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|  | **Course Work** | **Analysis and Evaluation** | **Creation and Production** | **Assessment** |
| Pre-summer | Introduce BIG text – Prose or Drama. *Lord of the Flies, A View From the Bridge…* | Reading for U, A & E Language- addressing question types. | Discursive:   1. Plan/Outline –w/b 18th June Deadline. As per guidance sheet 2. 1st draft deadline: 4th July | 1. **Portfolio guidance sheet** – ensure steps completed. 2. **Reading** w/b 11th June |
| Term 1  August 2st-  October 12th | BIG text: develop notes, identify theme, character, setting etc.  Reading for U, A & E: aspects of answering. | Introduce Scottish text.  Reading for U, A & E Language | Final draft Discursive essay:   1. (pupils must submit their outline/plan and first draft as well – w/b 24th September   Performance: Spoken Language  Introduce | 1. **Scottish Set Text** Assessment – week beginning 1st October. 2. **Reading** –w/b 10th September - 3. **Critical Essay 1**: w/b 1st October 4. **Performance: Spoken Language Assessment** w/b 7th October |
| Term 2  October 29th – December 21st | Complete Scottish Text. | Reading - continue to develop skills.  Scottish Text: develop exam based skills. Focus on final 8 mark question. | Creative essay :   1. Plan/Outline– w/b 5th November 2. 1st Draft Creative Essay – w/b 19th November 3. Final Draft Creative Essay (pupils must submit their outline/plan and first draft as well) – w/b 17th December | 1. **Reading Assessment Week** – beginning 26th November. 2. **Timed Critical Essay No.2** – week beginning 5th November 3. **Scottish Set Text Assessment** – week beginning 3rd December. |
| Term 3  January 7th – March 29th | 2nd text choice: optional  Pupils confirmed as National 4 should complete outstanding unit – Listening. | Scottish Set Text – continue Scottish Set Text exam preparation.  National 4 AVU – begin choosing topics and texts when 2nd text complete | FINAL FOLIO DEADLINE – BOTH PIECES: January 21st submitted to the teacher on the SQA Template. | 1. **Timed Critical Essay** – week beginning 7th January 2. **Reading Assessment** – week beginning 14th January. |
| Term 4 to study leave |  | Exam Preparation | Exam Preparation | National 4 AVU deadline w/b 20th April |