



# KING JAMES'S SCHOOL

KNARESBOROUGH

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Dear Parent/Carer

## **YEAR 10 GCSE ENGLISH LITERATURE**

In preparation for GCSE English Literature, we recommend that students purchase their own copy of the following texts:

1. Lord of the Flies by William Golding
2. Macbeth by William Shakespeare
3. Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde by R. L. Stevenson **OR** A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens (check with their teacher)

Any version is acceptable but those aimed at students may be the most useful.

We encourage students to buy their own copy of the text, if possible, so they can highlight, make notes and annotate within it. Many shops and websites offer copies of these classics for very little. However, if you would rather use a school copy, students will need to see me to sign it out and they will be responsible for returning it in good condition at the end of their course. They will not be able to make their own annotations in these and you would be liable for the cost of a replacement should their copies not be returned to us.

Yours faithfully

**Mrs Julia Sharp**  
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