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<b>Yr12</b> (KS5)	Topic Area	Knowledge/Skills that are taught	Knowledg e/Skills revisited	What does good look like?	Resources/s upport at home
	The World of the Hero	<ul> <li>Homer's Odyssey</li> <li>Literary techniques and composition <ul> <li>structure and plot of the epic</li> <li>language of the epic including narrative and descriptive techniques and their effects; such as speeches, formulae, flashback, and similes</li> <li>literary context in which the Odyssey was created and handed down including: <ul> <li>oral tradition and context</li> <li>transmission of the text</li> <li>whether it was the work of one or more poets</li> </ul> </li> <li>The heroic world: characterisation and themes <ul> <li>concept, values and behaviour of a hero, including the ideas of timē (honour) and kleos (reputation)</li> <li>how the different societies depicted in the Odyssey are characterised and portrayed</li> <li>characterisation of major and minor characters • nostos (homecoming)</li> <li>disguise</li> <li>recognition</li> <li>fantasy and the supernatural</li> </ul> </li> <li>The social, cultural and religious context</li> </ul></li></ul>	Interpretive and analytic skills developed from GCSE (particularly History, English)	<ul> <li>When studying literature learners will be required to show knowledge and understanding of:</li> <li>ways in which writers shape meanings in classical texts</li> <li>ways in which classical texts might be interpreted by different readers or audiences both in an ancient and modern context</li> <li>ways in which classical texts relate to the historical, social, political, religious and cultural contexts in which they are written and received</li> <li>ways in which classical texts relate to literary traditions and genres of the classical world.</li> <li>When studying literature learners should be able to:</li> <li>respond critically to texts and consider how the attitudes and values of the classical world or author are expressed</li> <li>apply their knowledge of cultural contexts to support, substantiate and inform evidence-based judgements about the</li> </ul>	Ensure students are accessing the required reading Discuss issues Ensure students are aware of where to find support materials - Google Classroom, & OCR website
				classical texts	

<b>Yr13</b> (KS5)	Topic Area	Knowledge/Skills that are taught	Knowledg e/Skills	What does good look like?	Resources/s upport at
		<ul> <li>part played by women in the epic and their position in society</li> <li>role of slaves</li> </ul>		possibility of different responses to a text from different audiences, from the classical period, up until the modern day	
		<ul> <li>family</li> <li>relationships between men and women, parents and children</li> </ul>		difference between what a text might say and what can be inferred from this • critically explore and explain the	
		<ul> <li>role of the immortals</li> <li>relationship between immortals and mortals</li> <li>justice and revenge</li> <li>hospitality and guest friendship (xenia)</li> </ul>		understanding of the social, historical and cultural context of the classical world, with recognition, where appropriate, of the complex issues of reliability and the	
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Imperial	Divi filius	Interpretive	When studying literature learners will	Ensure
Image	• the benefits for Augustus of associating himself with Julius	and analytic	be required to show knowledge and	students are
(H408/22)	Caesar, including:	skills	understanding of:	accessing th
	<ul> <li>popularity with the plebeian class and the army</li> </ul>	developed		required
	military strength	from yr13.	• ways in which writers shape meanings in	reading
	<ul> <li>the illustrious men and gods that are ancestors of the</li> </ul>		classical texts	
	Julian clan	Synoptic	<ul> <li>ways in which classical texts might be</li> </ul>	Discuss issue
	<ul> <li>how he sought to achieve this association</li> </ul>	links and	interpreted by different readers or	
	• the possible dangers of association with Julius Caesar and	comparativ	audiences both in an ancient and modern	Ensure
	how Augustus sought to distance himself from the	e skills	context	students are
	problematic aspects of Julius Caesar's public image	developed	• ways in which classical texts relate to the	aware of
			historical, social, political, religious	where to fin
	Imperator	Focus or	and cultural contexts in which they are	support
	• the presentation of Augustus as a capable military	'reception'	written and received	materials -
	commander whose wars were glorious and impressive		• ways in which classical texts relate to	Google
	• the reality of the military victories, including the		literary traditions and genres of the	Classroom,
	involvement of Agrippa		classical world.	OCR website
	• the portrayal and justification of civil wars			
	• the significance of the triumph in Roman society and of		When studying literature learners should be able to:	
	<ul> <li>Augustus' own triple triumph</li> <li>the presentation of campaigns at the edges of the Empire</li> </ul>		should be able to.	
	as beneficial to Rome, and to individual Romans		• respond critically to texts and consider	
			how the attitudes and values of the classical	
	'Augustus'		world or author are expressed	
	the idea of Augustus as Rome's religious leader and		• apply their knowledge of cultural contexts	
	representations of this role		to support, substantiate and inform	
	• Augustus' role in restoring religious observances that had		evidence-based judgements about the	
	fallen out of practice		classical texts	
	• the restoration and building of temples and altars		<ul> <li>use classical texts to demonstrate an</li> </ul>	
	• the positions Augustus held in Roman civic religion and		understanding of the social, historical and	
	changes to religious practice in his reign, including:		cultural context of the classical world, with	
	• the worship of the Lares		recognition, where appropriate, of the	
	• the worship of Augustus' family genius		complex issues of reliability and the	

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• representations of Augustus as personally close to the gods, including his relationship with Apollo, and the notion that he was semi-divine himself

# **Culture hero**

- Myths of the Saturnian Golden Age and Augustus as a new Saturn or a saviour
- Augustus' improvements to the city of Rome and the quality of life of Roman

citizens, including the building programme

• the significance of the Secular Games

• the use of the iconography and language of peace and plenty

# Pater Patriae

• the significance of the title Pater Patriae and Augustus' presentation as a father to the Roman state

• the encouragement of morality and "proper" behaviour regarding marriage, adultery, childbearing, religion and luxury

• Augustus as a role model for proper Roman male behaviour, including:

modest living

• personal qualities of virtus (valour, manliness, excellence and courage);

clementia (mercy, clemency); pietas (duty to the gods, state, and family); iustitia (justice, fairness, equity)

• the intended role of the imperial family as role models

# Later representations

• The effectiveness of Augustus' self-presentation in creating an imperial image that lasted beyond his lifetime through an examination of later sources, including:

difference between what a text might say and what can be inferred from this critically explore and explain the possibility of different responses to a text from different audiences, from the classical period, up until the modern day. When studying visual/material culture learners will be required to show knowledge and understanding of: •the appearance, style, content and original location (as applicable) of the sources •what the sources can tell us about the classical world, and what they cannot •the ways in which the social, political, religious and cultural context of production impacts on the creation of visual/material culture appropriate methods of analysis and interpretation, including issues of purpose, production and form • the range of possible interpretations of visual/material culture when looked

at from different perspectives, in an ancient and modern context

When studying visual/material culture learners should be able to:

• respond critically to artefacts, identifying different possible interpretations, taking account of issues such as those of audience and purpose



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	<ul> <li>selections from Suetonius' Lives of the Twelve Caesars</li> <li>the Sebasteion at Aphrodisias</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>know and understand how materials and artefacts relate to their wider context and how this social, historical, political, religious and cultural context affected their creation and interpretation</li> <li>evaluate the usefulness of visual/material culture when investigating the classical world</li> <li>apply their knowledge of cultural contexts to support, substantiate and inform their judgements</li> <li>use their understanding of visual/material culture to demonstrate an understanding of the social, historical and cultural context of the classical world with recognition, of the limitations of evidence (such as the issue of fragmentary or relocated material)</li> <li>critically explore and explain the possibility of different responses to materials from different audiences, from the classical period, up until the modern day.</li> </ul>	
Democracy and the Athenians (H408/34)	Solon • Solon's reforms • seisachtheia • property classes, their rights and obligations	Interpretive and analytic skills developed	When studying classical thought learners will be required to show knowledge and understanding of:	Ensure students are accessing the required
	<ul> <li>possible introduction of a Council of 400</li> <li>archonship</li> <li>Areopagos</li> <li>assembly</li> </ul>	from yr13. Synoptic links and	• the development of thought and ideas; how and why they emerged and how this was influenced by their broader cultural context	reading Discuss issues
	<ul> <li>changes to Draco's lawcode</li> <li>responses to and consequences of his reforms, and their relationship to the development of democracy</li> </ul>	comparativ e skills developed	•the influence of thought and ideas on the social, political, religious and cultural context of the classical world	Ensure students are aware of

		• ways in which these ideas and concepts	where to find
Cleisthenes	Focus or	can be interpreted, both in an ancient and	support
reforms of Cleisthenes:	'reception'	modern context.	materials -
• demes			Google
• tribes		When studying classical thought learners	Classroom, &
Council of 500 (Boule)		should be able to:	OCR website
• sortition			
possible introduction of ostracism		<ul> <li>respond critically to the ideas and</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>subsequent introduction of strategoi (generals)</li> </ul>		concepts studied, considering how they	
<ul> <li>responses to and consequences of his reforms</li> </ul>		reflect the social, historical, political,	
<ul> <li>the extent to which these reforms redefined how</li> </ul>		religious and cultural context	
Athenians viewed themselves in relation to each other and		• apply their knowledge of cultural contexts	
the state		to support, substantiate and inform their	
		judgements	
5th Century developments		• use their understanding of classical ideas	
<ul> <li>selection of archons by lot</li> </ul>		and thinkers to demonstrate an	
• the role of the Athenian Empire in the development of		understanding of the social, historical, and	
democracy		cultural context of the classical world	
<ul> <li>the reforms of Ephialtes and Pericles and their</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>critically explore and explain the</li> </ul>	
consequences		possibility of different interpretations of	
<ul> <li>change in powers of the Areopagus</li> </ul>		ideas from different audiences, from the	
payment for office		classical period, up until the modern day.	
citizenship laws			
<ul> <li>the organs of democracy</li> </ul>		When studying literature learners will be	
• the Assembly: organisation of meetings and importance of		required to show knowledge and	
public speaking skills		understanding of:	
the Boule: function and powers			
<ul> <li>the law-courts: function and powers</li> </ul>		•ways in which writers shape meanings in	
<ul> <li>qualification and accountability of magistrates</li> </ul>		classical texts	
demagogues and their influence, including exploitation of		ways in which classical texts might be	
the lawcourts		interpreted by different readers or	
		audiences both in an ancient and modern	
Democracy idealised		context	
<ul> <li>the ways in which the Athenians viewed democracy as</li> </ul>		• ways in which classical texts relate to the	

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	<ul> <li>giving them a distinct <ul> <li>identity</li> <li>what were regarded as the main benefits of democracy to the Athenians</li> <li>how and why this identity and these benefits were portrayed by 5th century BC sources, including: <ul> <li>the portrayal of Athens and its democracy by tragic dramatists</li> <li>Thucydides' portrayal of Athens under Pericles and the contrast with Athens under his successors</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>	<ul> <li>historical, social, political, religious and cultural contexts in which they are written and received</li> <li>ways in which classical texts relate to literary traditions and genres of the classical world.</li> <li>When studying literature learners should be able to:         <ul> <li>respond critically to texts and consider</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Democracy critiqued</li> <li>the ideas in the set sections of the Old Oligarch's Constitution of the Athenians:</li> <li>why he feels democracy works for the Athenians, and its main beneficiaries</li> <li>why he disapproves of the Athenian democratic constitution</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>respond critically to texts and consider how the attitudes and values of the classical world or author are expressed</li> <li>apply their knowledge of cultural contexts to support, substantiate and inform evidence-based judgements about the classical texts</li> <li>use classical texts to demonstrate an understanding of the social, historical and cultural context of the classical world, with</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Plato's criticisms of democracy as illustrated in the set sections of the Republic:</li> <li>the idea of a common good</li> <li>the benefits of philosopher rulers</li> <li>the dangers of rule by the people</li> <li>the dangers of 'popular' leaders and sophists</li> </ul>	recognition, where appropriate, of the complex issues of reliability and the difference between what a text might say and what can be inferred from this • critically explore and explain the possibility of different responses to a text from different audiences, from the classical
	<ul> <li>Democracy and comedy</li> <li>likely or actual reception at the time of performance</li> <li>Aristophanes' portrayal of political leaders, political issues and the Athenian people</li> <li>nature of his comments on the developed democracy and its institutions</li> <li>similarities and differences between Aristophanes' views</li> </ul>	period, up until the modern day.

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	<ul> <li>and those of the other Athenian authors studied</li> <li>how serious the ideas and points put forward in the selected extracts might have been intended to be</li> </ul>					