

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Semester I

Year 9 English

FAIRHOLME ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Course: Year 9 English

Outline: SEMESTER 1, 2017

Introduction:

Painting with Words

Welcome back to English! This semester we will be discovering the potential of imagery - in other words, we will be painting with words. Words depict, persuade, evoke and entice. We will explore this through narrative writing and the work of Marcus Zusak, before taking up our quills in our own writing, and capping it all off with a picturesque poetry tour. You will be encountering many familiar poetry texts from different angles and will be exploring some unfamiliar texts as well. We hope you enjoy English this year.

Assessment Summary:

Term One

Week	Date	Assessment Task	Formative / Summative
8	Friday, March 17	Narrative (Written)	Formative

Term Two

Week	Date	Assessment Task	Formative / Summative
3	Wednesday, May 3	Persuasive Text (Written)	Formative
8	Week of June 5-9	Poetry Presentation (Spoken)	Formative

