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| **w/b** | **In-School Learning** | **Blended Learning** (GCSEPod and Oak National Academy) |  | **Approx. completion time** |
| 7/9 | Context  Castle of Otronto  Describe a silent and terrifying place | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82066>  Evaluating the methods of the writer  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82069>  Approaching the 19th century novel  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82071>  Understanding cultural context  MS Forms quiz | **Oak National**  **https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english**  **What Gothic Fiction Means**  **Gothic conventions** | ~ four hours |
| 14/9 | Stoker creates a frightening setting  Stoker creates a grotesque character  Describe a grotesque character | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82090>  Descriptive Writing: the basics  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82072>  Types of sentences and paragraphs  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82097>  Narrative writing: the basics  MS Forms quiz | **Oak National**  [**https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english**](https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english)  **Understand how the sublime applies to Dracula**  **Understand how to read for meaning and make clear inferences** | ~ four hours |
| 21/9 | Shelley’s repulsive creation  The protagonist’s shock  To describe a repulsive creation | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13412/80581>  The Monster  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13412/80588>  Themes: Science  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13412/80592>  The Gothic  MS Forms quiz | **Oak National https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-8/subjects/english**  Analysing language in Frankenstein | ~ four hours |
| 28/9 | Portrayal of macabre character in Jekkyl and Hyde  To describe a macabre character | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82085>  Narrative writing  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82098>  Story openings  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82102>  Descriptive writing  MS Forms quiz | **Oak National** [**https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english**](https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english)  Analysing language in Jekyll and Hyde part 1 and 2 | ~ four hours |
| 5/10 | Woman In Black  Describe an eerie experience | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82077>  Punctuation 1  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82082>  Punctuation 2  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13644/82100>  Punctuation 3  MS Forms quiz | **Oak National** [**https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english**](https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english)  **Grammar for writing: sentence construction**  **Grammar for writing: the colon** | ~ four hours |
| 12/10 | Dickens character  Great expectations  Describe a tragic character | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11410/70321>  Descriptive writing: more advanced techniques  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11410/70323>  Narrative writing: more advanced techniques  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/11410/79291>  Writing to present a viewpoint  **MS Forms quiz** | **Oak National** [**https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english**](https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english)  **Understand how writers create a tone of mystery and suspense**  **Develop understanding how writers create a tone of mystery and suspense** | ~ four hours |
| 19/10 | Du Maurier’s secluded setting  Personification of nature | **GCSEPod**  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10297/63205>  Words and spelling  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10297/63206>  Common errors pt 1  <https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10297/63207>  Common errors pt 2  MS Forms quiz | **Oak National**  <https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-year/year-9/subjects/english>  Grammar for writing: Using semi-colons to link main clauses  Grammar for writing: embedding skills | ~ four hours |