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SWCHS SIXTH FORM SUMMER WORK

English Literature

TASK

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If you have any queries regarding this work please email pwilson@swchs.net

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Read the texts as specified below.

How will this work be used in lessons?

You will study all of these texts in Year 12.

How long will this task take?

Approx 8-10 hours.

Additional information/resources to help you complete this task

We strongly recommend each student purchases their own copies of the texts they will study so that they can make notes throughout the course. It is essential that each student has the correct edition of the examination texts - the versions we would recommend you to purchase are listed below. We have included the ISBN number and pictures of the front cover to show you which text will be used to enable you to get the same edition. All books are easily available from Amazon and many other retailers.

Please note that students **must** have read the following texts before they commence the course in September. However, as reading an entire Shakespeare play for the first time can be tricky, watching a version of 'Hamlet' would suffice so that students are familiar with the plot. There is a version starring David Tennant on BBC iPlayer and many other adaptations on Youtube - all are freely available.

SWCHS is committed to ensuring that all students have the materials and resources which they need to succeed. If you believe your child will be eligible for financial support from September, then please liaise with the Sixth Form who can give more information on applying for a Bursary.

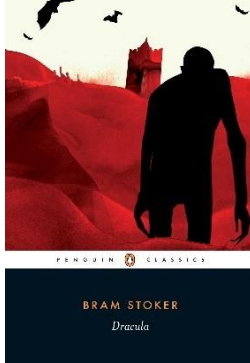
If there is a concern around being able to purchase the texts and therefore reading them before September, please do contact the English Department and we will be happy to help. Please note that *Hamlet*, *The Bloody Chamber* and *Dracula* texts are available on-line. A copy of this letter will also be uploaded to SWCHS Website for reference.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

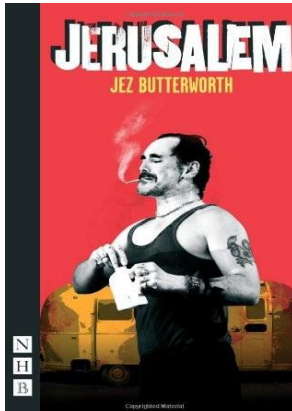
Yours sincerely,

Mr P Wilson
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Bram Stoker's 'Dracula' Penguin : ISBN: 978-0141-439846 RRP £8.99



Jez Butterworth's 'Jerusalem' : ISBN: 978-1848420502 RRP £10.99



Shakespeare's Hamlet : ISBN: 978-1-107-61548-9 RRP £8.95



Angela Carter 'The Bloody Chamber' : ISBN: 978-009958811 RRP £9.99

