

# English Language

English Language is a popular A level appealing to students because it examines texts in the real world such as adverts, newspaper articles and social media platforms.

### YOU WILL STUDY

- How & why language is used in specific ways (audience, purpose & attitudes)
- Learn and understand new terminology to help you write analytically and concisely
- Language of speech: a wide range of transcripts from TV & radio, comedy and real life talk
- Language Change: covering texts written over time (letters, diaries, adverts, speeches & articles)
- English in the twenty first century: examining attitudes to new technology e.g. texts, Twitter & Facebook
- Language Investigation: coursework investigation on Gender or Culture. You have the freedom to choose your own data.

### **PROGRESSION**

English subjects are challenging, but are an excellent preparation both for university and your future career.

**Imagine** what you can become

Journalist → Teacher → Manager Sales Director → Administrator Information Manager → Publisher Public Servant

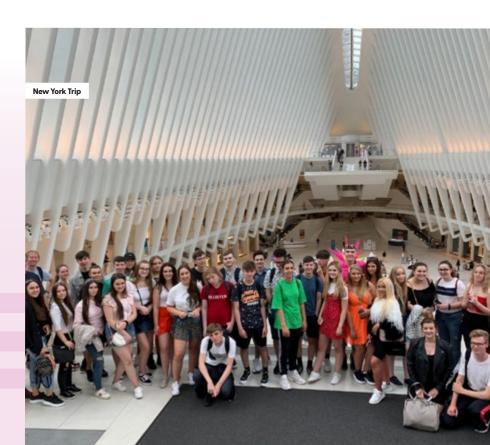
### **ASSESSMENTS**

- Three exams at the end of the second year (80%)
- · One piece of Coursework (20%)

## **SUPPORTING YOU**

The English Department takes pride in the level of support we give to our students:

- regular individual interviews with your own specific tutor
- staff support enables you to achieve the best grades possible
- you can ask for help from any tutor
- · revision classes





Titanic Museum, Belfast

RESULTS

A\*-B54% / A\*-C84% / Overall 100%

(3 year average 2019, 2022, 2023)

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# My Experience

"Studying English Language at Carmel has allowed me to gain invaluable skills such as critically analysing information and communicating effectively.

I particularly enjoy the creative writing element of the subject, as we are challenged to write a wide-range of genres that we've not tried before e.g. script writing, monologues and blogs."



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