

Greater Shepparton Secondary College - Year 7 to 10 English Tasks 2021

Reading and Viewing	Writing	Speaking & Listening
<p>Read a chapter of a fiction text and complete the following:</p> <p>What are the main ideas of the text?</p> <p>Can you make a connection to self/texts/world or Visualisation whilst reading?</p> <p>Where did you visualise whilst reading?</p>	<p>Develop your writing stamina.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Write on topics of your choice continuously for 50 minutes. 2. Edit and refine to improve your piece 3. Count how many words you wrote in 50 minutes. <p>Repeat this daily</p>	<p>Listen to a speech/news report or audio blog clip of your choice. Evaluate the delivery techniques. What does the speaker do to connect to the audience? Write out a script for that speech. Practice your own delivery of the speech. How would you change it to further enhance the piece?</p>
<p>Read your illuminate book minimum 20 minutes per day.</p>	<p>Create a Newspaper article on a topic of your choice. Work to inform the audience of the key facts.</p>	<p>Create a speech about a topic of your choice. 3 minutes long. Deliver it to an audience and seek feedback on ways your speech could be improved. Refine it.</p>
<p>Practice reading your text aloud to yourself or others. Can you improve your tone when reading?</p>	<p>Find a word in the dictionary that you are unfamiliar with. Write down the definition. Try to incorporate into a narrative story.</p>	<p>Learn a song. Write a reflection about the meaning of the song.</p>
<p>Watch a tv show of your choice and complete the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Summarise the plot 2. Describe a key character 3. Create a new character and explain how they would fit into the storyline 	<p>Take a song that you love and look up their lyrics.</p> <p>Change the lyrics to create a new version of the song.</p>	<p>Find a picture on the internet. Create a speech that describes it's physical features and purpose.</p> <p>Record it and send to your teacher.</p>
<p>Create a new front and back cover for the text you are reading. Write an explanation on the other side explaining the decisions you made in changing the images, words and blurb.</p>	<p>Create an advertisement selling your favourite game or toy. Be sure to include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The positives of the item 2. An explanation as to why it is a good 3. Great language to persuade people to buy your item. 	<p>Using songs, watching TV Shows or listening to a podcast will help build your listening and speaking skills. Whilst listening to a piece of your choice write down a minimum of 10 words. Find the definitions of these words and then attempt to write a piece including these new words.</p>
<p>Watch a movie of your choice and complete the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the key message of the movie? 2. What occurred at the beginning, middle and end of the movie? 3. Write an alternative end to the movie. 	<p>Create a crossword or Find a word puzzle on a topic of your choice. Eg. An animal, a text, a tv show, an issue, a career etc.</p>	<p>Write a song or poem of your choice. Record you presenting it in both your voice and a characters voice of your choice.</p>

