-Collins-Classroom-Classics-Shakespeare/dp/0008363609/ref=sr_1_11?crid=2 G0LWIQMRCW95&keywords=macbeth&gid=1702632230&sprefix=macbeth%2Caps%2C125&sr=8-11

Oxford School Shakespeare - complete play with notes and glossaries alongside the text

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Oxford-School-Shakespeare-Macbeth-William/dp/0198324006/ref=sr_1_3?crid=2G0LWIQMRCW95&keywords=macbeth&gid=1702632230&sprefix=macbeth%2Caps%2C125&sr=8-3

Families who are in receipt of Pupil Premium funding are able to request this text via their allocated funding. Please complete this short google form if this applies to you.

If you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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