



Attainment Band	Jekyll and Hyde
Yellow Plus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You use inference, context, and genre to understand the holistic or underlying meaning of the text, exploring different interpretations or different layers of meaning within it.</li><li>You make judicious and focussed use of textual evidence to develop analytical, authentic, and thoughtful responses to the text.</li><li>You explain the inextricable link between authorial intent and the impact on the reader, fully considering why the writer made particular choices.</li><li>Your critical judgements fully explore how specific elements of a text reflect authorial intent, explicitly and directly explaining why they are effective in fulfilling their aims.</li><li>You explain why the author has used a range of devices and what they sought to achieve.</li></ul>
Yellow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You demonstrate a thorough understanding of texts by drawing inferences and fully exploring implicit meaning.</li><li>Your responses demonstrate originality and are enhanced by carefully chosen evidence from the text.</li><li>Your explanation and analysis show a well-developed understanding of authorial intent, the impact on the reader, and the link between the two.</li><li>You make interesting and perceptive critical judgements directly supported by carefully chosen, relevant and focussed (word-level) evidence from the text.</li><li>You explain the effect of a range of devices.</li></ul>
Blue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Your understanding of a text goes beyond what is literally on the page to consider implicit meaning, the conventions of genre and the influence of context.</li><li>Your responses to the text are detailed, sometimes original, and supported with relevant (word-level) evidence.</li><li>You give detailed explanation and analysis beginning to explore the deliberate impact of the writer's choices on the reader.</li><li>You make critical judgements that are clearly supported and explained with relevant evidence from the text, explaining why you have reached that judgement.</li><li>You explain the effect of simple devices.</li></ul>
Green	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Your understanding of a text is more nuanced and includes a basic sense of genre and the context in which it was written.</li><li>Your responses to the text are valid, and you attempt to support and explain them with relevant evidence from the text.</li><li>Your explanation and analysis are more developed, referring to the impact or effect on the reader.</li><li>You make simple judgements and support them with relevant evidence from the text, starting to consider why you have reached that judgement.</li><li>You identify and label a range of devices.</li></ul>
White	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Your explanations of the text are simple, identifying explicit meaning.</li><li>Your responses to the text are simple but valid with some relevant reference to the text.</li><li>Your answers include a basic attempt to explain the relevance of basic points.</li><li>You make basic judgements and attempt to support them with relevant evidence from the text.</li><li>You identify and label simple language devices.</li></ul>