

# 2021/22 Entrance Exam Group Lessons



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Thank you for downloading this information pack!

Please note that I open enrolment a couple of weeks prior to the next halfterm starting.

The dates below therefore, <u>may</u> change.



# The Highlights

Each lessons starts with a vocabulary booster or verbal reasoning task.

Day & Time Every Tuesday 5.45-6.30PM
Duration 45 minutes with extra time for questions or to finish the task
Class Size 10 students (maximum)
What if I miss a class? Lessons are recorded for replay.
Cost Enrolment is paid for in half-term blocks.
£15 per lesson, per student for no homework
£25 per lesson, per student for homework and recorded video feedback

Enrolment for each half term opens approximately 2 weeks before the start date.



# Pencilled In 2021/22 Dates & Curriculum

### Half-Term 1

#### 6 weeks 7<sup>th</sup> September - 12<sup>th</sup> October 2021

- Week 1 SPAG Booster: Zooming In On Verbs
- Week 2 Creative Writing: Matching Tone & Style Based On Passage
- Week 3 Poetry Comprehension
- Week 4 Creative Writing: Using Writer's Methods & Linguistic Devices
- Week 5 Writing A Newspaper Article
- Week 6 Exam Skills: Cloze (easy, medium and hard)

#### Half-Term 2

#### 6 weeks 2<sup>nd</sup> November - 7<sup>th</sup> December 2021

- Week 1 Writing To Recount
- Week 2 Advanced Comprehension Skills
- Week 3 Grammar Booster: Nouns, Adjectives, Verbs, Adverbs and more
- Week 4 Creative Writing: Descriptive Writing Techniques
- Week 5 Vocabulary Booster: Synonyms, Antonyms and Cloze
- Week 6 Exam Skills: Time Management With Comprehension

#### Half-Term 3

#### 5 weeks 11<sup>th</sup> January - 8<sup>th</sup> February 2022

- Week 1 Transactional Writing: Making Impact With Persuasion
- Week 2 Creative Writing: From A Character's Perspective
- Week 3 Poetry Comprehension & Effect Of Devices
- Week 4 SPAG Booster: Varying Punctuation
- Week 5 Exam Skills: Upgrading Writing With Vocabulary



## Half-Term 4

6 weeks 22<sup>nd</sup> February - 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022

- Week 1 Comprehension Booster: Understanding Tough Passages
- Week 2 Responding To Texts: Inference and Analysis
- Week 3 Vocabulary Booster: Tackling Tough Words
- Week 4 Poetry Comprehension
- Week 5 Experiential Writing (in First Person)
- Week 6 Exam Skills: Creating Tension In Creative Writing

# Half-Term 5

#### 6 weeks

19<sup>th</sup> April - 24<sup>th</sup> May 2022

- Week 1 SPAG Booster: Different Sentence Types & Conjunctions
- Week 2 Transactional Writing: Factual-Style Writing
- Week 3 Harder Comprehension Exercises & Techniques
- Week 4 Creative Writing: Writing A Structured Story
- Week 5 Vocabulary Booster: Comprehension & Writing
- Week 6 Exam Skills: Writing A Story In Timed Conditions

## Half-Term 6

- 6 weeks 7<sup>th</sup> June 12<sup>th</sup> July 2022
- Week 1 Transactional Writing: Expressing A Balanced Argument
- Week 2 MSQ and Open-Ended Comprehension
- Week 3 Creative Writing: Matching Tone and Style
- Week 4 Comprehension: Passages In Old English
- Week 5 Writing Book Reviews
- Week 6 Exam Skills: Comprehension In Timed Conditions