

# Edexcel GCSE English Language – Revision Checklist

## Paper 1: Fiction and Imaginative Writing

■	Understand and analyse language and structure in fiction extracts	Notes
■	Identify writer's methods and their effects	Notes
■	Explore themes, tone, and viewpoint	Notes
■	Practice answering Q1: Retrieval (4 marks)	Notes
■	Practice answering Q2: Language analysis (8 marks)	Notes
■	Practice answering Q3: Structure analysis (8 marks)	Notes
■	Practice answering Q4: Evaluation (20 marks)	Notes
■	Creative writing: narrative or descriptive	Notes
■	Plan effectively (structure, viewpoint, tone)	Notes
■	Use varied sentence structures and ambitious vocabulary	Notes
■	Check SPaG (Spelling, Punctuation, Grammar)	Notes

## Paper 2: Non-Fiction and Transactional Writing

■	Compare viewpoints and perspectives across two texts	Notes
■	Analyse language and structure in non-fiction	Notes
■	Practice answering Q1: Retrieval (4 marks)	Notes
■	Practice answering Q2: Summary/comparison (8 marks)	Notes
■	Practice answering Q3: Language analysis (12 marks)	Notes
■	Practice answering Q4: Comparison of viewpoints (16 marks)	Notes
■	Transactional writing: letters, articles, speeches, reports	Notes
■	Adapt tone, style, and register for audience and purpose	Notes
■	Organise ideas logically with clear paragraphs	Notes
■	Use persuasive and rhetorical devices effectively	Notes

## Core Skills

■	SPaG: spelling, punctuation, grammar accuracy	Notes
■	Vocabulary: ambitious and precise word choices	Notes
■	Sentence Variety: simple, compound, complex structures	Notes
■	Planning & Proofreading: allocate time for both	Notes
■	Timing Practice: stick to recommended timings per question	Notes

