

English in the Senior Phase

How to study effectively

- Revise course notes regularly.
- Read key texts at home and highlight key quotations/create mind-maps.
- Re-draft/attempt past paper Critical Essays.
- Practise RUAЕ papers at home.
- Challenge yourself to work under timed conditions when completing past papers.
- Re-draft Folio Essays. View writing as a process.
- Read a wide variety of challenging literature (both fiction and non-fiction).
- Read articles in a quality newspaper (crucial for developing RUAЕ skills and developing vocabulary). Many online resources can be easily accessed e.g. Opinion sections of quality newspapers.
- Use technology effectively to meet deadlines and revise class work. Make use of Edmodo, Twitter and the English Department section on the school website.
- Attend the focused Supported Study sessions available within the department.
- Create a study timetable and stick to it!

