Key Stage Three: Year 8 KS3 extracurricular lunchtime clubs: Debate Club, Drama Club, Book Club LEARNING JOURNEY SUCCESS COMES Curriculum intent: to be skilled communicators, FROM readers and writers; to possess an enquiring mind; HARDWORK = Intervention strategies to have cultural capital and to connect texts to the wider world. **Public speaking and** spelling bee final Oracy, reading and 11/7/2023 writing skills will be assessed throughout the year **Introduce Public Speaking Competition Introduce** Explore famous speeches **Spelling Bee list** Develop our oracy skills **Careers** Talk delivered by lawyer (M Canavan) Paper 1 skills **Modern Novel** Read and study the novel in depth focusing on plot, structure, presentation of characters, Oracy, reading and writing skills will be themes and context Develop persuasive and argumentative writing assessed throughout the year **Exploring Short Stories and extracts from novels** Developing Paper 1 skills of retrieval, analysis and **World Book Day** evaluation 2/2/2023 Close focus on the writer's craft Students will be encouraged to write creatively Dickens' Day 8/12/2022 **National Storytelling Week** 9/1/2023 Study of 20th Century Play: 'Blood Brothers' or 'Our Day Out' by Willy Russell Explore plot, structure, presentation of characters, themes and context **Poetry Recitation** Focus on key play terminology Final 30/11/2022 Perform key scenes **CONTINUING OUR ST.** Hot seat characters PAUL'S ENGLISH JOURNEY **Reading for** pleasure all year! **Disturbed Voices DEAR 20 minutes**

Exploring the Victorian context through close

analysis of Victorian Poetry

everyday.

Reading lesson. Book talk.

SPAG: Word of the Week, fortnightly spelling check, SPAG skills incorporated into schemes

National Poetry Day 6/10/22

Introduce Poetry Recitation

