

English Year 9 Skills and Knowledge Checklists

Name:	Class:	Core / Extended	Date				
	MEG:						
Writing							
My sentence demarcation is mostly secure and mostly accurate	C						
I can use a range of punctuation, mostly with success	C						
I can use a variety of sentence forms for effect	C						
I mostly use Standard English appropriately with mostly controlled grammatical structures	C						
My spelling is generally accurate, including complex and irregular words	C						
I demonstrate an increasingly sophisticated use of vocabulary	C						
My communication is consistently clear and effective	C						
My tone, style and register is matched to purpose, form and audience	C						
I have an increasingly sophisticated vocabulary and phrasing, chosen for effect with a range of appropriate linguistic devices	C						
My writing is engaging using a range of detailed connected ideas	C						
I can use coherent paragraphs with integrated discourse markers	C						
I make effective use of structural features	C						
My sentence demarcation is consistently secure and consistently accurate	E						
I can use a wide range of punctuation with a high level of accuracy	E						
I can use a full range of appropriate sentence forms for effect	E						
I can use Standard English consistently and appropriately with secure control of complex grammatical structures	E						
I have a high level of accuracy in spelling, including ambitious vocabulary	E						
I make extensive and ambitious use of vocabulary	E						
My communication is convincing	E						
My tone, style and register consistently match purpose, form and audience;	E						
I use an extensive vocabulary with evidence of conscious crafting of linguistic devices	E						
I can demonstrate structured and developed writing with a range of engaging complex ideas	E						
I can demonstrate consistently coherent use of paragraphs with integrated discourse markers	E						

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I use varied and effective structural features		E					
Reading							
I show a clear understanding		C					
I am beginning to interpret both texts		C					
I can demonstrate clear connections between texts		C					
I can select relevant quotations/references from both texts to support response		C					
I show clear understanding of language/structure		C					
I can clearly explain the effects of the writer's choices of language/structure		C					
I can select relevant quotations		C					
I use subject terminology accurately		C					
I show a clear understanding of differences between the ideas and perspectives		C					
I can compare ideas and perspectives in a clear and relevant way		C					
I can clearly explain how methods are used to convey ideas and perspectives		C					
I can select relevant quotations to support from both texts		C					
My critical evaluation is clear and relevant		C					
I can clearly evaluate the text		C					
I offer examples from the text to explain views clearly		C					
I can clearly explain the effect of writer's choices		C					
I select some relevant quotations to support views		C					
I show a detailed understanding		E					
I offer perceptive interpretation of both texts		E					
I can synthesise evidence between texts		E					
I can select a range of judicious quotations from both texts		E					

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I show detailed and perceptive understanding of language/structure	E						
I can analyse the effects of the writer's choices of language/structure	E						
I select a range of judicious quotations	E						
I use a range of subject terminology appropriately	E						
I show a detailed understanding of the differences between the ideas and perspectives	E						
I can compare ideas and perspectives in a perceptive way	E						
I can analyse how methods are used to convey ideas and perspectives	E						
I select a range of judicious quotations from both texts	E						
My critical evaluation will be perceptive and detailed	E						
I can critically evaluate the text in a detailed way	E						
I offer examples from the text to explain views convincingly	E						
I can analyse effects of a range of writer's choices	E						
I can select a range of relevant quotations to validate views	E						