

14th September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Payment for Set Texts, English

As part of the 9-1 GCSE English curriculum for Literature, students are required to read and study two novels and one drama text. As you know, the demands of the GCSE curriculum are increasing and students cannot take their texts into the exams. Thus, it is a requirement that students have their own text so that they can begin to memorise quotations and revise key plot points.

Bearing this in mind, and to give students the best possible chance of success, we are asking that all GCSE students purchase their set texts through the school at a discounted rate or through other means.

Students will have an opportunity to take a school copy of the set text when the unit is taught in lesson. If they choose to take the book, we will be asking that a payment is made on Wisepay in a timely manner. If students prefer to purchase their set texts through another means, the text must have the same ISBN number as the texts we are studying in lesson. Students may also choose to use texts from their older siblings, but again, these must be the same text as their peers.

The cost of the Stanborough School set texts are:

Name of Unit	School Price	International Standard Book Number
Romeo and Juliet (CGP)	£2.85	ISBN : 1841461229
Jekyll and Hyde (Scholastic Classics)	£3.99	ISBN : 1407164260
An Inspector Calls (Penguin modern classics)	£6.99	ISBN: 014118535X

For current Year 10, a payment for Romeo and Juliet will be due by Friday October 7th. We will ask for payment of the other set texts when they are handed to you in lesson in 2023.

For current Year 11, all texts taken should be paid for no later than Friday November 25th.

If you require support with this payment, or have any other questions, please do not hesitate to email kmclean@stanborough.herts.sch.uk

Yours faithfully

Miss McLean
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