



GEORGES RIVER COLLEGE PEAKHURST CAMPUS
English Faculty
Poetry Examination Notification 2021

Year: 9	Subject: English
Date due: Term 3, Week 9A Thursday, 9th September 2021, Period 2 (9:55am start – 10:40am finish) During P2 online English lesson in your Google Classroom (9B Talevski, 9I Zouroudis, 9G Rossenrode, 9P Osmond, 9V Eleos) During P2 online HSIE lesson, but in your English Google Classroom (9O Campbell, 9Y Osmond, 9R Sanunu)	Time allowed: Online task 45 minutes allowed
Weighting: 25%	Task Number: 3
Topic: Poetry Examination	
Syllabus Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• EN5-1A- A student responds to and composes increasingly sophisticated and sustained texts for understanding, interpretation, critical analysis, imaginative expression and pleasure.• EN5-3B- A student uses and describes language forms, features and structures of texts appropriate to a range of purposes, audiences and contexts.• EN5-5C- A student thinks imaginatively, creatively, interpretively and critically about information, ideas and arguments to respond to and compose texts.	

TERM 3, 2021 - YEAR 9 POETRY EXAMINATION

The Year 9 English Poetry Examination will be held online in **Week 9 on Thursday Period 2** for all classes, including those who do not have English scheduled in the period.

In this exam, you will be required to carefully consider a variety of previously studied poetry and/or song lyrics from the Year 9 Poetry Booklet to answer multiple choice and short response questions. There will also be an unseen component, meaning a poem that you have not studied in class.

You will be required to:

- Analyse poetry.
- Identify and discuss poetic devices, including similes, metaphors, personification, onomatopoeia, repetition, alliteration, assonance, hyperbole, rhyme and rhythm.
- Demonstrate an understanding of tone, mood and meaning in a range of poems.
- Demonstrate literal and figurative understanding of poetry.
- Identify the relevant themes and the poet's purpose.

Important Note:

This exam will take place online through a Google Form quiz. You have the one allocated period to complete and submit your answers.

In extenuating circumstances, if you are absent from the exam, a medical certificate must be provided to Mr Zouroudis. All technological failures require documented evidence and must be reported immediately to the Head Teacher. **Failure to do so will result in a zero mark being awarded.**