**Continuing your GCSE English**

**Welcome to the ASFC English Department!**

**We have a proven record of GCSE success and the college is, without doubt, the best place in the area for you to be continuing your studies of English Language.**

**So what’s ahead?**

**SEP- OCT: EARLY EXAM PHASE**

* Assessment/discussion to decide on November Exam entries (note: exam dates this year are subject to change due to the fluctuating circumstances of the coronavirus pandemic).
* November ‘20 Exam (if taking place) will be an early opportunity to sit the English Language exams (we use Edexcel exam board).
* Approximately 6 weeks of revision and preparation prior to the exams will be focused on the exam paper format and areas for individual improvement.

**NOV- DEC: TRANSITION PHASE**

* **Exams: week commencing 2/11** (subject to change)
* Awaiting results of November exam
* Review of attendance requirements
* Learning time utilised for students requiring additional support

**JAN- JUNE: RESULTS/ NEW ENTRY PHASE**

* Exam results early January (subject to change)… End of course for those passed!
* New June exam entry for remaining students



Tips:

* Don’t throw away your school books! Use them to revise the skills required
* Revise your *English Language* work (not English Literature!).
* Keep your Reading and Writing skills fresh via the resources on the BBC GCSE Bitesize website (Edexcel resources).
* Access the Edexcel exam board website for past papers etc.
* Keep reading! For example, read online articles about interesting people and places or perhaps short stories.



Finally, contact us if you have any further queries on 0161 330 2330 x 256 or email Karen on [kjp@asfc.ac.uk](mailto:kjp@asfc.ac.uk)

See you soon!