



10th January 2024

Re: Payment for Set Texts - English

Dear Parents/Carers,

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 Year 10 students purchase their set texts through the school at a discounted rate or through other means.

All three will be given to students during Year 10 so we ask that you pay for all three at once. You should pay through Arbor via the school portal in a timely manner. The costs of the set texts are listed below. The final deadline for payment will be **Friday 9th February 2024**.

Name of Unit	School Price	International Standard Book Number
Romeo and Juliet (CGP)	£3.15	ISBN : 1841461229
Jekyll and Hyde (Scholastic Classics)	£2.50	ISBN : 1407164260
An Inspector Calls (Penguin modern classics)	£6.99	ISBN: 014118535X
Total	£12.64	

If students prefer to purchase their own copy of the set texts through another means, the text **must** have the same ISBN number as the texts we are studying in our lessons. Students may also choose to use texts from their older siblings, but again, these must be the same text as their peers.

If you require support with this payment, or have any other questions, please do not hesitate to email me at poconnorstanborough.herts.sch.uk

Yours faithfully,

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