

Year 11 Autumn 1: English Language

Solid, real	Concrete	Abstract	Not physical, an idea
Tidy, controlled, clear	Order	Chaos	Confusion, disorder
Difficult to harm	Secure	Vulnerable	Easy to harm, fragile
Stubborn, unchangeable	Dogmatic	Malleable	Able to be changed, flexible
Stable, the same	Constant	Volatile	Unpredictable, uncertain
Every so often	Intermittent	Perpetual	Cyclical, repetitive, incessant
Can be touched, real	Tangible	Intangible	Cannot be touched
Can be touched, real	Physical	Metaphysical	Not physical, not real
Expected, logical, usual	Natural	Supernatural	Beyond laws of nature, magical
Expected, logical, usual	Normal	Abnormal	Beyond what is expected
Original, basic, true	Literal	Metaphorical	Symbolic, not literal
Logical, using reason	Rational	Emotional	Using mood or feelings
Lasting forever	Permanent	Ephemeral	Lasting for a short time, temporary
Make stronger, support	Reinforce	Transgress	Go against
Right, good	Moral	Immoral	Wrong, bad
Kind, good	Benevolent	Malevolent	Unkind, evil
Gullible	Credulous	Duplicitous	Two-faced
Inside	Interior	Exterior	Outside
Unaware; not guilty	Innocent	Corrupt	Wrong, bad, dishonest
Less than	Inferior to	Superior to	Better than
The best world	Utopia	Dystopia	The worst imaginable world
Staying still	Static	Active	Moving
Hunted	Prey	Predator	Hunter
Calming	Comforting	Unsettling	Disturbing
Free	Liberated	Imprisoned	Trapped
Not enough, a lack	Paucity	Excess	Too much, extra
Generous, loves people	Philanthropic	Misanthropic	Mean, hates people
Dull, boring, ordinary	Banal	Idiosyncratic	Individual, unique, quirky, extraordinary
All the same	Homogeneous	Heterogeneous	Varied, mixed, diverse
Can end, will end, mortal	Finite	Infinite	Will never end, eternal, immortal

Year 11 Autumn 2 and Spring 1: Power and Conflict

transient (adjective) <i>transience - noun</i>	If something is transient , it is permanent	glorify (verb)	To glorify someone or something is to praise and respect them highly
egotistical (adjective)	If you are egotistical , you are self-centered and self-absorbed.	jingoistic (adjective)	If you are jingoistic , you are so patriotic that you support war and violence <i>Noun - jingoism</i>
fickle (adjective)	If you are fickle , you change what or who you like or want quickly and easily.	patriotic (adjective)	If you are patriotic , you love your country
in awe of	If you are in awe of something or someone, you are amazed because it is wonderful and often a little frightening	liminal space (noun)	A liminal space is a space, often uncomfortable, between two opposites.
reverence (noun)	If you have reverence for someone or something, you have great respect for it	inescapable (adjective)	If something is inescapable , it cannot be escaped; it is impossible to ignore or be affected by it
inexplicable (adjective)	Something inexplicable can't be explained	perpetual (adjective)	Something perpetual is repetitive, continuous, non-stop <i>Adverb – perpetually</i>
incomprehensible (adjective)	Something incomprehensible can't be understood	action (noun)	If there is action , there are things happening <i>Adjective – active</i>
eurocentric (adjective)	If something is Eurocentric , it focusses on European people and excludes the rest of the world	stasis (noun)	If there is stasis , there is nothing happening. <i>Adjective – static</i>
erasure (noun)	If you criticise the erasure of something, you criticise the fact that it is erased, made invisible or ignored	desensitised to (verb)	If you are desensitised to something bad, you are no longer affected by it.
monolith (noun)	A monolith is literally a large upright stone that's a monument. If you call a structure or institution a monolith or monolithic , you mean that it is large and powerful, is biased, doesn't take into account other views and is slow to change.	preserve (verb)	To preserve something is to keep it exactly as it is. Also: <i>conserve</i>
		universal (adjective)	Something universal happens to everyone